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Somerville January 2. 1882.

City Government Inauguration of

Inauguration of the City Government of the City of Somerville for the Municipal year 1882, in accordance with the provisions of the City Charter.

The City Council elect were called to order by the City Clerk.

Alderman Page offered the following Order.

Order Committee to wait upon his honor the Mayor

City of Somerville, January 2, 1882.

In City Council

Ordered that a Committee of three be appointed by the Chairman from the board of aldermen and two from the Common Council to wait upon his Honor the Mayor elect and inform him that the City Council are ready to receive him for the purpose of Inaugurating the new City Government.

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted and Alderman Page and Councilmen Davis and Kerry were appointed as said Committee.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Report of Committee

The Committee reported that they had waited upon his Honor the Mayor elect and informed him of the wish of the City Council and that the Mayor elect was ready to proceed with the Inauguration.

Alderman Weld offered the following Order

Committee to conduct his honor to the platform

City of Somerville January 2, 1882.

Ordered that Alderman Burden be appointed a Committee to conduct his Honor the Mayor to the platform.

In City Council. Order adopted

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

January 2, 1882

Mayor Cummings was conducted to the platform by Alderman Freyer of Ward Four.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by the Revd. A. W. Smith Pastor of the Perkins Street Baptist church.

Record of Election read

The record of the Municipal Election was read by the City Clerk that Hon. John H. Cummings was elected Mayor of the City of Somerville for the ensuing year.

Oath administered to his honor the Mayor

The oath of Office was administered by the Hon. George A. Bruce of Somerville.

Copy of Oath.

I John H. Cummings do solemnly swear that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and will support the Constitution thereof. So help me God.

I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as Mayor of the City of Somerville according to the best of my ability and understanding agreeably to the Rules and Regulations of the Constitution and the laws of the Commonwealth. So help me God.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States. So help me God.

John H. Cummings (Mayor).

Somerville January 2. 1881.

Taken and subscribed before me

George A. Bruce

Justice of the Peace.

January 2. 1882

The Clerk also read from the records that Elijah C. Clark & Mark F. Burns of Ward Cne Caleb W. Page & J. Frank Wellington " " Two J. Leland Nuccess & Thomas R. Houlstone " " Three Isa Durgin & Wm E. Weld " " Four had been elected Aldermen of the City of Somerville for the present Municipal year.

The Oath of Office was administered by the Hon George P. Bruce.

Election of Aldermen read.

Oath of Office administered to Aldermen

Copy of Oath. Somerville Jany 2. 1882

I (to writing their name) do solemnly swear that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and will support the Constitution thereof. So help me God.

I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all duties incumbent on me as an Alderman of the City of Somerville — according to the best of my ability and understanding agreeably to the Rules and regulations of the Constitution and the laws of the Commonwealth. So help me God.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States. So help me God.

Elijah C. Clark — Mark F. Burns
Caleb W. Page — J. Frank Wellington
J. Leland Nuccess — Thomas R. Houlstone
Isa Durgin — William E. Weld

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
Middlesex ss
Somerville January 2. 1882
Taken and subscribed before me
George P. Bruce
Justice of the Peace

January 2. 1882

Election of Councilmen Read.

The Clerk also read from the records that
Levi F S Davis Charles E Giles
Moses G Steele Hiram G Jannin of Ward One

Clarence P Weston Martin Binney
Frank E Fitts & Frederick M Stodder of Ward Two
Alvin A Perry Hiram D Smith
Philip O Woodberry Henry M Beals of Ward Three
Irving L Russell & Lorenzo Atwood
Samuel S Richards & Richard S Blackwell of Ward Four
were elected members of the Common Council for the present year.
The oath of Office was administered by
Hon. George H Bruce

Oath of Office administered to Councilmen

Copy of Oath.

City of Somerville January 2, 1881.

I (Repeating their name) do solemnly swear that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and will support the constitution thereof. So help me God.

I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as a member of the Common Council of the City of Somerville, according to the best of my abilities and understanding agreeably to the Rules and Regulations of the Constitution and Laws of the Commonwealth. So help me God.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States. So help me God.

Levi F S Davis Charles E Giles Moses G Steele
Hiram G Jannin Martin Binney Clarence P Weston
F M Stodder Frank E Fitts Irving L Russell
Albion A Perry Hiram D Smith Philip O Woodberry
Henry M Beals J Lorenzo Atwood Samuel S
Richard R S Blackwell Common Councilmen

January 2. 1882

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

Somerville January 2. 1882.

Sworn and subscribed before me

George F. Bruce

Justice of the Peace.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Councilmen having been qualified the Mayor delivered his Inaugural address

The Common Council then retired to their room to Organisation by making choice of a President and Clerk.

Address.

In Board of Aldermen

Aldermen Wild offered the following Order,

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

January 2. 1882.

Ordered.

That the Standing Rules and Orders of the Board of Aldermen of last year be adopted for the Government of this Board until otherwise Ordered.

Rules and orders of Board of Aldermen adopted

Order adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Message from the Common Council

City of Somerville

In Common Council January 2. 1882

To His Honor the Mayor

and the Board of Aldermen

Gentlemen I am directed by the Common Council to inform your honorable body that its organisation has been completed by the election of Councilmen Henry of Ward Three, as President and Douglas Frazar as Clerk.

By order of the Common Council Douglas Frazar Clerk

Common Council organisation of

January 2, 1882

In Board of Aldermen

Received and read in Concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Order for Convention for election of City Clerk & Treasurer & Collector

Alderman Rousiere offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Aldermen January 2, 1882

Ordered:

That the Mayor be sent to the Common Council requesting a Convention of the two Branches of the City Government for the purpose of electing a City Clerk and a Treasurer and Collector of Taxes, and to pass such order as may come before the Convention.

Order adopted, and Aldermen Rousiere appointed to carry the message to the lower branch

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council January 2, 1882.

Concurred in

Councilman Martin appointed to carry the message to the Upper branch.

Douglas Frazier Clerk.

Convention Election of City Clerk

Two Branches Joint Convention

The Mayor announced that a ballot for City Clerk would then be taken, and appointed Aldermen Burns, Councilmen Merriam and Beals a Committee to receive votes and count the ballots for City Clerk.

Report of the Committee

In City Council January 2, 1882.

The Committee appointed to receive and count the votes for City Clerk having attended to that duty report as follows.

Whole number of ballots	24	
Necessary for a choice	13	
Charles E. Gilman has	24	is elected

M. F. Burnham Chairman

January 2, 1882

The oath of Office was administered to the Clerk by the Hon. George H. Brown.

Oath administered to the City Clerk.

The Mayor announced that a ballot for Treasurer and Collector of Taxes would then be taken.

Aldermen Page Councilmen Weston and Blackwell were appointed a Committee to sort and count the ballots for a Treasurer and Collector of Taxes.

Report of Committee
City of Somerville
In City Council January 2. 1882.

Treasurer Collector — Election of

The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for a City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes having attended to that duty report as follows —

Whole number of ballots 24
Necessary for a choice 13
George Pilmont had 1
John F. Cole " 23. & was elected

The oath of Office was administered to the Treasurer and Collector of Taxes by the Hon. George H. Brown.

Oath administered to Treasurer & Collector

Aldermen Field offered the following Order
City of Somerville
January 2. 1882
In City Council

Resolved that his Honor the Mayor be requested to furnish the Committee on Printing with a copy of his Inaugural address for publication
In City Council Resolve adopted

Resolve requesting a copy of address to print

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

City Council
Joint Rules orders
adoption of

January 2. 1882

Alderman Weld offered the following Order
City of Somerville January 2, 1882.
In City Council

Ordered

That the Joint Rules and Orders of the City Council of last year be adopted for the Government of the City Council until otherwise ordered;
Order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

The object for which the Convention was called having been accomplished the Convention was dissolved the Councilmen retiring to their room.

Order from the Common Council
In Common Council January 2. 1882.
City of Somerville.

Ordered

That the Rules and orders of the Common Council of the year 1881, be and the same are adopted as the Rules and orders of this Common Council till otherwise ordered. C. P. Heston
Order adopted and sent up for information.

Douglas Frazar Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen January 2. 1882
Read for information

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

The Revd. Mr. Durell having pronounced the Benediction the Board adjourned to Tuesday evening January 10. 1882

Charles E. Gilman
Clerk.

January 10, 1882.

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen

January 10, 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Newell, Wellington, Roulstone, Page, Clark, Burns, Durgin and Weld present

The reading of the was dispensed with

The Aldermen made choice of seats as follows — Aldermen Choice of Seats

No. 1. Aldermen Newell. No. 2. J. Frank Wellington
No. 3. Thomas R. Roulstone, No. 4. Caleb H. Page
No. 5. Elijah C. Clark; No. 6. Mark F. Burns,
No. 7. Wm. Durgin. No. 8. William E. Weld.

Frank Sawyer was granted a License to collect Junk; — License Junk

Notice of Michael Devine intention to build on Wilson's Street — Intention to build M Devine
Referred to the Special Committee on Building permits

Petition of M. L. Woods & Co. for a license to sell Intoxicating liquors for medicinal purposes. — License petition for to sell liquor
Referred to the Committee on Licenses.

Charles A. Mason was granted a permit to repair a Building from North Cambridge to Somerville through Beach & Elm Street to Dover Street. — C. A. Mason permit to move building

Report of Chief of Police was received and read for information — Police Reporting Chief

The Bond of John F. Cole City Treasurer received and approved sent down for concurrence. — Bonds City Treasurer

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council January 10, 1881.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Joint Standing Committees on part of Aldermen

January 10. 1882

The Mayor announced the following Committees on the part of this Branch:

Joint Standing Committees

Accounts. Aldermen Weld and Wellington

Burial Grounds.

Aldermen Durgin and Rowlstone

Claims

Mayor and Alderman Burns

Finance

Mayor Aldermen Burns and Weld.

Fuel and Street Lights

Aldermen Page and Durgin

Fire Department

Aldermen Page & Rowlstone

Highways

Aldermen Durgin and Wellington

Ordinances

Aldermen Burns and Wereross

Public Property

Aldermen Clark and Wellington

Printing (Alderman Weld)

Soldiers Relief

Aldermen Rowlstone & Clark

Water

Aldermen Wereross and Burns.

January 10, 1882

Committees of Board of Aldermen.

Tenures

Aldermen, Norcross, Burns and Weld.

Elections

Aldermen, Wellington and Durgin.

Emulled Ordinances

Aldermen, Clark and Page.

Licenses.

Aldermen, Wellington and Norcross.

Police

Mayor, Clarke and Norcross.

State Aid.

Aldermen Rowistone, Page, Weld and Clark.

Sent down for information

—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council January 10. 1882.

Received and read for information

—— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

On motion of Aldermen Page voted to proceed to the election of a President of the Board of Aldermen. Aldermen Page and Durgin were appointed a Committee to receive sort and count the ballots.

—— City of Lawrence ——

Report of Committee ——

In Board of Aldermen January 10. 1881

The Committee appointed to receive sort count the votes for President of the Board of Aldermen having attended to that duty report as follows.

Whole number of ballots —— 8 ——

Necessary for choice —— 5 ——

Aldermen President of

January 10. 1882

Asa Durgin ——— had ——— 1
C. H. Page ——— " ——— 1
Mark F. Burns ——— " ——— 1
William E. Weld ——— " had 5 and was declared elected President of the Board.

City Messenger appointment of	James Mann was appointed and confirmed as City Messenger.
City Engineer appointment of	George A. Kimball was appointed City Engineer by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen
Assessors Entire Clerk of	George A. Vincent was appointed Clerk of the Assessors by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.
Constable appointment of	James Mann was appointed Constable by the Mayor, the appointment was confirmed by the Board of Aldermen
Bond of Mann approved	The Bond of James Mann as Constable was accepted and approved
Constable Appointment of	William D. Hayden was appointed & confirmed as Constable
Bond of Wm D. Hayden approved	The Bond of Wm D. Hayden as Constable was accepted and approved.
Annual Report of City Treasurer	The annual Report of the City Treasurer was received read referred to the Committee on Finance and sent down for Concurrence.

——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council January 10. 1882 Concurred in

——— Douglas Frazar Clerk ———

January 10. 1882

Walter S. Reid and George E. Lingen were discharged from Hose Company No. 4 at their own request. — Firemen discharged

Frederick S. Smith and David W. Crocker were appointed and confirmed as members of Hose Company No. 4. Albert F. Mentzer was appointed and confirmed as Assistant Foreman of Hose Company No. 4 — Firemen appointment of

Wiseman Newell offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

January 10, 1882.

Ordered

That the joint Standing Committee on Printing be instructed to have lists of the Committees printed for the use of the City Government

Order adopted, receiving its first and second reading and final passage; sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council, January 10, 1882.

Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.

Approved Jan 12 1882 — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

J. A. Cummings Mayor

Wiseman Wellington offered the following Order January 10, 1882.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

Ordered that all unfinished business referred by the last City Government to the present be referred to the respective Committees.

Order adopted and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council January 10, 1882.

Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk

Approved Jany 10. 1882

John A. Cummings Mayor

Committee on Printing order to Print

Unfinished business referred

January 10, 1882

Mayor Address
Order to print

Alderman Rowstone offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
January 10. 1882.

Ordered
That the Committee on Printing be and they are hereby authorized to cause to be printed for public use three hundred copies of the Inaugural address of his Honor the Mayor delivered at the Inauguration of the present City Government.

Order
Received its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council Jany 10. 1882.
Order adopted by receiving a first and second reading and final passage in concurrence
Douglas Frazar Clerk

Order
Senators Representatives requesting them to oppose the ceding of any of our territory to the City of Cambridge

Alderman Turgin offered the following Resolve
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
January 10. 1882.

Resolved that his Honor the Mayor be and hereby is authorized to request the Senator from this district and the representatives of this City to the General Court, to use their best endeavours by all lawful means to prevent the ceding of any part of the Territory of this city to the City of Cambridge, as petitioned for by the latter City, such proposed taking of Territory being in the opinion of this City Council inexpedient uncalled for and unwarranted.
Resolve adopted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council January 10. 1882.
Resolve received its first and second reading and final passage in Concurrence
Douglas Frazar Clerk

January 10, 1882

Joint Standing Committee on the part of the Common Council, announced and sent up for information.

Joint Standing Committee on the part of the Common Council

Accounts

Janvrin, Woodbury and Atwood.

Burial Grounds

Stodder, Steele and Russell.

Claims

President, Weston and Janvrin.

Finance

President, Weston, Davis, Smith & Fitts.

Fire and Street-Lights

Giles, Woodbury and Stodder.

Fire Department

Davis, Stodder and Blackwell.

Highways

Steele, Smith and Russell.

Ordinances

Weston, Smith and Atwood.

Public Property

Beals, Richards and Giles.

Printing

Binney and Beals.

Soldiers Relief

Binney, Woodbury and Blackwell.

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Water.

President, Fitts, and Richards

Election and Return.

Fitts Blackwell and Stevens.

Enrolled Ordinances and Resolutions

(Davis Binney and Beals.

In Board of Aldermen read for information.

Order, Committees authorized expenditure of money

Alderman Gage offered the following Order.

City of Somerville.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

January 10. 1881.

Ordered

That such Committees and Boards as have by common usage the charge of the several Departments of the City for the requirements of which the expenditure of money may be necessary be and they are hereby authorized to approve to the Auditor in Pay Roll of the respective accounts in manner prescribed by the City Ordinances and until the passage of the order making the annual appropriations in anticipation thereof all bills &c necessarily incurred for the actual running expenses of the Department committed to their care, and that the Committee on Public Property be authorized to approve in like manner bills &c for repairs on the public buildings of the City and for the purchase of School Furniture not exceeding the sum of five hundred dollars on any one building.

Order received its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council. January 10. 1882.

Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence. Douglas Frazar Clerk

January 10. 1882 Approved John A. Cummings Mayor

January 10, 1882

Wiseman Burgin offered the following Order

— City of Somerville —

In Board of Aldermen January 10, 1882.

Ordered

that all licenses for public exhibitions be issued by the City Clerk under the direction of the Mayor —

— Order adopted —

— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Wiseman Burgin offered the following Order.

— City of Somerville —

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen —

— January 10, 1882.

Highways ✓ Clerk of Committee authorized to employ.

Ordered that the Committee on Highways be and they are hereby authorized to employ a salaried Clerk for the current year, the salary to be charged to the appropriation to be made for "highways"

Order received its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence

— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. —

In Common Council January 10, 1882

Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.

— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Approved January 12, 1882. John H. Cummings Mayor

Alderman Weld offered the following Order

— City of Somerville —

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen —

— January 10, 1882. —

Order Passed by Ordinance

Ordered:

that such committees and Boards as have by common usage the charge of the several departments of the City for the requirements of which the expenditures of money may be necessary be requested to forward to the committee on Finance estimates of the amounts which will be

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required to disbursement by their respective departments during the current year.
Order adopted, and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

In Common Council January 10, 1882.
Non Concurred for the matter being covered by sec 1 ordinance No. 1. Douglas Frazar, Clerk.

Building permits Committee appointed

Alderman Morrow offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Alderman
January 10, 1882.

Ordered
That the Chairman of the Committee on Highways and the Chairman of the Committee on Fire Department be and hereby are appointed a Special Committee on Building permits.
In Board of Alderman Order adopted.
Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

Licenses by Clerk to issue

Alderman Clark offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Alderman January 10, 1882.

Ordered:
That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to issue licenses to keep swine and Goats and to collect Grease, to such parties as shall be designated by the Board of Health from time to time during the current year.
In Board of Alderman order adopted.
Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

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Alderman Newcomb offered the following Order.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

January 10, 1882

Sewers Clerk of Committee authorized to employ

Ordered

That the committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized to employ a clerk at a salary to be fixed by the City Council, and to be paid from the appropriation for sewers.

Order adopted by receiving a first reading & second and final passage sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council January 10, 1882.

Order adopted by receiving a first and second reading and final passage in concurrence

Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Approved January 12, 1882. John A. Cummings Mayor.

On motion of Alderman Burns proceeded to the election of a Principal Assessor for three years. Alderman Burns and Rowstone were appointed to receive sort and count the votes.

Principal Assessor Election of

Report of Committee

In Board of Aldermen January 10, 1882.

The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for Principal Assessor, having attended to the duty report as follows.

Whole number of Ballots	8
Necessary for a choice	5
F. Williams (Chart)	1
F. C. Williams "	3
George H. Sadler "	4

M. F. Burns Chairman

There being no choice voted to proceed to a second ballot. Same Committee serving

January 10. 1882.

Principal Assessor

Report of Committee

City of Somerville

In Board of Aldermen January 10. 1882

The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for a Principal Assessor, having attended to that duty report as follows.

Whole number of ballots ——— 8. ———

Necessary for a choice ——— 5. ———

George W. Hadley had ——— 3

Frank G. Williams " ——— 5

and was declared elected on the part of this Branch and sent down for information.

——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Paper from the Common Council —

In Common Council January 10. 1882.

George W. Hadley was elected in new concurrence on the part of this Branch sent up for information

——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

City Auditor Election of

On motion of Alderman Page voted to proceed to the election of a City Auditor

Aldermen Page and Clark were appointed a Committee to receive sort and count the ballots.

Report of Committee

In Board of Aldermen January 10. 1882.

The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for a City Auditor having attended to that duty report as follows

Whole number of ballots ——— 8 ———

Necessary for a choice ——— 5 ———

Douglas Frazar had ——— 8 & was elected City Auditor on the part of this Branch and sent down for information. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council January 10. 1882.

On motion proceeded to the election of a City Auditor Douglas Frazar was elected on the part of this Branch in concurrence ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

January 10, 1882

On motion of Alderman Weed proceeded to the election of an Assistant Assessor from Ward One

Alderman Weed & Mercer were appointed a Committee to receive, sort and count the ballots.

Assistant Assessor Ward One Election of

Report of Committee

In Board of Alderman January 10, 1882.

The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for an Assistant Assessor from Ward One, having attended to that duty report as follows.

Whole number of ballots ——— 8

Necessary for a choice ——— 5

C. H. Brooks ——— had ——— 2

Daniel Brooks ——— " ——— 6 was elected. ——— H. E. Weed

Proceeded to the election of Assistant Assessor from Ward Two. Same Committee serving

Assistant Assessor of Ward Two Election of

Report of Committee

In Board of Alderman January 10, 1882.

The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for an Assistant Assessor from Ward Two having attended to that duty report as follows -

Whole number of ballots ——— 8

Necessary for a choice ——— 5

B. F. Thompson ——— had ——— 8 and was elected in the part of this Branch ——— H. F. Weed, for Committee

Proceeded to the Election of Assistant Assessor from Ward Three ——— Same Committee serving

Assistant Assessor Ward Three Election of

The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for an Assistant Assessor from Ward Three, having attended to that duty report as follows -

Whole number of ballots ——— 8

Necessary for a choice ——— 5

Reuben H. Mann ——— had 8 and was elected in the part of this Branch ——— H. E. Weed for Committee

Assistant Assessor of Ward Four Election &c.

January 10, 1882

Proceeded to the election of an Assistant Assessor from Ward Four. Same Committee serving.

In Board of Aldermen January 10, 1882.

Report of Committee.

The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the ballots for an Assistant Assessor from Ward Four having attended to that duty, report as follows:—

Whole number of ballots _____ 8. _____

Necessary for a choice _____ 5. _____

William A. Muzzey _____ had _____ 8 and was elected on the part of this Branch _____ W. E. Weed for Committee

In Board of Aldermen January 10, 1882 —

On motion proceeded to the election of four assistant assessors — Daniel Brooks, B. F. Thompson, Reuben A. Melvin and William A. Muzzey were elected on the part of this Branch and sent down for information

_____ Charles E. Gilman, Clerk. _____

In Common Council January 10, 1882 —

Daniel Brooks, B. F. Thompson, Reuben A. Melvin and William A. Muzzey

were elected on the part of this Branch in concurrence

Douglas Frazar, Clerk.

Constables appointment of

The Mayor nominated and the Aldermen confirmed C. C. Foisom, Samuel R. Dow, Robert R. Perry, C. C. Cavanagh and Newell F. Caswell as Constables

Adjourned

Charles E. Gilman
Clerk.

January 17. 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
January 17. 1882

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Bowers, Wellington, Rowlstone, Page, Clark, Burns, Durgin, & Weld present

Taken from the Common Council
In Common Council January 11. 1882.
George W Hadley was elected in Non Concurrence on the part of this Branch. sent up for information. Douglas Frazar Clerk
In Board of Aldermen January 17. 1882.
Read Concurrence
Charles E Gilman Clerk.

Amnor election by Council.

Somerville January 13. 1882.
To the Honorable the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville
the undersigned respectfully pray that License may be granted him to keep a Pool table in Brazilians Building on Broadway — W J Davis.
On motion of Aldermen Wellington the petitioner had leave to withdraw
Charles E Gilman Clerk.

License Petition of W J Davis

William H Brine was appointed a Constable by the Mayor and confirmed by the Alderman

Constable Election of

The Bond of William H Brine as Constable was accepted and approved by the Board of Aldermen

Constable Bond

Joseph J Giles was appointed a Constable by the Mayor the appointment was confirmed by the Aldermen

Constable appointment of

January 17, 1882

Bond of Giles	The Bond of Joseph J. Giles Constable was accepted and approved by the Aldermen
Sidewalk Day Street	The petition of J. H. Hitner and others for a sidewalk in Day Street was received to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
License Petition of G. W. Hadley	Petition of G. W. Hadley for a permit to hold Concerts and Assemblies in Hadley Hall was referred to the Committee on Licenses. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
Intention to Build Prospect Street	Notice of J. M. B. Crowe Intention to build on Prospect Street a permit was granted
Licenses Report of Committee on Petition of W. L. Woods	Report of Committee on Licenses City of Somerville, Jany. 17, 1882 In Committee on Licenses January 17, 1882 To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the petition of W. L. Woods, and Company for a License to sell intoxicating liquors for medicinal purposes at their place of business No 524 Somerville Avenue recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted. For the Committee J. F. Wellington Chairman In Board of Aldermen acceptance of Report refused Charles E. Gilman Clerk

January 17, 1882

On motion of Alderman Burns proceeded to the election of a Principal Assessor for three years

Principal Assessor ballot for

Alderman Burns and Rowstone were appointed a Committee to receive sort and count the votes

Report of Committee

City of Somerville

In Board of Aldermen December 17, 1882.
The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for a Principal Assessor having attended to that duty report as follows.

Whole number of ballots		8
Necessary for a choice		5
F. G. Williams	had	1
Frank G. Williams	"	3
George W. Hadley	"	4.

M. F. Burns Chairman

No one having received the required number there was no choice

Alderman Wellington and Weld were appointed a Committee to receive sort and count the votes for a

Solicitor Ballot for

City Solicitor

Report of Committee

In Board of Aldermen January 17, 1882.
The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for a City Solicitor having attended to that duty report as follows.

Whole number of ballots	8
Necessary for a choice	5
Samuel C. Laning	1
Samuel H. Laning	1
J. H. Butler	1
William Hobson	1

There being no choice proceeded to a second ballot same Committee serving

Solicitor Election of

January 17 1882

Second Ballot

Report of Committee

In Board of Aldermen January 17, 1882.

The Committee appointed to receive sort and count the votes for a City Solicitor having attended to that duty report as follows —

Whole number of ballots ——— 8 ———

Necessary for a choice ——— 5 ———

Samuel C Darling ——— chod. 6 ———

C S Knapp ——— " 1 ———

John Haskell Butler ——— " 1 ———

Samuel C Darling was declared elected on the part of this branch and sent down for information

——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council January 17, 1882.

On motion proceeded to ballot for a City Solicitor and Samuel C Darling was elected on the part of this branch in Concurrence

——— Ch. Douglas Frazar Clerk

Commissioner Sinking Fund Election of

Commissioner of Sinking Fund

On motion of Alderman Burns proceeded to the election of a Commissioner of Sinking Funds

Alderman Burns and Page were appointed a Committee to receive sort and count the votes for a Commissioner of the Sinking fund for three years.

Report of Committee

In Board of Aldermen January 17, 1882.

The Committee appointed to receive sort and count the votes for a Commissioner of Sinking Funds, having attended to that duty report as follows —

Whole number of ballots ——— 8 ———

Necessary for a choice ——— 5 ———

Henry F Woods ——— 8 ———

M F Burns C P Page Committee

Henry F Woods was declared elected on the part of this Branch notice sent down for information

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In Common Council January 17, 1882.

On motion proceeded to ballot for one Commissioner of Sinking Fund for three years and Henry H. Woods was elected in concurrence with the upper branch on the part of the Common Council.

—— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Sinking Fund Commissioner Election of by Common Council.

The order passed by the City Council January 16 authorizing the Committee on Highways to employ a Salaried Clerk, was returned to the Council disapproved by the Mayor and his reasons therefor.

—— City Hall Committee ——

Order authorizing Highway Committee to employ Clerk returned to the Council by the Mayor disapproved.

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To the members of the City Council.

Gentlemen ——

The order passed by your honorable body at its last meeting authorizing the Committee on Highways to employ a Clerk at a salary to be paid from the appropriation for that department is respectfully returned herewith disapproved not because a salaried is not in my judgment needed by that Committee but because I believe the best interest of the City would be subserved by the employment of one person with an assistant as Clerk of all our principal committees or Committees now employing a salaried Clerk. It has longed seemed to me that it would be a great advantage to the city to have the same person Clerk of both the Committee on Sewers and the Committee on Highways, and that the person so employed should be present in the City Hall during the day time to attend to any business and answer any inquiries relating to these departments that may be made by citizens or other City officials.

By assigning the duties now performed by other parties to the present Clerk of the Board of Assessors and providing him with an assistant whose whole time should be given to the city, this object could be accomplished with little if any

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additional expense to the City. That your honorable bodies may consider this suggestion, or devise some other measure to accomplish the purpose of having a person familiar with the work & all the principal committees in daily attendance at the City Hall, the order is herewith respectfully returned.

——— Truly yours John W. Cummings

——— Mayor ———

Order authorising Com. on Highways to employ Clerk reconsidered

On motion of Aldermen Weed the order authorising the Committee on Highways to employ a Salaried Clerk was reconsidered.

The question of adopting the order authorising the Committee on Highways to employ a salaried clerk was rejected by a yea and Nay vote — eight aldermen voting in the negative.

The enclosed order disapproved — with the accompanying message and upon reconsideration the order was rejected by a yea and Nay vote sent down for information.

——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council January 17, 1882,

The passage of the above order was reconsidered and by a Yea and Nay vote the order was rejected in concurrence. ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Order authorising Com. on Sewers to employ clerk returned to the Council disapproved

The order passed by the City Council January 10th 1882 authorising the Committee on Sewers to employ a salaried clerk was returned to the City Council disapproved by the Mayor and giving his reasons therefor.

——— City of Somerville ———

——— Mayors Office January 17, 1882.

To the City Council ———

——— Gentleman: The order authorising the Committee on Sewers to employ a salaried clerk passed by both branches on January 10th is hereby returned disapproved for the same reasons given in the communication in regard to the employment of a clerk by the committee on Highways and laid before you this day. Respectfully

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submitted John H. Cummings, Mayor.

On motion of Alderman Held the order authorizing the Committee on Sewers to employ a salaried Clerk was reconsidered:
The question of adopting the order authorizing the committee on Sewers to employ a salaried Clerk was rejected by a yea and nay vote, eight aldermen being in the negative;
The mentioned order disapproved with the accompanying message, and when reconsideration the order was rejected by a yea and nay vote sent down for information.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council January 17, 1882.
The Passage of the above order was reconsidered and by a yea and nay vote was rejected in concurrence.
Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Order authorizing Committee on Sewers to employ clerk reconsidered.

Petition of J. H. Flitner and others.
Somerville January 16, 1882.
To his Honor the Mayor and the City Council of Somerville.
We the undersigned owners of Real Estate on Day St. in said Somerville; Respectfully petition your Honorable body for street Crossings on the easterly side of said Day Street at the junction of Orchard and Herbert Streets across the head of Day Street at Elm Street.
J. H. Flitner and others.
Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for Concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council January 17, 1882.
Concurred in
Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Street Crossings Petition of J. H. Flitner Day Street.

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Ordinances & Joint Rules and orders Adoption of—

Alderman Burns offered the following Order

—— City of Somerville ——

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

—— January 17. 1882 —

Ordered.

That the Joint Rules and orders reported by the Committee on Ordinances of the year 1881 and referred to this City Government, be and they are hereby adopted and all other Joint Rules and Orders are hereby repealed. Order adopted, and sent down for concurrence.

—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. ——

In Common Council January 17. 1882,

Concurred in —— Douglas Frazar Clerk,

Ordinances & Rules & Orders of Board of Aldermen Adoption of—

The adoption of the Rules and orders of the Board of Aldermen was considered. ——

On motion of Alderman Burns —

Voted to adopt the Rules and Orders heretofore and as a substitute for the report of the Committee

On motion of Alderman Burns the above vote was reconsidered: ——

On motion of Alderman Burns the report of the Committee on Rules and Orders of the Board of Aldermen, was amended by striking out the words largest in the fifth line of Section 4. article 1 and inserting the word smallest so that it will read the smallest sum and the longest time: Report of Committee as amended was adopted.

—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk,

The Mayor appointed and the Alderman confirmed the following officers

Constables Appointment of—

—— Constables ——

Frank G. Williams Ansel Lewis

—— Horace B. Nunery ——

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Field Drivers

John Hayford — Judson W. Oliver
George A. Bodge — P. W. Skinner
G. W. Brown — Dennis Kelley
John E. Miller — Samuel R. Dow
Charles C. Fulsom

Pound Keeper — Charles H. Small

Field Drivers appointment of

Police without compensation

Michael W. Murphy — Edward S. Clifford
James R. Hopkins — John P. Prichard
Addison Smith — Thomas H. Daley
Bernard F. Sheridan — Joseph W. Houghton
Melvin B. Richer — William H. Denton
A. A. Williams — Timothy J. Dean
Joseph M. Porter — Daniel Dinn
William R. Cann — Hugh Blackwell
Sanford N. Cook — Edward W. Ring
C. L. Bisby — James M. Cowen
Nathaniel Dennett — Peter J. Savage
William H. Benner — T. S. Johnson
Joseph Young — E. G. Dodge
Frank M. Shapley — George C. Gove
Lyn Maynard — William H. Griffiths
Thomas Cunningham — L. P. Young
Edward A. Winnow — Charles Trull
George W. Keeden — Samuel H. Stevens
Nathaniel Morrison

Police without compensation appointment of

Fence Viewers

David W. Sanborn — Warren Tolland — Charles Z. Elliot

Fence Viewers appointment of

Surveyors of Wood Bark & Lumber

Powel Lewis and Samuel T. Littlefield

Surveyors of Wood &c appointment of

Surveyor of Stone Work James R. Hopkins

Surveyor of Stone

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Surveyor of Stone Brick & Plaster Work (H. M. Sibley)

Surveyor of Mechanics Work Charles D. Elliot

Public Weighers

Daniel W. Danforth and Patrick C. Brien

Undertakers

Undertakers

Horace B. Nurney — Patrick W. Rafferty
J. P. L. Sanborn — Patrick Rafferty
H. D. Nurney — J. Marsh & Co.
William J. P. Flaherty

Order for Convention for election of Supt. of Street, Overseer of Poor, Water Committee, Trustees of Public Library

Alderman Norcross offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

January 17, 1882.

Ordered

That it be proposed to the Common Council to meet that branch of the City Government in Convention this Evening for the purpose of electing a Superintendant of Streets, an Overseer of Poor for three years, a Water Committee of five persons to constitute the Somerville Mystic Water Board, also three Trustees of the public library for three years.

Order adopted sent down for concurrence and Alderman Norcross named on the part of this Branch to convey the action of the Board to the Common Council

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council, January 17, 1882.

Concurred in and Councilman Davis appointed to convey the information of concurrence to the upper branch

Douglas Frazar Clerk

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Two Branches in Convention
Mayor Cummings presiding

On motion of Alderman Burns proceeded to the election of a Superintendant of Street

Alderman Burns, Councilmen Binney & Fitts were appointed a Committee to receive, sort and count the votes

Report of the Committee
City of Somerville
In City Council January 17. 1882.
The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for a Superintendant of Street, having attended to that duty, report as follows.

Whole number of Ballots 24
Necessary for a Choice 13.
John P. Pinchard has 24.
M. F. Burns, Martin Binney, P. E. Fitts
Committee

Report accepted and John P. Pinchard was declared elected Superintendant of Street

On motion of Alderman Clark proceeded to the Election of one Overseer of the Poor for three years, Alderman Clark, Councilmen Lavis and Brown were appointed a Committee to receive sort and count the votes

City of Somerville
In City Council January 17. 1882.
The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for one Overseer of the Poor for three years having attended to that duty report as follows
Whole number of ballots 24
Necessary for a Choice 13

Supt. of Street, Election of

Overseer of Poor Election of

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Geo. W. Radley ——— had ——— 3 ———
A. G. Williams ——— " ——— 10 ———
Frank G. Williams ——— " ——— 11 ———
E. C. Clark, Lewis S. Davis, Henry M. Davis
——— Committee

Frank G. Williams was declared elected Overseer of the Poor for three years.

On motion of Alderman Weld proceeded to the election of five persons to constitute the Somerville Mystic Water Board.

Mystic Water Board Election of

Alderman Weld Councilmen Weston and Allwood were appointed a Committee to receive sort and count the votes.

——— Report of the Committee ———
——— City of Somerville ———
In City Council January 17, 1882. ———

The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for five persons to constitute the Somerville Mystic Water Board having attended to that duty report as follows.

Whole number of ballots ——— 23. ———
Necessary for a choice ——— 12 ———

Edward Foote	had		21
E. J. W. Foote	"		2
Edwin S. Conant	"		14
E. J. Conant	"		9
A. R. Coolidge	"		18
B. F. Thompson	"		11
J. C. Hayden	"		15
Wesley C. Crane	"		15
C. J. Hayden	"		1
C. J. Davis	"		7

William E. Weld, Clarence T. Weston, J. Lorenzo Allwood
——— Committee ———

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Edward Tree — Edwin S. Conant, M. Coolidge, J. C. Snyder and Wesley C. Crane were declared elected members of the Somerville Mystic Water Board.

On motion of Alderman Durgin voted to proceed to the election of three Trustees of the Public Library for three years.

Public Library Trustees election of for three years

Alderman Durgin, Councilmen Woodbury and Blackwell were appointed a Committee to receive, sort and count the votes.

Report of Committee

City of Somerville

In City Council, January 17. 1882.

The Committee appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for three Trustees of the Public Library for three years having attended to that duty, report as follows.

Whole number of Ballots		24
Necessary for a choice		13
Charles S. Lincoln	(had)	23
Wm Tuckerman	"	17
S. J. Bedford	"	21
A. W. Lewis	"	1
Charles K. Guild	"	1
G. A. Southworth	"	1
C. E. Wyman	"	5
Blankville	"	1

Wm Durgin, S. C. Woodbury — H. S. Blackwell Committee

Charles S. Lincoln, Wm Tuckerman & S. J. Bedford were declared elected Trustees of the Public Library for three years.

The object for which the Convention was called having been accomplished the convention was dissolved the Aldermen retiring to their room.

Time of meeting of Board of Aldermen

January 17 1882

On motion of Alderman Burns

Ordered that after the first day of February the regular meetings of the Board shall be on the second and fourth Tuesday evenings of the month.

Adjourned

Adjourned sine die on January 17th 1882 at 7½ P.M.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
January 31, 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Reeves, Wellington, Hurlstone, Page, Clark, Brown, Durgin & Weld present.

Aldermen present

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

Records approved

Order from the Common Council
City of Somerville
In Common Council January 17, 1882.
Ordered
That the Committee on Finance be and they hereby are instructed to take into consideration the appropriation of Seven hundred dollars in making up their list of appropriations for the purpose of the proper observance of Memorial Day the same to be subject to the order of Willard C. Kinsley Post 139, G.A.R. at this City when needed.
In Common Council July 17, 1882.
Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage and sent up for concurrence.
Douglas Frazar Clerk
In Board of Aldermen January 31, 1882.
Order adopted in concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Order ✓
Finance Committee to consider appropriation for memorial day

Paper from Common Council
City of Somerville
In Common Council January 17, 1882.
Ordered:
That the Mayor be and he hereby is instructed to cause the Flags of the City to be displayed and the bells to be rung on the 22 day of February next the same being Washington, Birth day.

Washington's Birth day ✓
Mayor instructed to have bells rung

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In Common Council January 17, 1882.
Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage sent up for concurrence.
Douglas Frazar Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen January 31, 1882
Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Intentions to build Walker Pleasant Ave

Notice of Elijah Walker intention to build on Pleasant Avenue
Referred to the Special Committee on intentions to Build

Jurors drawn

Lester Cole was drawn as Juror to the Superior Court to serve as Grand Juror

Intentions to build Permits granted.

Permits were granted to
Dennis Dorney to raise Building on Webster Avenue
Warren Wheesby to build on Rush Street
Mrs. Sarah J. Price " " " Everett Street
Charles Kirchner " " " White Street

Petition of Alex Wood for permit to open Street

Petition of Alexander Wood
To the Honorable Board of Aldermen
of the City of Somerville
Gentleman
Will your honorable Board permit the street to be opened from house 356 Somerville Avenue to the Main Sewer to connect drain from said house to Common Sewer.
The premises are owned by Miss Martha Frost as her agent I apply to the privilege.
Alex Wood pr. R.H.W.
Referred to the Committee on Sewers
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Report of Special Committee on Intenting to Build — City of Somerville — In Board of Mayor and Aldermen — January 31 1882. — Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of Michael Strum to build a barn shed on Strum Street recommend that the petition be granted — Carl W. Page & Wm Dugan Committee — Report accepted and adopted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Intenting to build Report of Committee

William Armstrong was appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Aldermen as Special Police officer without compensation from the City.

Police officer appointment of

George C. Whitten was appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Aldermen a member of the Board of Health for two years.

Health member appointed.

Report of the Trustees of the Public Library was received and ordered to be printed in the Annual Report of 1881 sent down for concurrence — Charles E. Gilman Clerk — In Common Council February 1 1882, Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Public Library Annual Report of Trustees.

The Report of the Board of Health was accepted and ordered to be printed in the Annual report of 1881 sent down for concurrence — Charles E. Gilman Clerk. — In Common Council February 1 1882 Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Health Annual Report of

Alderman Hewistone was appointed a member of the Committee on Printing.

Printing appointment of Committee.

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Public Library Resignation of Trustee A.M.R.

Communication from Albert M. Robinson Esq.

Somerville January 23, 1882.

To his Honor the Mayor and City Council

Gentleman

Having been a member of the Board of Trustees of the Public Library six years I most respectfully declines to serve any longer although appreciating the honor of the election,

I remain your most obedient servant

Albert M. Robinson

Received read and sent down for information

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council February 1, 1882.

Received and read for information

Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Licenses Report of Committee on Petition of G. W. Kadley

Report of Committee on Licenses.

City of Somerville

In Committee on Licenses January 31, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen.

of Somerville,

The Committee on Licenses to which was referred the petition of G. W. Kadley for a permit to hold concerts and assemblies in Kadley Hall on Saturday evenings recommend that the same be referred to his honor the Mayor with full powers.

For the Committee.

J. F. Wellington Chairman

Police Resolves against removing Police Court

Report accepted and adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Alderman Burns offered the following Resolve.

City of Somerville.

In Board of Mayor and Alderman Jan. 31. 1882.

Resolved that in the opinion of this City Council it would be injurious to the best interests of Somerville to have its Police Court removed and that our representatives

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to the General Court, should and they are hereby requested to oppose all measures tending toward its removal.

Resolve entered receiving its first and second reading and final passage sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council February 1, 1882.

Received its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence

Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Ordinances Clerk of Committees

Ordinance Do Thirty

The Ordinance to amend ordinance numbered 12 entitled "Appointment, compensation and removal of officers"

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Somerville as follows.

Section 1. Ordinance number twelve is hereby amended by striking out all of the first section and substituting therefor the following;

The Mayor and Aldermen shall immediately upon the passage of this Ordinance, and Primarily thereafter as soon after their organization as practicable appoint a clerk of assessors and committees who shall hold his office one year and until another shall be appointed in his stead, subject, however, to removal at any time by the Mayor and Aldermen. He shall with the aid of his assistant, hereinafter provided for perform all the clerical duties required in the office of the board of assessors, obtain from the Middlesex (Southern District) Registry of deeds, all information necessary for the legal assessment of taxes and act as clerk to all the standing committees of the City Government, to the Chief engineer of the Fire department and the superintendent of street, and also as Clerk of the Board of Health and such board or boards of the City as shall request him so to do. He shall receive such compensation for his services as the

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City Council may from time to time determine.
The Mayor and Aldermen shall immediately upon the passage of this Ordinance and annually thereafter as soon after their organization as practicable appoint an assistant clerk of Assessors and Committees who shall hold his office for one year and until another shall be appointed in his stead; subject however to removal at any time by the Mayor and Aldermen.
He shall perform such duties as may be assigned him by the Clerk of Assessors and Committees, subject to the approval of the Mayor and Aldermen, and shall receive such compensation as the City Council may from time to time determine.

In Board of Aldermen, January 31, 1882.
Received its first and second reading and passage to be enrolled, and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

In Common Council February 1, 1882.
Received a first and second reading and passage to be enrolled in concurrence.
Douglas Frazar, Clerk.

Mass Railroad
Charles River
Street Railway

Alderman Wellington offered the following Order
City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen January 31, 1882.
Whereas in the opinion of the City Council of Somerville any enterprise that promises to afford the much needed additional facilities for street railroad communication between this and adjoining Cities and towns should receive all possible public approval and aid.
Now therefore it is hereby ordered that His Honor the Mayor be requested to petition the General Court in aid of the petition of the Charles River Street Railway Company now pending before the same, for the right to operate its road between Cambridge, Somerville, Boston, Brookline and Watertown and that the City Solicitor be instructed to appear in behalf of this City and in aid

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of the said petition before the Committee on Street Railways ——

In Board of Aldermen January 31 1882.

Order adopted and sent down for concurrence

—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council February 1 1882

Concurred in —— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Aldermen Burns offered the following Order

—— City of Somerville ——

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

—— January 31, 1882.

Ordered

That a joint Special Committee consisting of two Aldermen and three Councilmen be appointed to consider that part of the Mayors Inaugural address relating to the Public Library and to report some plan by which it can be provided with more room either by removing some or all of the departments now occupying the City Hall to the Police Buildings on Bow Street or enlarging the City Hall together with the estimated cost of the same ——

Order adopted Aldermen Burns and Durgin appointed on the part of this Branch and sent down for concurrence.

—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk ——

In Common Council February 1 1882 ——

Concurred in and Councilmen Beals Richards and Gives appointed on the part of this Branch.

—— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Public Library Committee appointed to consider that part of the mayors address relating to the Library

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Aldermen Weld offered the following Order

—— City of Somerville ——

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen ——

—— January 31, 1882.

Ordered That the Joint Standing Committee on Water be, and they are hereby requested to take into

Water Order Joint Standing Com. to consider revision of Water contract

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consideration the subject of a revision of the present water contract with the City of Boston and to report to the City Council as soon as practicable.
Order adopted and sent down for concurrence.
—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council February 1, 1882,
Concurred in —— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Annual Reports Committee to obtain proposals for printing them

Alderman Weld Hered the following Order
—— City of Somerville ——
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
—— January 31, 1882. ——
Ordered:
That with a view to the early issue of the City Reports for the year 1881, the Committee on Printing be and they are hereby instructed to obtain and present to the City Council estimates for the printing and binding of said reports based upon number of copies and amount of printed matter of the reports of the preceding year with pro rata for diminution or increase in number of copies or in printed matter. ——
Order adopted and sent down for concurrence.
—— Charles E. Gilman City Clerk
In Common Council February 1, 1882.
Concurred in —— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Assessor Principal Election of

On motion of Alderman Clark proceeded to the election of a Principal for three years

Aldermen Clark and Thomas were appointed a Committee to receive sort and count the ballots for a Principal Assessor for three years.

—— Report of Committee ——
—— City of Somerville ——
In Board of Aldermen January 31, 1882
The Committee appointed to receive sort and count the

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vites for a Principal Assessor for three years, having attended to that duty report as follows.

Whole number of ballots		8
Necessary to a Choice		5
Frank G Williams	Had	1
F G Williams	"	2
G W Hadley	"	1
George W Hadley	"	4

George W Hadley was declared elected as one of the principal assessors for three years —

Alderman Wood Speed the Planning Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

January 31, 1882.

Order

Mayor & City Solicitor to oppose certain petitions to the Legislature

Ordered

That His Honor the Mayor and the City Solicitor be and they are hereby requested to appear in behalf of this City before the General Court of this Commonwealth or any Committee thereof, having the matter under consideration and protect the interests of Somerville in the question of a proposed Metropolitan System of Sewerage, and to oppose the proposed annexation of certain Territory of Somerville to Cambridge — the application for Legislation upon the matter of assessing grade damages at Railroad Crossings — and the application of the Boston and Maine Railroad Corporation for additional tracks between Mystic River and its Maine Depot in Boston — On motion of Alderman Burns the subject matter of the order was divided —

The preamble and first division as follows — And protect the interest of Somerville in the question of a proposed Metropolitan System of Sewerage — was adopted —

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Second Division

And to oppose the proposed annexation of certain territory of Somerville to Cambridge

Alderman Burns moved to strike out the word oppose and add protect the interests of the City.

The amendment was rejected that portion of the order was adopted.

Third Division The application for legislation upon the matter of assessing grade damages at Railroad Crossings was adopted

Fourth Division

And the application of the Boston and Maine Railroad Corporation for additional tracks between Mystic River and its Maine Depot in Boston was adopted.

The order as a whole was adopted and sent down for concurrence Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council February 1 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

The Rules and Orders adopted by the Common Council was read for information

Notice from Committee of Street Railways

The following notice was received from the Committee on Street Railways of the State Legislature.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Committee on Street Railways State House

Boston Jany 23. 1882

To City Clerk of Somerville

The Committee on Street Railways will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition asking for a charter to an elevated Railroad in and between the cities of Boston Cambridge and Somerville at the State House on Tuesday January 31 at 10 o'clock A. M.

J. K. O'Neil Clerk of the Committee

Read for information Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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The following notice was received from the Committee on Cities of the State Legislature

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Committee on Cities

State House Boston January 25, 1882.

To the Mayor and City Government

of City of Somerville

The Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of James W. Sex Mayor of Cambridge for an act to annex to said city such portion of the Alms House Farm of said City, as is included within the territorial limits of the City of Somerville at the green room in the State House on Wednesday February 8th 1882, at 11 o'clock A.M.

Wm. E. Town Clerk of the Committee

Read for information

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Notice from Legislative Com on Cities Hearing on petition of Mayor of Cambridge

The following notice was received from the Committee on Cities of the State Legislature

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Committee on Cities

State House Boston January 25, 1882.

To the Mayor and City Government

of the City of Somerville

The Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of William Frostwell others that ascertain portion of the territory of Somerville west of Oxford Street Connexed to Cambridge at the Green Room at State House on Wednesday February 8th 1882, at 11 o'clock A.M.

Wm. E. Town Clerk of Committee

Read for information Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Notice from Legislative committee on Cities Hearing on petition of Wm Frostwell others

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Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
February 8, 1882
Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen present

Aldermen Bearcross, Wellington, Rowlstone, Page Clark Burns and Weld present.

Record of last meeting, read and approved;

Bonds
Order City Clerk to furnish

Order from Council
City of Somerville
In Common Council February 1, 1882.
Ordered.
That the City Clerk be requested to furnish a bond in the sum of One thousand dollars with sufficient sureties, for the faithful performance of his duties, as required in Section 5 of Ordinance 7 of the revised City Ordinances
Order adopted and sent up for concurrence
Douglas Frazar, Clerk.
In Board of Aldermen February 8, 1882.
Concurred in
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Committees Council
Appointment of

Paper from the Common Council
City of Somerville
In Common Council February 1, 1882
The Chair made the following announcement of additional appointments to Committees viz.

Printing Committee
Councilman Fitts

Joint Standing Committee on Printing
Councilman Fitts, to fill the vacancy caused by the refusal of Councilman Bonney to serve.
Councilman Janvrin to comply with new Joint Rules and Orders.

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Joint Standing Committee on Soldiers Relief — Councilman Weston to fill vacancy caused by the refusal of Councilman Binney to serve	Soldiers Relief, Committee of Council ✓
Committee on Enrolled Ordinances and Resolutions of the Common Council — Councilman Stodder to fill vacancy caused by the refusal of Councilman Binney to serve —	Ordinance Committee of Council ✓
Committee on Engineering — Councilmen Steele, Russell and Tilts sent up for information — Douglas Frazar Clerk. In Board of Aldermen — February 8. 1882. — Read for information — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.	Engineering Committee of Council ✓
Petition of Owen Horgan for the extension of Sewer in Line Street about 200 feet easterly referred to the Committee on Sewers	Sewer Line Street Petition for ✓
Petition of Benj Leeds and others for a Sewer in Ashland Street — Referred to the Committee on Sewers.	Sewer Ashland Street petition for ✓
Petition of George Bangs for a License to post Bills Referred to the Committee on Licenses	License petition of George Bangs ✓
Permits granted to Owen Horgan to build on Line St and Daniel O'Hearn on Lane Street —	Intention to build Owen Horgan ✓
Report of Chief of Police received and read for information and placed on file	Police Report of Chief ✓

February 8. 1882

Intentions to Build. Report of Com.

Report of Special Committee on Intentions to Build City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen February 8. 1882.

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of Elijah Walker to erect a wooden dwelling house on Pleasant Avenue Recommend that the petition be granted. C. H. Page for Committee

Report accepted and adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Poor. Annual Report of Overseers

Annual Report of the Overseers of the Poor was received ordered to be printed in the Annual Report of 1881, and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council February 8. 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Petition of Nathaniel B. Clapp for the removal of the Plank and Board obstruction on Wallace Street Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council February 8. 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Line Street Petition of F. O'Neil and others

Petition of James F. O'Neil and others

We the undersigned citizens do petition your Honorable Board to restrain the City and others from making Line Street a public dump

Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council February 8. 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

February 8, 1882

Report of Commissioners of Sinking fund.
City of Somerville.

Sinking funds Report of Commissioners

In Board of Commissioners
of the Sinking funds January 31. 1882
to the Honorable the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Somerville.
Gentlemen.

The undersigned present herewith their sixth annual Report as Commissioners of the Sinking funds of this City.

The amount of the funds January 25. 1881 as per report of that date was $253,764.95
The increase during the year 1881 was
Contribution by the City for the year 45,525.00
Interest on City Bonds in sinking funds 12,772.50
Interest on deposits in Banks 201.14
Total sinking funds at this date $312,263.59

Invested as follows.
In Bonds of the City of Somerville $264,500, 5 per cents
and $44,500 5% per cents $309,000.00
Deposits in banks & drawing interest 3,263.57 $312,263.59

Respectfully submitted
Nathan Chifts, John H. Hughes, Henry F. Woods
Commissioners

Received and ordered to be printed in the Annual Reports of 1881 sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council February 8, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

The petition of John F. Dunn and others for the removal of the watering trough on Union Square was referred to the Committee on Highways sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Watering trough Union Square petition for removal

In Common Council February 8, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

February 8, 1882

City Engineer Annual Report

The report of the City Engineer was received and ordered to be printed in the Annual Reports of 1881, sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council February 8, 1881.
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

School Committee appropriation asked for

Communication from School Committee to His Honor the Mayor and the City Council.

The School Committee respectfully request an appropriation of $81,000 to meet the current expenses of the Public Schools for the year 1882, the same to be applied as follows:

Repairs, Insurance, Rent	$5,000
Fuel	3,500
Teachers Salaries	63,000
School Contingent	9,500
	$81,000

School House additional accommodations asked for

They further request that additional School accommodations may be furnished in East Somerville district, and recommend the enlargement of the Edgerly School house by the addition of four School rooms.

J. F. Davis Secretary.

Received referred to the Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council February 8, 1882.
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Police Chief ordered to enforce Ordinances

Alderman Held offered the following order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen Feb. 8, 1882.
Ordered that the Chief of Police be and hereby is directed to enforce that portion of Paragraph 6, Section 1, Ordinances No 22 relating to the sprinkling of salt on or over the Tracks of the

steel railways.
In Board of Aldermen Order adopted.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Report of the Finance Committee
City of Somerville
In Committee on Finance Feby 4th 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Finance to whom was referred the Annual Report of the Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the year ending Dec 31 1881, respectfully report that they have carefully examined the same in connection with the books, warrants, and vouchers in the Treasurer's office and compared his report and books with the books and accounts of the Auditor and of the several Committees and have found them to be accurate in every particular. We desire to express our great satisfaction with the remarkably neat, careful and faithful manner in which the accounts of our retiring treasurer and Collector have been kept and recommend that his report be accepted. For the Committee
Mark F. Burns Chairman.
Report received accepted adopted and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council Feby 8. 1882.
Concurred in. Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Finance Com. report of examination of Treasurer's Books

Alderman Burns offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
February 8. 1882.

Ordered:
That the Committee on Public Property are hereby instructed to procure plans and specifications for an addition of four rooms to the Edgerly School House as asked for by the School Committee the expense to be

School House Edgerly " addition to Com to procure plans &c

February 8. 1882

Charged to Miscellaneous Account:
Order adopted, receiving its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council February 8. 1882
Order adopted by receiving a first and second reading and final passage in concurrence
——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Annual Report, Proposals for Printing; Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Printing
——— City of Somerville ———
In Committee on Printing February 8. 1882.
——— To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Printing in compliance with an order dated January 31. 1882, have solicited proposals to print the annual report for the year 1881 in the basis of the amount of matter in the reports for 1880 with a pro rata increase or decrease in price as the case may be and have received proposals as follows
from Rand Avery and Co ——— $804.40
" Wright & Potter Printing Co ——— 573.90
" W. Lord & Mudge & Sons ——— 542.30
" J. C. Hayden & Co ——— 530.40
and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to J. C. Hayden & Co
——— For the Committee Wm. E. Weld Chairman
Report accepted adopted and sent down for concurrence
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk ———
In Common Council February 8. 1882.
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

February 8. 1882

Alderman Weed offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

February 8. 1882.

Annual Report Committee on Printing authorised to contract with J. C. Hayden & Co

Ordered

That the Committee on Printing be and is hereby authorised and instructed to cause to be printed under contract, by J. C. Hayden & Co, at the prices named in their proposal referred to in said Committee's report of this date, 1500 copies of the annual reports for the year 1881, submitted by the several Committees and Boards, in a combined form, one hundred and fifty copies to be bound in cloth and thirteen hundred and fifty copies to be bound in paper also 100 copies of the report of the Water Board 300 copies of the report of the Trustees of the Public Library 300 copies of the report of the School Committee, 300 copies of the report of the Board of Health and 100 copies of the report of the City Engineer to be bound in paper and separately, the cost of said printing and binding to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Order received its first and second reading and final passage, and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council February 8. 1882.

Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.

Douglas Frazar Clerk

Alderman Weed offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

February 8. 1882.

Convention Order for

Ordered that it be proposed to the Common Council to meet that branch of the City Government in convention this evening for the purpose of electing a Trustee of the

February 8. 1882

Public Library To fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of W. M. Robinson.
Order adopted Alderman Weld appointed to convey the message to the Common Council.
Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

In Common Council February 8. 1882.
Concurred in and Councilman Binney appointed to convey the message to the Board of Aldermen
Douglas Frazar, Clerk.

Public Library Convention Election of Trustee Public Library

Two Branches In Convention.
In accordance with an order passed this day a Convention of the two branches were held for the election of a Trustee of the Public Library to fill a vacancy in that Board caused by the resignation of W. M. Robinson.

Mayor Cummings presiding
Commission of Councilman Binney presided to balance.
Alderman Weld, Councilmen Weston and Davis were appointed a Committee to receive sort and count the votes
Report of the Committee
Whole number of ballots 22
Necessary for a choice 12
Christopher Enymes had 22 and was declared elected for three years.
Wm E Weld - D. S. Weston Levi F. Davis Committee.
The object for which the Convention was called having been accomplished the convention was dissolved the Aldermen retiring to their room.
Charles E. Gilman
Clerk.

Telegraph & Telephone appointment of Superintendent

James R. Hopkins was appointed and confirmed Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephone lines without Compensation.

February 8. 1882

Dickinson Wellington offered the following Order

City of Sommerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

February 8. 1882.

Received.

That in the opinion of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Sommerville the action of the Union Railway Company in the non-removal of snow and ice from the streets in which the tracks of said company are located and the treatment of the request of the Highways Committee to remove the same deserves and hereby receives the severe condemnation on the part of this Board, and be it ordered that the City Clerk be directed to send a copy of this vote to the Directors of said Company.

Resolve received its first and second reading.

Final passage received.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Railroad Reserve Union Co

Ordinance No. 30. Amending Ordinance No. 12. Clerk of Assessors and Committees was received endorsed as follows

In Committee on Enrolled Ordinances Feby 8. 1882.

We the undersigned certify that we have compared the within ordinance with its enrolment and find it to be truly and correctly enrolled in the Record Book of the Common Council for the year 1882 page 107.

Jos. F. Davis, F. C. M. Hodder, Henry M. Beals

Committee.

In Common Council February 8. 1882.

Passed to be ordained.

Arthur A. Terry

President of Common Council.

Ordinance No. 30 Clerk of Assessors & Committees

February 8, 1882

Ordinances no 30 Clerk of Assessors

In Board of Aldermen.
Referred to the Committee on Enrolled Ordinances.
Report of Committee
In Committee on Enrolled Ordinances
February 8, 1882.
We the undersigned certify that we have compared the within Ordinance with its enrolment and find it to be truly and correctly enrolled in the Record Book of Aldermen for the year 1882, Page 515.
Report accepted and passed to be ordained
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
Approved February 8, 1882.
John H. Cummings Mayor

Assessors & Com. Clerk of

The Mayor appointed and the Aldermen concurred George Vincent Clerk of Assessors and Committees

Assessors Committees Assistant Clerk of

The Mayor appointed and the Aldermen concurred William P. Mitchell assistant to the Clerk of Assessors and Committees

School Committee Annual Report of

The Annual Report of the School Committee was received, and on motion of Alderman Field was referred back to the School Committee with a request that it may be condensed as much as possible sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.
In Common Council February 8, 1882.
Ben concurred in sent up for information.
Douglas Frazar Clerk.
In Board of Aldermen February 8, 1882.
Voted to adhere to former action sent down for information
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

February 8, 1882

In Common Council February 8, 1882.
Voted to adhere to former action sent up for
information ——— (Douglas Frazar Clerk)

Alderman Wellington moved that the Aldermen
recede from their former action relative to the
annual report of the School Committee
the motion was lost.

Alderman Burns offered the following
Amendment to the Ordinances ———
——— City of Somerville ———
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
——— February 8, 1882,
Be it ordained by the City Council of the
City of Somerville as follows,
Will Ordinance no 4, be amended by inserting
after the word "City" in line 36 page 14,
the words "together with certified statements of the
same"
Received its first and second reading and passage
to be enrolled sent down for concurrence.
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Ordinance no 4. Amended

——— (Adjourned) ———
——— (Charles E. Gilman) ———
——— Clerk ———

February 14 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
February 14. 1882.
Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Nourse, Wellington, Houlston, Page Clark Duryea and Weld present

Records of last meeting read and approved.

Paper from the Common Council

Committees Common Council

In Common Council February 8. 1882.
The Chair announced the following additional appointment on Committees.
Committee Soldiers Relief
Councilman Stodder to fill vacancy caused by Councilman Weston being excused sent up for information (Douglas Frazar Clerk)

In Board of Aldermen
Read for information
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Intention to Build L. W. Chamberlin

A permit was granted L. W. Chamberlin to build on Concord Avenue

Sewer Ashland Street petition for

Petition of Caroline A. Conant for a Sewer in Ashland Street
Referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Driveway Petition of Michael Moran

Petition of Michael Moran for a driveway at his residence corner of Beach & Spring Street
Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for Concurrence. (Charles E. Gilman, Clerk)
In Common Council February 14. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

February 14, 1882

Petition of Nicholas Fleming and others that a Fire Alarm Box be placed at the Corner Kent Street and Beacon Street.
Referred to the Committee on Fire Department and sent down for Concurrence.
—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council February 14, 1882
Concurred in —— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Fire Dept. Petition for a Fire Alarm Box

Petition of William H. Muzzey and others that Bentam Street may be laid out as a public Street referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence —— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council February 14, 1882.
Concurred in —— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets Bentam Street Petition of W. H. Muzzey & others

Petition of John Henie that the brick sidewalk adjoining his premises on Harvard and Summer Street, may be repaired. was
Referred to the Committee on Highways.
—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sidewalks petition of John Henie

Petition of Miller Bros & Co.
That a permit may be granted them to build an Engine house "brick" 30 x 27 two stories and run a forty horse power engine, on Beacon near Sacramento Street on the line of the Pittsburg Rail Road;
Referred to the Special Committee on Intentions to build.
—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Miller Bros. to petition for permit to Build & run Steam Boilers

A permit was granted J. C. Snow to build a shop in the rear of the Baptist Church on Broadway.

Intention to Build J. C. Snow

February 14. 1882

Water Board Annual Report	Report of the Somerville Mystic Water Board was received and referred to the Committee on Printing to be printed in the Annual Report of 1881. and sent down for concurrence. —— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council February 14. 1882. Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.
School Committee Annual Report.	Annual Report of the School Committee taken from the file and the Board voted to recede from its former action and referred the same to the Committee on Printing to be printed in the Annual Report of 1881. and sent down for concurrence —— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council February 14. 1882. Referred the report to the Committee on Printing to be printed in the annual report of 1881 in concurrence D. Frazar Clerk
City Physician resignation of.	Communication from Dr. Couch City Physician Bow Street Somerville January 31. 1882. To His Honor the Mayor —— Dear Sir —— So much of my time is taken up in attending to my private practice, that I feel it necessary to tender my resignation as City Physician and member of the Board of Health, to take effect on the appointment of my successor. —— I remain respectfully yours —— John F. Couch M.D. —— Read and placed on file. ——
City Physician appointment of	The Mayor appointed and the Aldermen confirmed Thomas M. Durell as City Physician

February 28, 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
February 28, 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Monroe, Wellington, Rowstone, Page Clark, Burns, Lunyin and Weld present

Records of last meeting read and approved.

The following permits to Build were granted:
James G. Shaplegh on Quincy Street
Mark Laighton " Glen Street
M. W. Mullen " Brook Street
Douglas Spence " Hawkins Street

Intentions to Build

G. W. Washburn was appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Aldermen Special Police officer without compensation.

Policeman Appointment of

Petition of J. J. Wood and others for a plank walk to be laid on the north side of Washington Street between Medford and Tufts Street. Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for Concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council March 2, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Sidewalk Washington St. petition for plank

Petition of the members of the Police Force for an increase of pay was referred to the Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council March 2, 1882.
Concurred in
Douglas Frazar Clerk

Police Petition for increase of pay

February 28, 1882

Jurors. — Marion P. Conant, Charles Davis & James B. Hardy were drawn to serve as Traverse Jurors at the Superior Court to be holden at Lowell on the second Monday of March next.

Steam Boiler petition of J. A. McLane — Petition of J. A. McLane, February 28, 1882. To his Honor the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

Gentlemen I do hereby petition your Honorable body to locate a two-horse Steam Boiler on my premises Church Street for the purpose of making paste.

Referred to the Special Committee on Intentions to build — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Streets Report of Com. on petition of N. B. Clapp — Report of Committee on Highways — City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways Feby 20. 1882. To the City Council of Somerville.

The Committee on Highways, to which was referred the petition of Nathaniel B. Clapp that the plank and board obstruction on sidewalk on Wallace Street be removed, reports that the sidewalks in question have been repaired and put in good condition by the Superintendent of Streets.

— By order of the Committee —

— George T. Vincent Clerk —

Report accepted and sent down for Concurrence

— Charles E. Gilman Clerk —

In Common Council March 2. 1882 — Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Railroad Gates Somerville Ave — Return of County Commissioners relating to the erection of Gates on Somerville Avenue was read for Information

— Adjourned Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

March 14. 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
March 14. 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen, Mearon, Wellington, Roulstone, Sage, Clark, Burns, Durgin and Weld present.

Record of last meeting read & approved

Paper from the Common Council.
In Common Council March 2. 1882.

Ordered

That the Committee on Fire Department be instructed to consult with the School Committee as to the feasibility of building a Tower upon the Franklin School House in Somerville and attaching thereto a Bell and fire alarm striker

Martin Binney

Referred to the Committee on Fire Department and sent up for concurrence

Douglas Frazar Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen March 14. 1882.
Concurred in Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Fire dept — petition for a Fire alarm striker

James McCrosson was granted a License to collect old junk.

License old junk James McCrosson

Petition of John P. Squires and others that Fifth Street be graded for public travel was received to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council March 16. 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Streets Sixth Street — petition of John P. Squires and others

March 14, 1882

Streets Sixth Street laying out of Petition of P Squires	Petition of John P Squires and others that Sixth Street be graded for public travel was referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for Concurrence ——— Charles E Gilman Clerk. In Common Council, March 16, 1882. Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk
Sewer Rush Street petition for	Petition of W P Crosby and others for a Sewer in Rush Street Referred to the Committee on Sewers.
Intentions to build Charles C Beals Medford street	Petition of Charles C Beals for a permit to erect a Stable on Medford Street corner of School Street on land of Boston and Lowell Rail Road Co. Referred to the Committee on Intentions to build.
Petition of Eagle Shade Roller Co to use Steam Boiler	Petition of the Eagle Shade Roller Company that they may have a permit to maintain and use a steam boiler and Engine now located in their factory on the corner of Washington and Hawkins Street Referred to the Committee on intentions to build.
Petition of Eagle Shade Roller Co for permit to construct a driveway	Petition of the Eagle Shade Roller Company. Somerville March 13. 1882. The undersigned respectfully pray that the Eagle Shade Roller Company be permitted to remove a part of the rails from the bridge on Washington Street which crosses the Fitchburg Rail Road and construct a driveway or there connecting their factory to the side walk and street, also be permitted to use the side walk in loading and unloading goods ——— J M Osgood President Referred to the Chairman of the Committee on Highways, and Fire Department.

March 14 1882

Petition of Freeman H. Sparrow that a driveway may be constructed at his residence on Everett Avenue the expense to be charged to him. Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. In Common Council March 16 concurred in ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council March 16. 1882 Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk	Streets. Driveway on Everett Avenue petition of Fitz Sparrow
Report of the Chief of Police was received and read for information	Police. Report of Chief
Report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department was received read and sent down for information. In Common Council March 16. 1882. Received and read for information Douglas Frazar Clerk	Fire department Report of Chief
P. S. Arnold and Peter Savage were appointed and confirmed as Special Policemen without pay	Policemen Special Appointment of
Noah Harding was appointed and confirmed Sealer of Weights and Measures.	Sealer of Weights & Measures appointed
Petition of William Jaques and others, that Mystic Avenue be thoroughly repaired was. Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council March 16. 1882. Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.	Streets Mystic Avenue petition of Wm Jaques and others.
Report of Committee on Intentions to build. ——— In Board of Aldermen March 14, 1882, your Committee to whom was referred the petitions of James A. McLean to maintain a Steam Boiler on Clark Place and of Miller Bros & Co to maintain a steam Boiler on their premises on Sacramento Street	Intentions to build Report of Committee on petition of J. A. McLean and Miller Bros. Steam Boilers

March 14. 1882

recommend that the aforesaid petitions be granted.
——— J. B. Durgin C. A. Page
Report accepted and adopted.
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Licenses
Posting of Bills
Report of Com

Report of Committee on Licenses.
——— City of Somerville ———
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
——— March 14, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the petition of George Bangs for a License to post bills, would recommend that the same be referred to the Mayor in accordance with the provisions of Section 27. of Ordinance No 15.
——— J. F. Wellington J. L. Norcross ———
Report accepted and adopted ———
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. ———

Sewers
Report of Committee on petition of Alexander Wood

Report of Committee on Sewers ———
——— City of Somerville ———
In Committee on Sewers March 3. 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen ———
——— of the City of Somerville ———
The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Alexander Wood for a permit to open the street for the purpose of laying a private drain from house #356 Somerville Avenue to the Common Sewer report that a permit to lay said drain has been issued by the City Engineer.
——— By order of the Committee ———
——— George Vincent Clerk
Report accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

March 14 1882

Alderman Weed offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
March 14, 1882.

Printing Ordinances in Somerville Journal

Ordered:
That the Committee on Printing be and is hereby authorized and instructed to cause to be published in the Somerville Journal, all of the ordinances of the city, in accordance with Section 2 of Ordinance Number 1, the expense to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.
Order received its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council March 16. 1882.
Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading & final passage in concurrence. Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Alderman Weed offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
March 14, 1882.

Printing Ordinances Order to print

Ordered:
That the Committee on Printing be and is hereby authorized and instructed to have a suitable number (not to exceed six hundred) copies of the City Ordinances printed, together with the City Charter, and references to acts in amend thereof the expense to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.
Order received its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council March 16. 1882.
Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.
Douglas Frazar Clerk

March 14 1882

Schools Edgerly house addition to Report of Com

Report of Committee on Public Property
City of Somerville

In Committee on Public Property March 11. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville:
The Committee on Public Property in re. Kowas instructed by an order dated February 8. 1882, to procure plans and specifications for an addition of four rooms to the Edgerly School House the expense to be charged to Miscellaneous account — reports that plans have been received from S. S. Woodcock, Samuel D. Kelley, John L. Sasin, and Arthur Kimal without expense to the City, and the plans by Samuel D. Kelley with specifications &c. herewith submitted with a recommendation that they be adopted.

By order of the Committee
George F. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted, adopted and sent down for concurrence — Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council March 16. 1882.
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Alderman Clark offered the following Order
City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
March 14. 1882.

Ordered that the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorized and instructed to solicit proposals to build an addition to the Edgerly School House in accordance with plans and specifications drawn by Samuel D. Kelley Architect, and presented to the City Council by said Committee this day, the expense incurred to be charged to Edgerly School House additional account.

Order received its first and second readings and final passage and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council March 16. 1882.
Order adopted in preceding its concurrence and sent [illegible]
Douglas Frazar Clerk

Committee on Public Property — to issue an order for proposals to construct additions to Edgerly School House —

March 14 1882

Finance Order authorising Committee to Borrow

Aldermen Burns offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

March 14, 1882

Ordered:

That for the purpose of providing for the payment of the current expenses of the city, the Committee on Finance be and they are hereby authorised to borrow in anticipation of taxes for the current year not exceeding the sum of twenty five thousand dollars, for a term not exceeding eight months and the Treasurer is hereby authorised under the direction of said Committee to give a note or notes of the City therefor payable from the moneys collected for said taxes to be approved by the Mayor —

Order received its first reading, and under a suspension of the rules its second reading, and final passage and sent down for concurrence

Charles E Gilman Clerk

In Common Council March 16. 1882.

Order adopted by receiving its first reading and under a suspension of the rules orders its second reading and final passage in concurrence — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Police Report of Com

Report of Committee on Police

City of Somerville.

In Committee on Police March 4, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen

of Somerville

The Committee on Police to which was referred the petition of Michael Lynch for a hearing in regard to an alleged assault made upon him by Police Sergeant Lynch the 23 of October last report that the petitioner has been heard and the matter fully investigated by the Committee and it is hereby recommended that no further action be taken in the matter. By order of the Committee George I Vincent Clerk

Report accepted — Charles E Gilman Clerk.

March 14 1882

Sewer Line Street Report of Com

Report of Committee on Sewers

March 3. 1883.

In Committee on Sewers

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers to whom was referred the petition of Owen Morgan and others for an extension of the sewer in Line Street about 200 feet eastwardly reports recommending that the petitioners have leave to withdraw, but that they be allowed to lay a private drain to said sewer.

By order of the Committee

Geo. F. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted & adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Ordinances No. 31. Finance

Alderman Weld offered the following Ordinance

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

March 14, 1882.

Ordinance No. 31.

An Ordinance to amend ordinance number four entitled "Finance"

Be it ordained &c

Sect 1. The fourth paragraph of section four of Ordinance number four is hereby amended by inserting after the words "Indebted to the City" the words "together with certified statements of the same" so that the paragraph shall read, the said Committees, boards, and officers of the City shall as often as practicable cause to be delivered to the Treasurer for collection all accounts against persons indebted to the City together with certified statements of the same and no Committee, board or officer except the Treasurer shall receive payment of any such account.

Received its first and second reading and passed to be enrolled and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

March 14. 1882

Aldermen Weld offered the following order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen March 14. 1882

Ordered

That Section 40 to 48, inclusive, of the Public Statutes of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts relating to Steam Engines, Furnaces, and boilers be and the same are hereby adopted.

Order adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council March 14 1882 Concurred in Chapin Mayor Clerk

acceptance of Legislative acts relating to steam boilers &c

Report of Committee on Finance

Appropriations 1882

City of Somerville

In Committee on Finance

March 13, 1882.

Finance Report of Committee

To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Finance required by section 1 of Ordinance No 1, to prepare and lay before the City Council an estimate of the amount of money necessary to be raised for the current financial year and the ways and means of raising the same, and having received from the several committees and boards, having the expenditure of the City's money estimates of the in several requirements, submits its report for the present year, recommending for the following named purposes the sum set down to each respectively, and that the same be raised on the polls, property and estates taxable in the City, according to the provisions of law.

Fire Department including the salaries of Chief Engineer $1000.00

" Assistant Engineer — Report amended by aldermen to 300.00 — 400.00 by concurrence of Aldermen adopted by both Branches $300.00

" Engineer of Steamer — Report amended by aldermen to 900.00 — 950.00 concurred in by council

" Fireman " — 780.00

" Drivers each — 780.00

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And Of Call men _____
Foremen each _____ 96.00 _____
Assistant Foremen " _____ 85.00 _____
Other Call men " _____ 75.00 Total $ 22000.00

Health Department _____
(including salary of Inspector $500) _____ 2500.00.

Highways _____
Including salary of the Superintendent 1400.00 salary amended to 1500
_____ Appropriation 28000 amended to 30,000.00

Interest
on funded debt and temporary loans to which
amount shall be added the sums received from
the State for Corporation and Bank Taxes _____ 70,000.00

Miscellaneous _____
for contingent purposes including pay of
Ward Officers Wardens each $400 per day _____
Clerks _____ " _____ 400 " " _____
Inspectors _____ " _____ 300 " " _____
Sealer of Weights and Measures $ 100.00 _____
_____ (Pound) Keeper 25.00 _____
Total _____ 7,000.00

Police
for Contingent purposes and salaries _____
of Chief _____ 1400.00 _____
" Captain _____ 1100.00 _____
" Sergeants (2) each _____ 950.00 _____
" Patrolmen (20) _____ 2.50 per day _____
Lock up Keeper $200.00
Total _____ 22,500.00

Police Station Incidentals
Including salary of janitor $760.0 amended by adding $200 making it $2000.00 1,800.00

Public Library _____ 1,500.00
Public Park Maintenance _____ 1,500.00

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Salaries

of Mayor	$1,000.00
" City Clerk (he to furnish his own assistant	2,100.00
" City Treasurer " " " " "	3,000.00
" Treasurer of Sinking Funds	200.00
" City Engineer (he to furnish his own team	2,000.00
" City Solicitor	(amended -100.00 making $1,000.00) 1,000.00
" City Physician (including all medicines	700.00
" City Auditor	300.00
" Clerk of Common Council	200.00
" Clerk of Assessors & Committees	1,600.00
" Asst Clerk of " " "	800.00
" City Messenger (he to furnish his own team	1,300.00
" Assessors (3) each $500.00	1,500.00
" Assistant Assessors (4) each $200.00	800.00
" City Engineers Assistants	1200.00
Inspector of Buildings	200.00
Total	$17,900.00

School Contingent

including Superintendents salary and Miscellaneous (by) the Committee — 9,000.00

School Fuel	3,500.00
School House Incidentals — amended by adding $500.00 making it $6,500.00	6,000.00
School Teachers Salaries	63,000.00
Tenors	14,000.00
Sidewalks	2,600.00
Sinking Fund Contributions	45,525.00
Soldiers Relief	225.00
Street Lights	7,000.00

Support of Poor

Including Salaries

of Overseers (3) each	300.00
" Secretary	200.00
" Store Keeper	300.00
Total	$14,000.00

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Water Loan Interest

To which shall be added the sum received from the City of Boston for relaying in Main streets _____ $2000.00

Water Maintenance

including salary of Superintendent of Main Works (by the Water Board) _____ 12000.00

(Indigent) Soldiers and Sailors _____ 500.00

Edgerly School House Addition _____ 16,000.00

Watering Streets _____ 2700.00

Report of Finance Com. amounting in the aggregate to $372,750.00

Amended in Board of Aldermen by adding _____ 2,700.00

(Total) _____ $375,450.00

By order of the Committee Total as amended $376,850.00

_____ (Mark F. Bruno Chairman) _____

_____ (George Sibley Clerk) _____

In Board of Aldermen

Report as amended accepted, adopted, and sent down for concurrence _____ (Charles E. Gilmore Clerk)

March 14. 1882

Paper returned from the Council
Ordinance amending Ordinance No Four,
entered on fellow. ——

In Committee on Enrolled Ordinances of the
Common Council February 16. 1882 ——
We the undersigned members of the above Committee
certify that we have examined and compared the
within amendment of Ordinance No. 4 as enrolled
on the record book of the Clerk of the Common
Council and find it truly and correctly enrolled.
Sec. F. J. Davis, F. M. Stodder, Henry M. Beals —
In Common Council February 16. 1882. ——
Passed to be ordained. Albion P. Perry.
—— President of the Common Council

In Board of Aldermen March 14. 1882.
In Committee of Enrolled Ordinances
March 14. 1882. ——
We the undersigned members of the above
Committee certify that we have examined
and compared the within amendment of Ordinance
No. 4. as enrolled on the Record Book of the Clerk
of the Board of Aldermen and find it truly
and correctly enrolled.
—— E. C. Clark, B. P. Page Committee ——
In Board of Aldermen March 14. 1882 ——
Passage to be Ordained — Refused ——
—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Ordinance No 4 in Council

Ordinance No 4 in Board of Aldermen

March 14. 1882

Report of Joint Special Committee relating to the Public Library

Report of Joint Special Committee relating to the Public Library

Somerville March 14, 1880.

To his Honor the Mayor

and the City Council.

The Joint Special Committee appointed to consider that part of the Mayor's Inaugural address relating to the public library, and to report some plan by which it can be provided with more room, either by building an addition to the City Hall or removing some or all of the City departments to the Police Building on Bow Street together with the estimated cost of the same respectfully submit the following report.

We have carefully considered several plans in connection with a Committee of the Trustees of the Public Library consisting of Messrs Lincoln, Haynes and Buffum the first of which was the recommendation of his honor the Mayor that of building an addition to the Eastern end of the City Hall for the accommodation of the public library. We find that it is the opinion of the trustees that the addition ought to be at least twice as large as the room they now occupy in order to supply their immediate wants, and to build such an addition which would be thirty six by fifty feet of brick one story high with a flat roof would cost forty eight hundred dollars to which must be added five hundred dollars for stone steps to entrance from School Street. In the opinion of your committee if the improvements was to be made it would be advisable to use the present library room for a City Treasurer's office, and an assessors room in which case it would be necessary to build a fire proof vault in the centre of the room for their use at an additional cost of moving the partitions painting & would be one hundred and fifty dollars more, making the total cost of the improvement sixty three hundred dollars. These estimates are furnished us by Alderman G. T. Burnham

the great cost of making this improvement together with the fact that it would only provide temporarily for the wants of these departments, and the loss that no one would be satisfied with it after it was completed caused the Committee to vote unanimously against recommending this plan.

The Committee also considered the plan of putting a basement story under the City Hall for the accommodation of the public library in accordance with the plans provided by the City Council in 1879. A Church no member of the Committee or of the Trustees found the plans, we got Mr Burnham to estimate the cost of the alteration for the benefit of the City Council; as he was familiar with the plans, having put in a bid for the work when they were considered, he was able to give us a very liable estimate. It was as follows:

New brick and carpenters work as per plans & specifications	6500.00
New vault (same as the other estimate	550.00
Moving partitions, same as the other estimate	150.00
Additional cost to moving earth, grading &c	500.00
Total	8000.00

The Committee having still stronger objections to this plan than to the other, rejected it also by unanimous vote.

The Committee then considered the question of removing the City departments to the Police Building on Bow Street and found that for a very small outlay of money ample accommodations could be had in that building to hold the City business without interfering with the Police Court or the Police Department except the moving of the Court to the second story.

The Assessors, Clerk, Engineer, Assessors and Clerk to Committees can all be provided with large and well lighted rooms on the first floor, the Police Court, Judge Clerk of Court, Mayor, Auditor and the Highway Committee, can all be provided with large and well lighted rooms on the first floor, the Police Court, Judge Clerk of Court, Mayor, Auditor, and the Highway Committee's

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can all be provided with good rooms on the second floor, On the third floor can be had elegant-corned chambers, ante rooms and committee rooms all as shown in plans drawn by City Engineer Kimball which are herewith submitted ——

The cost of the alterations and improvements necessary to prepare this building for occupancy as a City Hall would be about four thousand dollars according to the accompanying estimate made by Mr. Kelley Esq Architect.

This estimate includes the cost of building a double vault one above the other each five by six feet, inside for each of the rooms occupied by the City Clerk, City Treasurer, City Engineer, and the assessors, also two storage vaults in the basement each ten by six feet. also the cost of changing the partitions, gas fixtures, and radiators, the cost of the carpenter work and materials and the necessary painting and dressing; there would be no other expense incurred in carrying out this plan except to carpet the Council Chambers and Ante rooms, and perhaps in the purchase of a few chairs.

To the police building is to be taken for City Hall it would be best in the opinion of this committee to devote the entire upper story of the present City Hall to the exclusive use of the public library

The adoption of these plans would give the public library and the city government suitable accommodations for the present and of sufficient capacity to supply their wants for a great many years to come, and be sufficiently elegant to be in keeping with the times.

We are also of the opinion that it would be much more convenient for the public generally to have the City Hall on Bow Street than to have it where it now is and no additional expense would be incurred in after years for heating or lighting these buildings as we are obliged to heat and light them both now.

The police buildings is one of the best buildings in the city and is better protected against fire or burglary than

any other building it cost upwards of sixty thousand dollars a large portion of it is seldom used and it yields a very small income ($353.00 last year or half as much as we pay the janitor) and it seems to us that we ought to use the property we now have instead of building more. Therefore your committee recommend the adoption of the plan for taking the Police Building for City purposes and giving the public library the exclusive use of the upper story of the City Hall.

By Order of the Committee

Mark E. F. Burns Chairman

Report on motion of Alderman Clarke was laid on the table until the next meeting.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Minority Report of Committee on the want of the Public Library

Minority Report of Committee

Joint Committee Dominicle March 14, 1882

The undersigned, a member of the Joint Special Committee to which was referred so much of the Mayor's address as related to providing increased accomodations for the public library would respectfully dissent from the report and recommendations of the majority of said Committee believing as he does that the removal of the city chase to the police station would be a most urgent and inexpedient measure. He does not, however, feel prepared to make any definite recommendation at this time but would respectfully suggest to the City Council the propriety of instructing the Committee on public property to take into consideration some plan for furnishing all needed accommodations for the public library in the present City Hall. Signed Henry M. Beal

Read for information

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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Estimate of Samuel T. Kelley, Architect

Boston, March 11. 82.

Mr. F. Burns Esq.

My Dear Sir, I have carefully examined the plans of the proposed alterations of the Bow Street Police Building and with the assistance of competent mechanics estimate the cost for the same at $4047.

Yours Respectfully, Samuel T. Kelley.

Public Library Communication from Trustees

Communication from the Trustees of the Public Library

Somerville, March 11. 1882.

Mark F. Burns Esq.

Chairman of Special Committee for additional accommodations for the Public Library.

Dear Sir

At a special meeting of the Trustees of the Public Library held this evening it was unanimously voted that the Trustees reaffirm the imperative need of ample accommodations for the Public Library and in hereby declining to express any opinion as to the proposed removal of the City Offices to the Police Building are of opinion that in case of such removal, the upper floor of the present City Hall, would furnish better rooms for the Library than either of the plans proposed.

Respectfully yours, J. H. Fletcher, Secretary.

Sewers Nevada Ave Report of Com

Report of Committee on Sewers.

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers, March 14, 1882.

To the Mayor and Aldermen

of the City of Somerville,

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Peter Fitzgerald and others, for the laying making and maintaining of a Main Drain or common sewer in Nevada Avenue a private street or way of said City report as follows namely that in the judgment of said Committee

the common convenience and necessity require that such Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid made and maintained; and, to that end that the land forming said private street or way should be taken as aforesaid that the said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurements and boundaries of the said land, as proposed to be taken for the purpose of laying making and maintaining said Main Drain or Common Sewer as aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out, on the premises, by the City Engineer, said admeasurements and boundaries the manner in which said taking shall be completed, the names of all owners of land included therein and in any wise sustaining damage by the said taking of said land; and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, being described and specified in the Resolve and Order herewith transmitted; which is made a part of this Report: and the Committee also reports the accompanying Order of Notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and Resolve and Order for the taking of said land.

By order of the Committee

George I Vincent Clerk of Committee

In Board of Aldermen Report accepted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Aldermen Noveron offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Aldermen March 14, 1882.

Whereas in the opinion of the Mayor and Aldermen the public convenience and the public health require that a main drain or Common Sewer should be laid in Nevada Street or Avenue so called a private way of said city from Village Street to Hanson Street and that the said private Street should be taken for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer and have ordered that said Street shall be taken it is

Sewer ✓
Nevada avenue
laying out of
Order for a hearing

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therefore hereby ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law, and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville be given to Catharine Fitzgerald, Alexander Kelly, Stephen Kenny, Edmund & Ellen O'Brien, Ellen Mullen, Catharine Fitzgerald, Dallas Blound, Stephen Landry, Helen Nicker, & Sears Condit, Patrick Barry & John Kenny

and all other persons and corporations interested, that it is the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said Street for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer, and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby and also that due notice be given to all persons and parties owning or having any right in estates that will be benefited by the said proposed Main Drain or Common Sewer, that it is intended to assess a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same and of the charge not already assessed, of making and repairing other Main Drains and Common Sewers through which the same discharges, upon the estates benefited, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the cost of laying Main Drains or Common Sewers and that Tuesday the 18th day of April A.D. 1882, at 8½ o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermens Room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue are assigned as the time and place for the hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen of any objections which may be made thereto

Attest:

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

In Board of Aldermen Order Adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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Report of the Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways March 3 1882
To the City Council
of the City of Somerville

Streets
Vinal ave.
laying out of
Report of Com

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Joseph N. Damon and others, for the laying out of Vinal Avenue from Summer Street to Washington Avenue reports as follows, namely: That in the judgment of the said Committee, the common convenience and necessity require that such street or way should be laid out; that said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurement and boundaries of the said street or way, as proposed to be laid out, to be distinctly marked out on the premises, by the City Engineer; said admeasurement and boundaries, the manner in which said laying out shall be completed, the names of all owners of land included therein and in any wise sustaining damage by said laying out of such street or way, as proposed, and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners being described and specified in the Resolve and Order herewith transmitted, which is made a part of this Report; and the Committee also reports the accompanying Order of notice for a hearing by the City Council, and Resolve and order for the laying out.

By order of the Committee
Attest (George) A. Vincent
Clerk of Committee

In Board of Aldermen
Report accepted and sent down for Concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Order of Notice hearing on Vinal Avenue

Vinal Avenue Order of Notice for hearing

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

March 14, 1882.

See amendment to Order See Page 566

Whereas, in the opinion of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen and of the Common Council, the common convenience and necessity of the inhabitants require that Vinal Avenue should be laid out from Summer Street to Highland Avenue, as a public Street or way of the said City as shown on a plan and referred to and described in a Report of the Committee on Highways in regard thereto said plan and report being deposited in the office of the City Clerk it is therefore hereby Ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law, and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville, be given to Margaret F. Burt, City of Somerville, Emeline P. Wilder, Leonard Arnold, William V. Burt, Albert L. Dodge, Charles E. Davis, Sophia Burnett, Joseph N. Damon, Louisa M. Pond, William S. Stearns, John W. F. Hobbs, Horace C. Bright, Ireson B. Walker, Charles May, Mary J. Gooding, William O. Grow, Mary A. Hathaway, Job Mansir, Thomas McCloskey, Hannah Nash, Susan Barton, Mary J. Greene and Lucetta Knights, and all other persons and corporations interested, that it is the intention of the City Council to lay out the street before mentioned by taking land and laying out the same as a public street and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby and that Tuesday the 18th day of April A.D. 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Common Council Room, in the City Hall on Highland Avenue, are appointed as the time and place for the hearing by the City Council of any objections which may be made thereto.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

On motion of Aldermen Page laid on the table until the next meeting.

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Alderman Weld moved a reconsideration of the vote laying the Order on the table — Reconsideration refused
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Finance amendments by board of Aldermen

Action of the Board of Aldermen upon the adoption of the Report of the Committee on Finance

On motion of Alderman Clark each item was considered separately —
Alderman Roulstone moved to amend the report to make the salary of the assistant engineer of the fire Department 400.00 instead of 300 as reported by the Committee — also that of the Engineer of the Steamer 1000 instead of 900 as reported by the Committee
On motion of Alderman Clark the motion was divided
The question being upon the adoption of the sum of three hundred dollars as salary of the assistant engineer
The adoption was refused by a yea and nay vote
Aldermen Durgin and Burns voting in the affirmative
Aldermen Norcross, Wellington, Roulstone, Page, Clark and Weld in the negative
The question upon the amendment making it 400 was adopted by a yea and nay vote —
Aldermen Burns and Durgin voting in the negative
Aldermen Norcross — Wellington, Roulstone, Page, Clark and Weld in the affirmative

Alderman Weld moved to amend the report making the salary of the Steamer engineer 950.00 instead of 900 as reported by the Committee
The question was upon the sum of 300 as reported adoption
The amendment making $950.00 was adopted —

Alderman Wellington moved to amend the appropriation for Police Station Incidentals by adding $200.00 making it 2000 dollars which was carried — The original amount as reported having been put and lost.

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Alderman Weld moved to amend the report making the Salary of the City Auditor $500 instead of $300 as reported
The question being put upon the sum reported was carried establishing his Salary at $300.00.

Alderman Clark moved to make the appropriation for School Incidentals $6500 the motion on the original sum $6000 was put and lost.
The amendment making it $6500 was carried

Alderman Page moved to amend the report by making the appropriation for Street Light $7500 instead of $7000 as reported by the Committee
The motion was put on the original sum reported and carried.

Alderman Norristone moved that the salary of the City Solicitor be $1200, instead of $1000, as reported
The motion was put on the original sum and stood four in the affirmative and four in the negative it was declared lost.
The motion was then put on the amendment with the same result

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Alderman Wellington moved to amend the report by making the appropriation for highway, $30,000 instead of 28,000 as reported by the Committee.
The motion to adopt the report of the Committee $28,000 was lost.
The motion to make it $30,000 was adopted.

Alderman Durgin moved to amend by making the Salary of Superintendent of Streets $1500, instead of $1400, as reported
The adoption of the report of the Committee 1400 was lost
The motion to make it 1500 was carried

March 21, 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
March 21, 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Stevens, Wellington, Rowlston, Page, Burns, Lurgin and Weld present

Record of last meeting read and approved.

Permits to Build was granted to the following persons
S C Austin on Pearl Street
Patrick Raffertry on Hawkins Street
Samuel Colburn " Berkley Street
G W Larsen " Putnam Street

Intentions to Build permits granted

Notice of Franklin Hathaway intention to build on Final Avenue was referred to the Committee on Intentions to build.

Intention to build F Hathaway referred

Petition of Benjamin F Fiske that he may be permitted to erect a street lamp on the northwest corner of Summer and Cherry Streets
Referred to the Committee on Street Lights and sent down for concurrence
Charles E Gilman Clerk
In Common Council March 23, 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Street Lights petition for B F Fiske

Petition of Michael Moran that a driveway may be constructed by the City at the expense of your petitioner in front of his residence on Spring Street
Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence
Charles E Gilman Clerk
In Common Council March 23, 1882.
Council Concurred in
Douglas Frazar Clerk

Street to petition of Michael Moran for Driveway

March 21, 1882

Sewers √ Petition of Henry Gray

Petition of Henry Gray and others that a Sewer be constructed in Clyde Street. Referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Streets √ Petition of J J Woods Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Highways.

City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways March 17, 1882.

To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of J J Woods and others for a plank walk to be laid on the north side of Washington Street, between Medford and Tufts recommend that the petition have leave to withdraw.

By order of the Committee

George T Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted adopted sent down for concurrence.

Charles E Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council March 23, 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Streets √ of F O Neil Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways.

City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways

March 12, 1882.

To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of James F O Neil and others praying that the City and others be restrained from making Cone Street a public dump report that said street is not used as a dump by the City and as it is a private way the City has no control over it as a highway; it is therefore recommended that no further action be taken upon said petition.

By order of the Committee George T Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council March 23. Concurred in

Douglas Frazar Clerk.

March 21, 1882

Report of Committee on Intentions to Build
City of Somerville
In Committee on Notices of Intentions to Build
March 21, 1882.

Intentions to build
Eagle Shade Relief Co
Report of Com

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Notices of Intention to Build to which was received the petition of the Eagle Shade Relief Company for permission to remove a part of the rail from the Bridge on Washington Street over the Fitchburg Railroad and construct a driveway a chute connecting their factory to the sidewalk and street also for permission to use the sidewalk in loading and unloading goods. Report that said petition appears to be a matter requiring the consideration of the Committee on Highways and it is therefore hereby recommended that it be referred to that Committee.

Per Durgin C. P. Page Committee.

Report accepted, adopted and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk
Common Council March 23 1882.
Concurred in & referred to Committee on Highways
Douglas Frazar Clerk

Aldermen Durgin offered the following Order
City of Somerville
The Board of Mayor and Aldermen
March 21, 1882.

Streets
Gilman Street
Order to pay W. H. Mitchell for damages

Ordered that the Committee on Highways be and is hereby authorised to approve in payroll of Highways in favor of William H. Mitchell the sum of eighteen dollars in full of all claims and demands for damages on account of the laying out & grading of Gilman Street.
Order received its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

March 21. 1882

Order adopted in Common Council March 23, 1882 — receiving its first and second readings & final passage in concurrence

Douglas Frazar — Clerk

Alderman Weld Offered the following body

Order Clerk to inform Mayor & Aldermen of Cambridge

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

March 21, 1882.

Ordered

That the City Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to inform the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Cambridge in writing that the letter or protest in regard to liquor licenses, signed by members of this Board which was read by Alderman Davis of the Cambridge Board at their meeting March 15, 1882 was an expression of opinion only and represented no action of the Board of Aldermen.

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Streets Vinal Avenue Order for hearing

On motion of Alderman Wellington

The Order for a hearing in reference to the laying out of Vinal Avenue was taken from the table amended by making the same returnable April 25, 1882, instead of April 18, 1882, Order as amended adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council March 23, 1882

Order as amended by the Board of Aldermen received its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.

Douglas Frazar Clerk

For Original Order See page 560

The Report of the Committee on Finance sent to the Common Council March 14 was returned with the following endorsements—

Finance
Report of amendments in Common Council

In Common Council March 16, 1882.
Report read and the following changes and amendments made
Non concurrence with the Board of Aldermen in fixing the salary of the assistant Engineer of the Fire Department at $400, the report of the Committee on Finance recommending $300 being accepted by the Common Council in non concurrence.

Concurrence with the Board of Aldermen in fixing the salary of the Engineer of the Steamer of the Fire Department at $950.

Concurrence with the Board of Aldermen in fixing the salary of the Supt of Streets at $1500 and the appropriation of Highways at $30,000.

Amendment made under the head of Police adding $200 for salary of the keeper of the lock up but no change made in the total appropriation for Police sent up for concurrence.

Non concurrence with the Board of Aldermen fixing the appropriation for Police Station incidentals at $2000, the report of the Committee on Finance recommending $1500, being accepted by the Common Council in non concurrence.

Amendment made fixing the salary of the City Solicitor at $1200 sent up for concurrence.

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Concurrence with the Board of Aldermen in fixing the appropriation for School House Incidentals at $6500 —

Amendment made by fixing the appropriation for watering streets at $3000 sent up for concurrence, with amendments and changes as above recited accepted and adopted as a whole; and sent up for concurrence and information Douglas Frazar, Clerk.

Finance Report of Committee considered

In Board of Aldermen Report of committee on Finance Considered

Non concurred with the Council in fixing the Salary of the Assistant Engineer of the Fire Department and voted to adhere to former action by a yea, and nay vote

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Police Station Incidentals noncurred in by the Common Council:

In Board of Aldermen voted to adhere to former action —

Concurred with the Common Council in fixing the Salary of the Lock Up Keeper.

On Motion of Alderman Held it was voted that no action be taken upon the Salary of the City Solicitor —

Appropriation for watering Streets amended by Common Council to $3000 —

Alderman Burns moved that the Aldermen adhere to their former action — The motion did not prevail —

On motion of Alderman Hellington voted to recede from former action and concurred with the Council in the amendment and sent down for information

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On motion of Alderman Wellington the report of the joint Special Committee relating to the Public Library was taken from the table.
On motion of Alderman Burns, It was voted to first consider the minority report the minority having been read. On motion of Alderman Wellington further consideration of the Reports was postponed until the next meeting of the Board.

Removal of City Officers
Report of Joint Special Committee taken from the table

Communication from Civil Engineer
— of Fire Department —
— City of Somerville —
Headquarters Fire Department —
— Somerville, Mass. March 21, 1882.
To his Honor the Mayor —
— and the Board of Aldermen.
The following named persons are recommended as officers and members of the Fire Department in the several companies herein after mentioned until transferred or discharged.
— Respectfully James W. Hopkins —
— Civil Engineer of Fire Department —

Fire Department
Members appointed & confirmed

The following persons were appointed by the Mayor as members of the Fire Department and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Somerville Steamer Company No One

Irving C. Jackson	Foreman	
Frank [illegible]	Asst Foreman	
James T. Cummings	Clerk	
Frank Walker	Hosemen	
Theodore Cunningham	"	
Benjamin [illegible]	"	
Frank K. Eaton	"	
Joseph Young	"	
Benjamin L. Howard	"	
James McLean	"	

Fire Department
Steamer Company
No One

March 21. 1882

Benny P. Byrnes — Engineer of Steamer
William H. Burbank — Fireman of Steamer
William H. Bonner — Driver of Steamer
Lindsay L. Bisby — Driver of Steam Hose Carriage

Fireman Hose Company No One

John E. Wood Hose Company No One
Edgar F. Shaw — Foreman
Charles G. Horton — Asst Foreman
Thomas L. Daley — Clerk
Daniel W. Taylor — Hosemen
Frank F. Lewis — "
William W. Parsons — "
J. Walter Inwood — "
Frederick L. Chase — "
William F. Mills — "
Charles T. Hayes — "
Thomas L. Daley — Driver of Hose Carriage

Fireman Hose Company No Two

Winter Hill Hose Company No Two
Frank W. Ring — Foreman
Daniel Spike — Asst Foreman
Edward W. Ring — Clerk
Edward E. Winslow — Hosemen
Stephen B. Manning — "
Edgar T. Mayhew — "
Joseph F. Hollis — "
James M. Gould — "
Charles T. Timpson — "
Lewis Cunville — "
Edward W. Ring — Driver of Hose Carriage

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George H Foster Hose Company No Three

Charles H Bridges	Foreman	Fireman Hose Company No Three
William J Blaisdell	Asst Foreman	
Charles Smith	Clerk	
Frank L Draper	Hosemen	
Robert C Feldman	"	
Elisha J Brown	"	
Daniel Brooks	"	
Edward F Buxton	"	
George F Hughes	"	
George H Downs	"	
Charles Smith	Driver of Hose Carriage	

George O Braston Hose Company No Four.

Bernard H Lawrence	Foreman	Fireman Hose Company No Four
Albert H Kentzer	Asst Foreman	
Daniel J Steele	Clerk	
Wallace D Tucker	Hosemen	
George H Burnowscale	"	
Theodore O Jestin	"	
Charles J Thrasher	"	
Frederick T Smith	"	
David H Crocker	"	
Samuel H Stevens	Driver of Hose Carriage	

Nelson Whitney Hook & Ladder Company No One.

Charles H Shaw	Foreman	Fireman Hook & Ladder Co No One
William H McLean	Asst Foreman	
Frank H Stimpson	Clerk	
Benjamin F Ellis	Ladder & Axe men	
Henry B Thompson	"	
John E Hill	"	
Wm H Whitcomb	"	
George F Harris	"	
Edwin H Bright	"	
Lewis B Hopkins	"	
Peter K Wood	"	

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Edward P Robinson ———— Ladder & Ax men
George P Page ———— " " "
Elmer W Finehart ———— " " "
Melville C Richer ———— Driver of Hook & Ladder

March 28, 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
March 28. 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Bacon, Wellington, Houlstone, Page, Clark, Burns, Durgin and Weld present.

Record of last meeting was read and approved.

Petition of W. H. Thompson that a sidewalk be laid on Cross Street from Medford Street to High St. referred to the Committee on Highways — Sidewalk cross st. petition for

Petition of William H. Thompson for the construction of a sewer in Cross Street from Medford Street to High Street was referred to the Committee on Sewers — Sewers cross st. petition for

Paper from Council

Petition of Martin Binney for a street light on Dane Street — Street lights Dane Street petition for

Referred to the Committee on Street Lights and sent up for Concurrence

In Board of Aldermen concurred in

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Permit was granted to

Patrick O'Neal to build on Beacon Street — Intention to build permit granted

Mark Laighton " " " Broadway

H. F. Hoods " " " Sycamore St.

John O'Brien " " " Concord Ave.

Petition of Mark Laighton and others in aid of the petition of William Jaques and others for the repairing of Mystic Avenue — Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for Concurrence — Mystic avenue petition of M. Laighton and others in aid of Wm Jaques petition

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council March 30 Concurred in

Douglas Frazar Clerk

March 28, 1882

Mystic Avenue Petition of N W Bingham and others in aid of petition of Wm Jaques	Petition of N W Bingham and others in aid of the petition of William Jaques and others for the repairing of Mystic Avenue was referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence ——— Charles E Gilman Clerk In Common Council March 30. 1882. Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.
Street Lights Broadway petition of D G McGregor	Petition of D G McGregor and others that a Street lamp be erected at the corner of Broadway & Grant Street Referred to the Committee on Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. ——— Charles E Gilman Clerk. In Common Council March 30. 1882. Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk
Licenses Storage of Oil petition of S Walker & Co Referred to Com on Fire Department	Petition of Samuel Walker & Co ——— ——— To the Board of Aldermen ——— ——— City of Somerville ——— Gentlemen we would respectfully apply for a License to receive, store, barrel and ship Petroleum oil and its products, at our place on Somerville Avenue at junction of Grand Junction Railroad The business to be conducted in such a manner as not to become noxious or offensive The License to be revoked by you or your successors at any time Yours respectfully Samuel Walker & Co ——— 33 India Street Referred to the Committee on Fire Department and sent down for concurrence ——— Charles E Gilman Clerk In Common Council March 30 Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

March 28, 1882

Report of Committee on Intentions to Build
In Board of Aldermen March 28, 1882.
Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of Charles C. Brown to build a stable on land of the Tenure R.R. on Medford and School Street recommend that the petition be granted
—— Asa Durgin, C. P. Page Committee ——
Report accepted and adopted ——
—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. ——

Intentions to Build
Report of Committee on petition of C. C. Brown

Report of Committee on Intentions to Build
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
—— March 28, 1882. ——
Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of the Eagle Shade Roller Company to maintain and use a steam boiler and engine in their factory on Washington & Hawking Street to recommend that the City Clerk be instructed to give notice in accordance with Chapter 102 of the public Statutes that a hearing will be given all parties interested in the above petition on Tuesday evening April 25 at 8 o'clock P.M. —— Asa Durgin & C. P. Page Committee
Report accepted and adopted ——
—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Intentions to Build
Report of Committee on petition of Eagle Shade Roller Co

Report of Committee on Public Property
—— City of Somerville ——
In Committee on Public Property March 25, 1882.
To the Council of Somerville
The Committee on Public Property which was authorized and instructed by an order dated March 14 to solicit proposals to build an addition to the Edgerly School House in accordance with plans by S. D. Kelly architect reports that it has advertised for proposals in Somerville Journal, Boston Journal, and Boston Daily Advertiser, and has sent postal cards bearing copies of the advertisement to about twenty prominent

Schools
Edgerly School house
Proposals
Report of Committee of Public Property

March 2 P. 1882

builders and have received proposals of which the following is a complete list.—

L. P. Sorell for entire job		$17,785.00
G. T. Burnham " "		15,750.00
M. S. & G. W. Miller	for Masons work	9284.00
J. H. Coon	" " "	9193.00
Stroud Bros & Smith	" " "	9165.00
Ripley & Stearns	" " "	8,777.00
Sampson Clark & Co	" " "	8,700.00
D. H. Palmer & Co	" " "	8,500.00
J. P. Lovering	" " "	8363.00
Charles H. Stuart	" " "	8,357.00
Edward Lynch & Co	" " "	8,143.00
L. P. Sorell	" " "	7570.00
Robert R. Mayes	" " "	7200.00
R. P. Hines & Son	" " "	7163.00
Wm B. Stinson	" Carpenters part	10416.00
Curry & Mayes	" " "	10,215.00
N. B. Clapp	" " "	9,145.00
Sullivan Bros	" " "	8,775.00
G. T. Burnham	" " "	8,575.00
Canfield & Smith	" " "	8,350.00
Mead Mason & Co	" " "	7,648.00

—— and it is hereby recommended that contract be awarded as follows ——

To R. P. Hines & Son for Masons part

To Mead Mason & Co for Carpenters work.

these being the lowest bidders

—— for the Committee Wm H. Mitchell asst Clerk.

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence

—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council March 30. 1882.

Concurred in ——

—— Douglas Frazar Clerk ——

March 28, 1882

Schools — Com on Public Property authorised to contract for construction of addition to Edgerly School House

Alderman Clarke offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen,

March 28, 1882.

(Ordered)

That the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorised, to make contract for an addition of the Edgerly School House, in accordance with plans by G. D. Kelley Architect, submitted by said Committee March 14th as follows.

with Mr. P. Hines and son for masons part for the sum of Seventy one hundred & sixty three dollars (7163) and with Mead Mason & Co. for the Carpenters part for the sum of Seventy six hundred & forty eight dollars ($7.648)

Order received its first and second reading and final passage sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council March 30. 1882

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading & final passage in concurrence

Douglas Frazar Clerk

Ordinance No 31, amending Ordinance No 4. sent to the Council March 14. 1882. was returned with the following endorsements,

Ordinance No 31. adoption of

In Common Council March 16. 1882.

Received its first and second reading and passage to be enrolled in concurrence. Douglas Frazar Clerk

In Committee of Enrolled Ordinances and Resolutions of the Common Council March 23, 1882, to the undersigned declare that we have carefully examined the enrolment of the within Ordinance No 31, and find that it has been truly and correctly enrolled by the Clerk of the Council. Fm Stodder H. M. Beals Lm F. S. Davis

In Common Council March 23, 1882

Passed to be ordained Albion F. Perry

President of the Common Council

Attest Douglas Frazar Clerk

March 28, 1882

Ordinance No 31 adoption of by Board of Aldermen

In Board of Aldermen March 28, 1882.
In Committee on Enrolled Ordinances and Resolutions of the Board of Aldermen.
We the undersigned declare that we have carefully examined the enrolment of the within Ordinance No 31, and find that it has been truly and correctly enrolled by the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.
E. C. Clarke C. A. Sage, Committee.

In Board of Aldermen March 28, 1882.
Passed to be Ordained.
Attest Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

March 29, 1882.
Approved. John W. Cummings, Mayor.

Finance Report of Committee Returned from Council

Report of Committee on Finance returned from the Common Council endorsed as follows.
In reference to the salary of the Asst Engineer of the Fire Department — voted to adhere to former action by a Yea and Nay vote —
In reference to the appropriation for Police Station Incidentals voted to recede from former action and fix the appropriation at $2000 in concurrence with the Board of Aldermen sent up for information.
Douglas Frazar Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen March 28, 1882.
In reference to the salary of the Asst Engineer of the Fire Department — voted to adhere to former action sent down for information. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Finance addition of $1000.00 to original Report

In Board of Aldermen March 28, 1882.
On motion of Alderman Hillington
Voted that the former action of the Board fixing the appropriation for Edgerly School House addition at $16000 was reconsidered and Report amended making it $17000 instead of $16000 sent down for Concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

March 28, 1882

(Alderman Burns moved that the Board recede from its former action in fixing the salary of the City Solicitor at $1000 the motion did not prevail)

Alderman Held offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

March 28, 1882.

Finance
Report com of Conference asked for

Ordered

That a committee of Conference be had to take into consideration the differences existing between the two branches of the City Council in regard to the salaries of the City Solicitor and asst Engineer of the Fire Department —

Order adopted and Aldermen Held Clark & Page appointed on the part of this Branch, and sent down for Concurrence

Charles E Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council March 30, 1882.

Order adopted in concurrence and Councilmen Weston, Russell and Fannin appointed on the part of this Branch D Frazar Clerk

Report of Committee on Sewers

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers March 28, 1882.

Sewers
Ashland Street
Report of Committee

To the Mayor and Aldermen

of the City of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of Caroline P. Conant, and Benjamin Leeds and others for the laying, making, and maintaining of a Main Drain a Common Sewer, in Ashland street a private street or way of said City reports as follows namely:

That in the judgment of said Committee the common convenience and necessity require that such Main Drain a Common Sewer should be laid made, and maintained, and [illegible] That end that the land forming said private street or way should be taken as aforesaid

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that the said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurements and boundaries of the said land, as proposed to be taken for the purpose of laying, making and maintaining said Main Drain or Common Sewer, as aforesaid, to be distinctly marked marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, said admeasurements and boundaries the manner in which said taking shall be completed, the names of all owners of land included therein and in any wise sustaining damage by the said taking of said land, and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, being described and specified in the Resolve and order herewith transmitted, which is made a part of this report. and the Committee also reports the accompanying Order of Notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen, and Resolve and order for the taking of said land

By order of the Committee

Attest George F. Vincent

Clerk of Committee

In Board of Aldermen Report accepted

Charles E. Gilman, Clerk

Sewers
Ashland Street
Order for a hearing

Order of Notice offered by Alderman Norcross.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

March 28, 1882.

Whereas in the opinion of the Mayor and Aldermen the public convenience and the public health require that a main drain or Common Sewer should be laid in Ashland Street, so called, a private way of said City from Summer Street Southwesterly about 2 [illegible] and that the said private street should be taken for the purpose of said Main Drain or Common Sewer and have ordered that said street shall be taken it is therefore hereby ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law and to be served by any Constable of the City of

Somewhat, be given to Mary L Sherman, Daniel N Bartlett James Miller, Caroline A Conant, Christina M Wiseman, Abby L Prichard & Daniel S Drummond and all other persons and corporations interested that it is the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said street for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer, and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby and is that due notice be given to all persons and parties owning or having any rights in estates that will be benefited by the said Main proposed Main Drain or Common Sewer, that it is intended to assess a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same, and of the charge, not already assessed, of making and repairing other Main Drains and common Sewers through which the same discharges, upon the estates benefited, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the cost of laying Main Drains or Common Sewers, and that Sunday the 9th day of May A.D. 1882 at 8½ o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermens room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue, are assigned as the time & place for the hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen of any objections which may be made thereto

Attest Charles E Gilman Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen March 28, 1882.

Order received its first reading and under a suspension of the Rules and Order its second reading and final passage. Charles E Gilman Clerk.

On motion of Alderman Weld.

Voted that the meetings of the Board of Aldermen from April 1 to November 1 commence at 8 o'clock P.M.

Aldermen time of meetings established

March 28, 1882

Joint Special Com. Minority Report Rejected	The Minority Report of the Joint Special Committee relating to further accommodations for the Public Library was considered and Rejected
Joint Special Committee Majority Report Order yea & nay	The majority report of the Joint Special Committee on the Library being under consideration. Alderman Page requested that the question of accepting and adopting the report be taken by yea & nay vote
Motion to recommit	Alderman Weld moved to recommit the report to the Committee with instructions to report a plan or plans for increased accommodations for the Public Library in connection with the present City Hall.
Motion to amend the motion of Alderman Weld Rejected by a yea & nay vote	Alderman Burns moved to amend the motion of Alderman Weld so as to make the instructions as follows to procure estimates for an addition of the same size of the present Library room to the easterly end of the City Hall to be used in connection with the present room. The amendment of Alderman Burns was rejected by a yea and Nay vote. Aldermen Norcross, Wellington, Houlstone & Weld voting in the affirmative. Aldermen Page, Clark, Burns and Durgin voting in the negative. The amendment having been defeated.
Motion of Alderman W= Rejected by a rising vote	The motion of Alderman Weld was rejected by a rising vote.
Acceptance and adoption of Majority Report Rejected by a yea and Nay vote	The acceptance and adoption of the report was rejected by a yea and Nay vote. Aldermen Burns and Durgin voting in the affirmative. Aldermen Norcross, Wellington, Houlstone Page, Clark and Weld in the negative.

April 4. 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
April 4, 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Bowers, Wellington, Poulstone, Page, Clark, Burns, Durgin and Weld present

Record of last meeting approved.

Order from the Common Council
In Common Council March 30. 1882.

Order, Memorial Day

Ordered
That the Auditor, be and is hereby authorized to place on Pay Roll of Miscellaneous Account the sum of three hundred dollars in favor of Millard Fillmore Post 139. G.A.R. and subject to call when needed to be applied to the proper Assessment of Memorial Day.
Martin Binney

Order adopted by receiving a first and second reading and final passage and sent up for concurrence.
Douglas Frazer Clerk

In Board of Aldermen April 4, 1882.
Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Petition of William P. Weir for License to keep a Pool Table
Referred to Committee on Licenses

License Pool Table petition for

Notice of E. S. Sparrow Intention to build on Chester and Cottage Street. Permit granted

Notice of Intention to build

Petition of E. S. Sparrow for permit to move two buildings from Chester Street to Court off Cottage Street. Permit Granted

Petition to move Buildings

A permit was granted to James Hepburn to build on Linden Street

Intention to build

April 4. 1882

Petition of J H Hooper for permit to move building	A permit was granted to J H Hooper to move a Building on Middlesex Avenue
Police Report of Chief	Report of Chief of Police was received and read for information
Petition for permit to remove building & Early granted	A permit was granted to E Early to move a Stable and Shed from land of Charles Williams Jr on Lincoln Street to his land on Pearl Street near Cross Street
E Clark to set Trees permit granted	Permission was granted to Elijah C Clark to set out Shade Trees in Crane of his estate on Rush Street
Salaries Report of Committee of Conference	Report of Committee of Conference Salaries of City Solicitor and assistant Engineer of Fire Department

City of Somerville

In Committee of Conference April 3. 1882

To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee of Conference appointed in accordance with an order dated In Board of Mayor and Aldermen March 28, 1882 to take into consideration the differences existing between the two branches of the City Council in regard to the salaries of the City Solicitor and the Assistant Engineer of the Fire Department, report that the matter has been carefully considered by this committee and it is hereby recommended that the salary of the City Solicitor be fixed at Eleven hundred dollars ($1100) and that the salary of the Assistant Engineer of the Fire Department be fixed at three hundred & fifty dollars ($350) and that the report of the Committee in Finance be amended accordingly. Wm E Weld Chairman

C P Page - C F Weston - R G Janvrin

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence

Charles E Gilman

In Common Council April 7. 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk Approved John P Cummings Mayor

April 4 1882

Alderman Surgin offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Aldermen April 4, 1882.

Ordered

That the matter of the objections to assessments for the laying out and grading of the Westerly Extension of Columbus Avenue be and is hereby referred to the Committee on Highways

Order adopted and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council April 7, 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Approved John F. Cummings Mayor

Nathan P. Fitch and George H. Lomas were drawn as Warren Jurors at the Supreme Judicial Court to be holden at Lowell, on the Third Tuesday of April, 1882.

Columbus Avenue assessments hearing objections referred to Committee on Highways

Jurors drawn

Alderman Page offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor & Aldermen April 11, 1882.

Ordered

That a hearing be appointed for all persons who desire to be heard in reference to the locating and maintaining of a Steam Boiler by the Eagle Shade Roller Company on Hawkins Street

also for locating and maintaining a Steam Boiler on Clark Street on petition of James H. McLane and that Monday the 25th day of April A.D. 1882 at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen Room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue are assigned as the time and place for the hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen of any objections which may be made thereto and the City Clerk is hereby instructed to publish said order in the Somerville Journal in conformity with Chapter 102 Section 41 of the Public Statutes Order Adopted Receiving its first and second reading & Final Passage

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Steam Boilers Order for Hearing

April 11. 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
April 11. 1882.
Mayor Cummings presiding.

Aldermen Norcross, Wellington, Roulstone, Page, Clark, Burns, Durgin, and Weld present

Record of last meeting read and Approved

Tax Titles Order Treasurer to sell

Order from the Common Council in reference to Tax Titles.

City of Somerville
In Common Council April 17. 1882.
Ordered

That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to enter upon and take possession of in the name of the City, all real estate held by the City by Tax Titles and upon which the right of redemption has ceased; and sell the same at public auction; and the Mayor is hereby authorized and empowered in behalf of the City to execute and deliver to the highest bidder therefor quit claim deeds for such real estate as may be sold in accordance with the authority hereby conferred.
Order adopted and sent up for concurrence
Douglas Frazar Clerk

In Board of Aldermen April 11. 1882.
Order adopted in concurrence Approved April 11. 1882
J. A. Cummings Mayor Charles E. Gilman Clerk

License Junk Petition for

Petition of John Galvin for a License to collect old Junk referred to Committee on Licenses

Sidewalk Herbert St petition for

Petition of C. H. Kingsley and others that a sidewalk with edge stones and covered with brick, may be laid on the South-westerly side of Herbert St from Chester street to Day Street Referred to the Committee on Highways.

Petition of John Hogan and others that Dexter Street from Washington Street to Walnut Street be laid out, graded and accepted. Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council April 13, 1892. Concurred in. Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Dexter Street petition for

Petition of Peter Carpenter and others that edge stones and brick sidewalks be laid on both sides of Elm Street from Broadway to Mystic Street. Referred to the Committee on Highways.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sidewalks Elm st petition for

Petition of C. H. Kingsley and others that a sidewalk with edgestones and curbed with brick may be laid on the northeasterly side of Orchard Street from Chester Street to Day Street. Referred to the Committee on Highways.

Sidewalks Orchard st petition for

Petition of C. H. Kingsley and others that a street light may be erected on the southwest corner of Cottage Avenue. Referred to the Committee on Street Lights and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council April 13, 1892. Concurred in. Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Street Lights Mystic Street petition for

Petition of C. H. Kingsley and others that a sewer may be laid in Cottage Avenue. Referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Sewer Cottage Avenue petition for

April 11. 1882

Streets Herbert Street acceptance of petition for	Petition of C. W. Kingsley and others that Herbert Street may be laid out and accepted as a public way. Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council April 13. 1882 — Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk
Streets Cottage avenue acceptance of petition for	Petition of C. W. Kingsley and others that Cottage Avenue may be laid out and accepted as a public way. Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council April 13. 1882. Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.
Street Lights petition of J. Medina	Petition of John Medina that a lamp post may be placed on the corner of Broadway and Curtis Street. Referred to the Committee on Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council April 13. 1882 — Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk
Sidewalks Broadway & Curtis St petition for	Petition of John Medina that a brick sidewalk be placed on my premises on Broadway and Curtis Street. Referred to the Committee on Highways —
Fire Department Report of Chief	The Report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department was received read and sent down for information. In Common Council
License Post bills report of Mayor	Mayor reported upon the petition of George Bangs for a License to post Bills. I would respectfully recommend that the within petitioner have leave to withdraw. (Assuming Mayor) Report accepted.

April 11. 1882

Petition of W. J. Taylor and others that a street crossing may be placed in Somerville Avenue opposite Tenney Street.
Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for Concurrence.
——— Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.
In Common Council April 13. 1882 —
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Street Crossing Somerville Avenue petition for

Petition of E. M. Morrison and others that a driveway may be constructed at his expense in front of his residence on Brook Street.
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for Concurrence. ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council April 13. 1882 —
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Driveway Brook St. petition for

Petition of J. L. Mullier and others that School Street between Highland Avenue and Summer Street, be graded, edge stones set and gutters paved.
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for Concurrence. ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council April 13. 1882 —
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

School St. grading of and petition for sidewalks

Report of Committee on Highways
——— City of Somerville. ———
In Committee on Highways April 7. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Highways which was authorized by an order dated March 21. 1882, to approve in Fire Roll of Highways in favor of William P. Mitchell the sum of eighteen dollars in full for all claims and demands for damage on account of the laying out and grading of Gilman Street reports that the said sum has been approved as authorized by said Order

Claims & streets Report of Committee in favor of Wm. P. Mitchell

April 11, 1882

By order of the Committee
(George) J. Vincent Clerk.
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council April 13, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Sewers, order granting permit to E. K. Crane

Alderman Norcross offered the following Order
(City of Somerville)
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen April 11. 1882.
Ordered
That the City Engineer be and is hereby authorised to issue a permit to lay a private drain from the Craige Street Sewer to the Estate of Eliza K. Crane on the corner of Summer and Craige Streets
Order Adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
Approved, John Cummings Mayor

Telephone Co. Petition of Suburban Telephone Co.

Petition of Suburban Telephone Company.
Somerville, April 11. 1882
To the Honorable the Mayor and Aldermen
of the City of Somerville
The undersigned respectfully pray that License may be granted to the Suburban Telephone Company a corporation organised under the General Laws of the State of Massachusetts having its general business office at number 24 Congress Street Boston, Mass to erect poles for the purpose of supporting lines connecting subscribers with local Telephone exchanges to be established in Somerville and for other Telephone lines, under the supervision and direction of such authority as may be appointed by you and we would particularly ask permission to erect poles and run lines on Mystic Avenue and on such streets as may be named by you running from Mystic Avenue to Union Square and to the Cambridge Line.

Respectfully submitted by the Suburban Telephone Company; J B Gardner General Manager.
Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for Concurrence
Charles E Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council April 13, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways April 7, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of the Eagle Shade Roller Company for permission to remove a part of the rail from the Bridge on Washington Street which crows the Fitchburg Railroad and to construct a driveway or chute connecting their factory with the sidewalk and street, also for permission to use the sidewalk in loading and unloading goods recommends that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw
By Order of the Committee
George T Vincent Clerk
Report accepted adopted and sent down for Concurrence.
Charles E Gilman Clerk
In Common Council April 13, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Highways
Report of Committee on petition of Eagle Shade Roller Co

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways April 7, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Wm H Thompson for gravel sidewalks with edgestones on both sides of Cross Street from Medford Street to High Street report recommending that the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

Sidewalks
Cross street petition for Report of Committee

April 11. 1882

By order of the Committee
George I Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sidewalks
Day Street
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways March 31. 1882
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of J. F. Flitner and others for a brick side walk on the easterly side of Day Street from the Cambridge line to Elm Street, reports recommending that the prayer of the petitioners be granted
By order of the Committee
George I Vincent Clerk
Report accepted & adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sidewalk
Cross Street
from Medford st to High st
Order for hearing

Alderman Durgin offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Aldermen April 11. 1882
Whereas in the opinion of the Board of Aldermen the public convenience requires that sidewalks should be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed on both sides of Cross Street from Medford Street to High Street to be covered with gravel, and with edgestones to be of the width of 5½ & 7½ feet, and the grade of the same to conform to the grade of the street, it is therefore hereby Ordered that due notice to be served as prescribed for the service of notices of intention to lay out highways to be given to William S. Thompson and all other persons and corporations interested that this Board will at their room in the City Hall, on Highland Avenue on Tuesday the 23 day of May 1882 at 8 o'clock P.M. take into consideration the expediency of grading and constructing said sidewalk and completing said partially constructed

sidewalks as aforesaid (and of assessing) upon the abutters on such sidewalks in just proportions, a proper part, according to law, of the expense of the same) and that any persons making objections thereto will then and there be heard.

— Attest (Charles E Gilman City Clerk)

Order received its first and second reading and final passage

— (Charles E Gilman City Clerk)

Alderman Durgin offered the following Order — sidewalks (Day street order for hearing)

— City of Somerville —

In Board of Aldermen April 11. 1882.

Whereas, in the opinion of the Board of Aldermen the public convenience requires that sidewalks should be graded, and constructed, and partially constructed sidewalks completed in the Easterly side of Day street from Pine Street to the Cambridge line to be covered with brick and with edgestones, to be of the width of six and 12 feet and the grade of the same to conform to the grades of the street, it is therefore hereby

Ordered:

That due notice, to be served, as prescribed for the service of notices of intention to lay out highways, to be given to Horace Haskins, Henry M Moore and Wm J Seckie, West Somerville Congregational Society, Kate E Burge, Mary W Richards, Joseph R Flitner, Caroline Lacount, Eliza C Hebbins, Chester W Clark, Wm H Chadwick, Robert Henderson Richard B Kinney and all other persons and corporations interested that this Board will at their room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue on Tuesday the 23 day of May 1882 at 8 o'clock P.M., take into consideration the expediency of grading and constructing said sidewalks and completing said partially constructed sidewalks as aforesaid (and of assessing) upon the abutters on such sidewalks

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in just proportions, a proper part, according to law of the expense of the same; and that any persons making objections thereto will then and there be heard.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Order received its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Memorial Day order for appropriation Reconsidered and amended

Alderman Burns moved a reconsideration of the action of the Aldermen whereby they concurred with the Common Council in the order appropriating three hundred dollars for the observance of Memorial Day. The motion prevailed.

Alderman Burns moved to amend by substituting for the order passed by the Council the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

April 11. 1882.

Ordered: That the Committee on accounts be and is hereby authorized to approve in pay rolls of Miscellaneous account, bills contracted by Post 139 G.A.R. for the observance of Memorial Day certified by the Commander or proper Committee of said Post and not to exceed in the aggregate the sum of three hundred dollars.

The amendment was adopted, and the order as amended received its first and second reading & final passage and was sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Intention to Build A. F. Eastman

Notice of Allen F. Eastman Intention to Build Eastman Permit granted

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Notice of James Finan Intention to Build a dwelling House on Porter Street Permit granted. — Intention to build James Finan

A permit was granted to George H. Johnson to repair Building on Linwood Street — Intention to repair building G. H. Johnson

A permit was granted to raise and repair building on Somerville Avenue to Patrick Myers — Intention to repair building Patrick Myers

Report of Committee on Sewers.

City of Somerville April 11. 1882.

In Committee on Sewers March 24. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of Henry Gray and others for a Sewer in Clyde Street, reports that there is no outlet in said Street and it is therefore recommended that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.

By order of the Committee

George H. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers Clyde Street Report of Com

Report of Committee on Sewers

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers March 24. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Henry M. Beals and others for a Sewer in School Street recommend that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.

By order of the Committee

George H. Vincent Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen

Report accepted and adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers School Street Report of Com

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Sewers ✓
Temple, Heath, Jaques & Bond Street
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers.
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers April 10. 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen
of Somerville,

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Jacob T Glines and others for Sewers in Temple, Heath, Jaques, and Bond Street, reports recommending that the prayer of the petitioners for sewers in Temple, Bond, and Jaques Street be granted and that on that part of the petition praying for a sewer in Heath Street the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw

Sewer Heath St ✓
Report of Committee

By order of the Committee
George T Vincent Clerk.
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E Gilman Clerk.

Sewers ✓
Elliot Street
Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers April 3. 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of N Eshwork for a sewer in Elliot Street report, recommending that the prayer of the petitioners be granted,

By order of the Committee
George T Vincent Clerk.
Report accepted Charles E Gilman Clerk

Sewers ✓
Elliot Street
Order to Construct

Alderman Sweeney offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen April 11. 1882.
Ordered.

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to construct a common sewer in Elliot Street from Vine Street to a point near Park Street and report

to this Board, after the completion of said sewer, the cost of the same, together with a list of assessments such as in the judgment of said Committee, shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited. Order received its first and second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Approved April 11. 1882, approved John H. Cummings Mayor

Report of Committee on Sewers

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers April 11. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers duly authorized by an Order of this date, submits the following list of proposals received by said Committee, to construct in Acid Street from Vine Street to a point near Park Street about 250 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with one manhole the pipe to be furnished by the City

Names of Builders	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Estimated Average
Francis C. Lennon	$43.00	$5.50	$0.65	$165.50
Maurice Tracy	43.00	5.00	0.46	158.00
Patrick Tracy	35.00	4.50	0.45	147.50
Richard Tracy	40.00	5.50	0.38	135.00
Charles H. Morgan	37.00	4.00	0.35	124.50

And your Committee recommends that the contract be awarded to Charles H. Morgan

By Order of the Committee

George T. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted and adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers
Acid Street
Proposals
Report of Committee

Aldermen Norcross offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Aldermen April 11. 1882.

Ordered that the Committee on Sewers Board is hereby authorized to make a contract with Charles H. Morgan for the construction of a common sewer in Acid street from Vine street to

Sewers
Acid street
Order to contract for construction

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a point near Park Street at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said Committee's report of this date. Order adopted receiving its first and second reading, and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Sewers Cross street from Medford street to High street. Report of Committee.

Report of Committee on Sewers.

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers April 10. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of W. S. Thompson for a sewer in Cross street from Medford Street to a point near High Street, reports recommending that the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

By order of the Committee

George O. Vincent - Clerk.

Report accepted and adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers Cross st from Medford st to High st. Order to construct.

Alderman Nixon offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen April 11. 1882.

Ordered.

That the Committee on Sewers, be and is hereby authorized and instructed to construct a common sewer in Cross Street from Medford Street to a point near High Street and report to this Board, after the completion of said sewer, the cost of the same, together with a list of assessments such as in their judgment of said committee, shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited.

Order received its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Approved April 11. 1882 John H. Cummings Mayor

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Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers April 11. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers duly authorized by an order of this date, submits the following list of proposals received by said Committee, to construct in Cross Street from Medford Street to a point near High Street about 250 feet of 12 inch and 300 feet of 10 inch pipe sewer with 2 manholes the pipe to be furnished by the city.

Names of Bidders	Manholes Each	Rock excavated per cu. yd.	Laying 12" sewer per lin. ft.	Laying 10" sewer per lin. ft.	Estimated aggregates
Dennis O'Connell	$42.00	$6.00	$0.80	$0.75	$511.00
Richard Fairey	42.00	5.00	0.78	0.74	501.00
Patrick Fairey	37.00	4.50	0.78	0.75	494.00
Maurice Fairey	44.00	5.00	0.62	0.62	429.00
Charles H. Mongan	40.00	4.00	0.60	0.60	410.00

and your Committee recommends that the contract be awarded to Charles H. Mongan

By order of the Committee
George F. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers
Cross Street
Proposals
Report of Committee

Alderman Warren offered the following Order
City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen April 11. 1882

Ordered that the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized to make a contract with Charles H. Mongan for the construction of a Common Sewer in Cross Street from Medford Street to a point near High Street at the prices named in his proposals submitted in said Committee's report of this date.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Approved John P. Cummings April 11. 1882

Sewers
Cross Street
Com to contract with C. H. Mongan

Sewer
Jaques Street
Report of Committee

April 11. 1882

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers April 10 1882
To the Mayor and Aldermen
of the City of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of Jacob Tilgins and others for the laying making and maintaining of a main drain or Common Sewer in Jaques Street a private street or way, and City reports as follows namely, that in the judgment of said Committee, the common convenience and necessity require that such main drain or Common Sewer should be laid, made and maintained; and to that end that the land forming said private street or way should be taken as aforesaid; that the said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurements and boundaries of the said land, as proposed to be taken for the purpose of laying making and maintaining said Main Drain or Common Sewer as aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, said admeasurements and boundaries, the manner in which said taking shall be completed, the names of all owners of land included therein and in any wise sustaining damage by the said taking of said land and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, being described and specified in the Resolve and Order herewith transmitted which is made a part of this Report; and the Committee also reports the accompanying order of Notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen, and Resolve and Order for the taking of said land.

By order of the Committee

Attest George W. Vincent Clerk of Committee

In Board of Aldermen 11. 1882.

Report accepted and adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewer
Jaques Street
Order to hearing

April 11, 1882

Jaques Street Sewer.

(In the Common Council of the City of Sandusky
Board of Mayor and Aldermen)

(April 11, 1882)

Whereas, it is the opinion of the Mayor and Aldermen that a Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid in Jaques Street, so called, in said City from Washington Street to Sandusky Street, and that the said public street should be taken for the purpose of said Main Drain or Common Sewer, and that said Street should be taken up in the manner provided by law, and to be opened by and under the direction of the City Surveyor, the Superintendent of Streets, Sewers and Water Works, the Mayor and Aldermen hereby resolve that the said Drain or Common Sewer, and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby, and notify the owners of the adjacent lots, lands and premises, and other persons and corporations interested, that it is the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to lay and open said Street for the purpose of said Main Drain or Common Sewer, and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby, and notify the owners of the adjacent lots, lands and premises, and other persons and corporations interested, that it is the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to lay and open said Street for the purpose of said Main Drain or Common Sewer, and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby, and notify the owners of the adjacent lots, lands and premises, and other persons and corporations interested, that it is the intention of the said Mayor and Aldermen to pass ordinances for the opening, making and repairing of the same, and the charges, not already assessed, for making and laying said Main Drain or Common Sewer through said premises, do hereby resolve that the said premises be and are hereby assessed with the payment of a proportional part of the cost of laying said Main Drain or Common Sewer, and that Tuesday the 25 day of April, A. D. 1882, at 8 o'clock P. M., be and the Mayor and Aldermen meet in the City Hall in said City, and be and are hereby appointed as the time and place for the hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen of any objections which may be made thereto.

Attest: David C. Gilmore
City Clerk.

April 11, 1882

Order received its first reading under a suspension of the Rules and Orders its second reading and final passage.

Chas. E. Gilman, Clerk.

Sewer
Temple Street
Report of Committee
& Grant & Sewall Sts

Report of Committee on Sewers,
City of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers, April 10, 1882.

To the Mayor and Aldermen
of the City of Somerville,

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of Jacob S. Glines and others for the laying, making and maintaining of a sewer in Temple Street, an outlet for which sewer must be provided by laying a Main Drain or Common Sewer in Grant and Sewall Streets private street ways of said City report as follows namely.

That in the judgment of said Committee, the common convenience and necessity require that such main drain or Common Sewer should be laid, made and maintained; and to that end that the land forming said streets or ways should be taken as aforesaid that the said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurements and boundaries of the said land, as proposed to be taken for the purpose of laying, making and maintaining said Main Drain or Common Sewer as aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, said Admeasurements and boundaries the manner in which said taking shall be completed, the names of all owners of land included therein and in any wise sustaining damage by the said taking of said land and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners being described and specified in the Resolve and Order herewith transmitted, which is made a part of this report and the Committee also reports the accompanying Order of Notice for a hearing by the Mayor

and Mitchell and Resolve and Order for the taking of said land

By Order of the Committee

Attest George T Vincent

Clerk of Committee

In Board of Aldermen Report Accepted

Charles E Gilman Clerk

Order of Notice

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

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Sewer Grant, Sewall & Order for hearing

Whereas, in the opinion of the Mayor and Aldermen the public convenience and the public health require that a Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid in Grant and Sewall streets so called private ways of said City from Jaques street to Temple street and that the said private streets should be taken for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer and have ordered that said streets shall be taken, it is therefore hereby ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law, and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville, be given to Samuel E Sewall and all other persons and corporations interested that it is the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said streets for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer, and to estimate the damage occasioned thereby, and also that due notice be given to all persons and parties owning or having any rights in estates that will be benefited by the said proposed Main Drain or Common Sewer, that it is intended to assess a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same, and of the charge not already assessed of making and repairing other Main Drains and Common Sewers through which the same discharges upon the estates benefited, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the cost of the laying main

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Drains or Common Sewers and that Tuesday the 23 day of May A.D. 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen's room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue are assigned as the time and place for the hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen of any objections which may be made thereto.

Attest - Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Order received its first reading under a suspension of the Rules and Orders its second reading and final passage ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Finance
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Finance
City of Somerville

In Committee on Finance March 13, 1882 —
To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Finance required by section 1 of Ordinance No. 4 to prepare and lay before the City Council an estimate of the amount of money necessary to be raised for the current financial year and the ways and means of raising the same, and having received from the several Committees and boards having the expenditure of the City's money estimates of their several requirements, submits its report for the present year, recommending for the following named purposes the sums set down to each respectively, and that the same be raised on the polls property and estates taxable in the City according to the provisions of Law.

Fire Department Including the Salaries

In Board of Aldermen amended as shown in red ink
In Common Council amended as shown in blue ink

Of Chief Engineer	$1000.00	
" Asst " amended adding 500 concurred in	300.00	amended to 400.00 not concurred in by Council
	350.00	
" Engineer of Steamer	900.00	amended to 950.00 concurred in by Council
" Fireman of "	780.00	
" Drivers each	780.00	
and of Call men Firemen each	96.00	

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assistant Foremen each ——— $85.00
Other tail men ——— 75.00
——— Total ——— $22,020.

Health Department

Including salary of Inspector $500.00 ——— 2.500 ———

Highways

including salary of the Superintendent of Steel $1000. ——— 28,000
or amended $500 making it $1500.
appropriation for Highways amended making it ——— 30,000
amendments concurred in by Council

Interest

On funded debt and Temporary loans
to which shall be added the sums received
from the State for Corporation & Bank Taxes ——— 70,000

Miscellaneous

Reventingent purposes including pay of
Ward Experts Wardens each $400 per day ———
Clerks ——— 4.00 " " ———
Inspectors ——— 3.00 " " ———
Sealer of Weights & Measures ——— 100.00 " " ———
Pound Keeper ——— 20.00 ———
——— Total ——— 7000.00

Police

Reventingent purposes & salaries
of Chief ——— 1,400.00 ———
" Captain ——— 1,100.00 ———
" Sergeants ——— 2. each ——— 750.00 ———
" Patrolmen ——— 20 ——— 2.50 per day ———
" Lock up keeper ——— 200.00 ———

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Police Station Incidentals

Including salary of Janitor 750,00 — amended by 200 making it $1800-00 / $2000

Public Library — $1500,00

Public Park Maintenance — $1500.00

Salaries

of Mayor	$1000.00
" City Clerk (he to find his own assistant	2100.00
" City Treasurer " " furnish his " "	3,000.00
" Treasurer of sinking funds	200.00
" City Engineer (he to furnish his own team	2,000.00
" City Solicitor 1000.00 amended by bill 13 anchors making it	1,100.00
City Physician (including all medicines	700.00
City Auditor	300.00
Clerk of Common Council	200.00
Clerk of Assessors and Committees	1,600.00
Asst Clerk of Assessors & Committees	500.00
City Messenger (he to furnish his own team	1,300.00
Assessors (3) each $500,00	1,500.00
Asst Assessors (4) each $200,00	800.00
City Engineers Assistants	1200.00
Inspector of Buildings	200.00
(Total	17,400.00

School Contingent

including Superintendents salary and Miscellaneous for the Committee — 9,000.00

School Fuel — 3,500,00

School House Incidentals amended by bill 500,00 — 6,000.00

making it — 6,500.00

School Teachers Salaries — 63,000.00

Sewers — 14,000.00

Sidewalks — 2,600.00

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Sinking Fund Contributions ——— $46,595.00

Soldiers Relief ——— 225.00

Street Lights ——— 7000.00

Support of Poor including salaries

of Overseers (3) each ——— $300.00 ———

" Sweeping ——— 200.00 ———

" Store Keeper ——— 300.00 ———

——— Total ——— 14,000.00

Water Loan Interests.

to which shall be added the sums received from the City of Boston for returns on Water Rates ——— 2,000.00

Water Maintenance

Including salary of Superintendent of Water Works, by the Water Board ——— 12,000.00

Incident Soldiers and Sailors ——— 500.00

Edgerly School House addition amended adding $2000.00 ——— $16,000.00
concurred in 17,000.00

Watering Street amended adding 3000 ——— $2700.00
concurred in 3,000.00

Amounting in the aggregate to ——— $376,850.00.

By order of the Committee ———

——— Mark F. Burns Chairman ———

——— George S. Vincent Clerk ———

In Common Council April 7. 1882.

Voted to reconsider the the vote by which the salary of the Assistant Engineer of the Fire Department was fixed at $300.

Voted

To concur the report of the Committee on Finance and make the salary $350.

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Voted to reconsider the vote by which the salary of the City Solicitor was fixed at $1200.

Voted to amend the report of the Committee on Finance and make the salary of the City Solicitor $1100.

Voted to reconsider the vote by which $14,000 was recommended as the sum to be appropriated for the Edgerly School house addition

Voted to amend the report of the Committee on Finance and make the sum to be appropriated for the Edgerly School House addition _____ $17,000.00

Voted to accept and adopt the report of the Committee on Finance as a whole as amended.

_____ Douglas Frazar Clerk

In Board of Aldermen April 11. 1882.

Concurred in the amendments made by the Common Council, and adopted the report as a whole. _____ Charles B Gilman Clerk

_____ April 11. 1882. _____

Approved John H Cummings. Mayor

Finance Order laying a specific tax

_____ Order from Common Council _____

_____ Laying a Specific Tax. _____

_____ City of Somerville _____

Order making appropriations to defray the current expenses of the City, and also for the State and County Taxes for the year 1882, laying a specific Tax to provide for the payment of the same and authorizing the collection of interest on non payment of taxes.

_____ In Common Council April 7. 1882 _____

Ordered

That for the purpose of defraying the current expenses of the City for the financial year 1882. The following named sums of money be and they are hereby respectively appropriated to the accounts and for the objects and purposes

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as hereinafter explained, that is to say

Fire Department

Twenty two thousand dollars ——— $22,000.00

Health Department

Twenty five hundred dollars ——— 2,500.00

Highways

Thirty thousand dollars ——— 30,000.00

Indigent Soldiers and Sailors

Five hundred dollars ——— 500.00

Interest

Seventy thousand dollars ——— 70,000.00

Miscellaneous

Seven thousand dollars ——— 7,000.00

Police

Twenty two thousand five hundred dollars ——— 22,500.00

Police Station Incidentals

Two thousand dollars ——— 2,000.00

Public Library

Fifteen hundred dollars ——— 1,500.00

Public Park Maintenance

Fifteen hundred dollars ——— 1,500.00

Salaries

Eighteen thousand dollars ——— 18,000.00

School Contingent

Nine thousand dollars ——— 9,000.00

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School Fuel
Thirty five hundred dollars ——— $3.500.00

School House Incidentals
Sixty five hundred dollars ——— 6.500.00

School Teachers Salaries
Sixty three thousand dollars ——— 63.000.00

Sewers
Fourteen thousand dollars ——— 14.000.00

Sidewalks
Twenty six hundred dollars ——— 2.600.00

Sinking Fund Contributions
Forty five thousand five hundred & twenty five dollars ——— 45.525.00

Soldiers Relief
Two hundred and twenty five dollars ——— 225.00

Street Lights
Seven thousand dollars ——— 7.000.00

Support of Poor
Fourteen thousand dollars ——— 14.000.00

Watering Streets
Three thousand dollars ——— 3.000.00

Water Maintenance
Twelve thousand dollars ——— 12.000.00

Water Loan Interest
Two thousand dollars ——— 2.000.00

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Edgerly School House addition
Seventeen thousand dollars ——— $17.000.00.

Amounting in the aggregate to ——— $376.850.00.

State of Massachusetts ———
such sum as has been or may be assessed by the General Court of the State as the City's portion of a State tax for the year 1882.

County of Middlesex ———
such sum as has been or may be assessed as the city's portion of a County tax for the year 1882.

Overlay and Abatement ———
such sum as the assessors may add to the amount of the taxes to be assessed, as fractional divisions for convenience in the apportionment.
And it is further Ordered.
That the aforesaid sum of Three hundred and seventy six thousand, eight hundred and fifty dollars and the sums which will be required for State and County taxes and as fractional divisions, be raised on the polls, property and estates taxable in this City according to the provisions of law.
And it is further
Ordered
That interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum shall be charged from the thirty first day of October upon all taxes to be assessed the present year which shall remain unpaid on the fifteenth day of November until the same shall be paid; and such interest shall be added to and be considered a part of such taxes.
In Common Council April 7. 1882.
Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage and sent up for concurrence.
Douglas Frazar Clerk.

April 11, 1882

(In Board of Aldermen) (April 11, 1882)
Order adopted by suspending the first and second reading and final passage in concurrence

Charles E. Gilman (Clerk)

(April 11, 1882 – John P. Cummings Mayor)

(Adjourned)

To Tuesday April 18, 1882

Charles E. Gilman
Clerk

April 18. 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
April 18 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Nacross, Wellington, Rowlstone, Clark, Burns, Durgin and Field present

Record of last meeting read and approved.

Petition of Charles River Street Railway Company
April 15. 1882.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

The undersigned petitioner the Charles River Street Railway Company respectfully petitions that it may be permitted to erect a stable for more than four horses upon land situated at the corner of Beacon and Vine Street in said City of Somerville.

Charles River Street Railway Company.
per Charles S Hanks
Clerk of said Company.

Dimensions of stable about 30 ft. + 100 feet.

Petition referred to Committee on Intentions to Build.

Charles E Gilman Clerk

Intention to build by Charles River Street Railway Company

Traitors Warrington was appointed and confirmed a Public Weigher to act upon the premises of the Fitchburg Railroad Company without compensation from the City

Public Weigher appointment

Petition of Nathaniel Gilson for Street Lamp on Linden Avenue received and referred to the Committee on Street Lights and sent down for Concurrence

Charles E Gilman Clerk

In Common Council. April 26. 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Street Lights Petition of N Gilson

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Telephone Petition of J A Cummings & others for removal of Poles on Wallace Street	Petition of John A Cummings and others that poles of the Gold and Stock Telephone Company may be removed from Wallace Street was referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for Concurrence ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk In Common Council April 25, 1882 Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.
Sidewalks Wallace Street petition for	Petition of John A Cummings and others that Edgestones may be set gutters paved and sidewalks covered with gravel, on both sides of Wallace Street from Holland Street to Broadway. Referred to the Committee on Highways ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk ———
License Liquor Petition of C H Crane	Petition of Charles H Crane Druggist for a License to sell spirituous liquors at his place of business at the corner of Franklin and Perkins Street Referred to the Committee on Licenses.
Intentions to build G S Burnham on Sycamore Street	Notice of G S Burnham Intention to build a Stable on Sycamore Street Referred to the Committee on Intentions to build
Sewers Nevada Street Hearing	In accordance with an order dated March 14/82 a hearing was held in reference to the construction of a Sewer in Nevada Street or Avenue so called ——— Officers Return on Order of Notice ——— ——— City of Somerville ———
Sewers Nevada Street Officers return on Order of Notice	City of Somerville Middlesex ss. April 18, 1882. I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed I have notified the parties therein referred to, by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit: Catherine Fitzgerald, Alexander Neiby, Stephen Kenney, Edmund & Ellen O Brien, Ellen Mullen, Dallas Blount, Stephen Landers, Helen Ricker

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Sears Condit, Patrick Barry, John & John Kenney and I have duly notified all other persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this city a true and attested copy of said order.
and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville called the Somerville Journal. The last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

——— Fairy Mann Constable of Somerville
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex, ss.

——— Somerville April 18, 1882 ———

Then personally appeared the above named Fairy Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true.

——— Before me George I Vincent ———

——— Justice of the Peace ———

The Order and the Officers return thereon was read and no person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

——— Charles E Gilman Clerk.

Sewers Nevada & resolve & order taking of land

Resolve and order for laying out Sewer in Nevada Street or Avenue ———

——— City of Somerville ———

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen ———

——— April 18, 1882 ———

Resolved and adjudged that the public conveniences and the public health require that a Main Drain a Common Sewer should be laid out made & maintained in Nevada Street or Avenue so called a private way in said City from Village street to Hanson Street, and for that purpose it is necessary to take for said Main Drain a Common sewer

A parcel of land belonging to Catharine Fitzgerald containing 147 3/10 feet more or less

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A parcel of land belonging to Alexander Reilly
Containing 400 Square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Stephen Kenney
Containing 400 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Edmund & Ellen C. Bivon
Containing 400 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Ellen Mullen
Containing 400 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Catherine Fitzgerald
Containing 400 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Dallas Blount
Containing 400 Square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Stephen Landers
Containing 400 Square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Helen Richer
Containing 400 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Sears Condit
Containing 400 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Patrick Barry
Containing 400 Square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to John Kennedy
Containing 802 3/4 square feet more or less

Each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on plan drawn by George H. Kimball City Engineer dated March 14, 1882 entitled Nevada Avenue Sewer and herewith submitted

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And whereas the petition of Wm. Fitzgerald and others asking for the taking, making, and maintaining of such sewer, and the matter of taking said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid were referred to the Committee on Sewers and Drains, as appears by its report here to annexed, the said Committee was of opinion that the public convenience and necessity require that said Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid, made, and maintained, and the said Committee has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said parcels of land, taken for the purposes aforesaid, to be distinctly marked on the premises by the City Engineer and also when a plan thereof and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such taking shall be completed, and reported the names of all parties sustaining damages by such taking, with the amount of such damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each said owner, as every appears in said report; and whereas said report and plan have remained in the City Clerk's office for the term of seven days at least to our the Mayor and Aldermen recorded to all thereon, and whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said parcels of land for the purpose of said main drain or Common Sewer as by the order of notice and hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and the return thereto annexed will fully appear, and whereas, at the time and place in said order of notice appointed the Mayor and Aldermen met and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard.

It is therefore ordered that the parcels of land before described, and the same are hereby taken for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer of the said city under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same, and of the charge not already assessed, of making and repairing other Main Drains and Common Sewers through which the same discharges, according to the plans of the same made by George A. Kimball City Engineer

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dated March 14. 1882 and deposited in the office of the City Clerk, as aforesaid; that the said land taken as aforesaid, and as shown and designated upon said plans, and the same is hereby taken and established as for a Main Drain or Common Sewer, of the said City that the boundaries, location, and admeasurements of said land taken as aforesaid, are all as shown upon said plans which is hereby made a part of this Order, and as follows To wit; said land is bounded:-

Northeasterly by Village Street Thirty five and 9/10 feet — Southerly by the southerly line of said Nevada Street so called two hundred and sixty two feet;

Westerly by Hanson Street Twenty feet; and Northerly by a line distant throughout Twenty feet from the second named line two hundred and thirty three feet.-

That the proprietors, occupants or owners of the land taken as aforesaid are allowed until the first day of May next, to take off their trees, fences and other property which may obstruct the laying of said Main Drain or Common Sewer and that the following is an estimate and award of the damages sustained by any persons in their property by the taking of said land namely.

Sewers Nevada Street damages awarded

Catharine Fitzgerald	Nothing
Alexander Neily	Nothing
Stephen Kenney	Nothing
Edmund and Ellen O'Brien	Nothing
Ellen O'Mullen	Nothing
Catharine Fitzgerald	Nothing
Dallas Blount	Nothing
Stephen Sanders	Nothing
Helen Picken	Nothing
Sears Condit	Nothing
Patrick Barry	Nothing
John Kenney	Nothing

In Board of Aldermen April 18. 1882

Received its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

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Alderman Hayes offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

April 18, 1882.

Ordered,

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorised and instructed to construct a common sewer in Nevada Avenue from the sewer in Village Street to be joined near Stanton Street, and report to this Board after the completion of said sewer the costs of the same, together with a list of assessments, such as in the judgment of said Committee shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited.

Order adopted receiving its first reading and under a suspension of the Rules and Orders its second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers
Nevada Street or Avenue
Order to construct

Alderman Hayes offered the following order.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

April 18, 1882.

Ordered

That the City Engineer be and is hereby authorized to issue a permit to lay a private drain from the Russell Street sewer to the estate on the easterly side of said Russell Street containing 3100 square feet more or less, distant southwesterly from Elm Street ninety three and 40/100 feet owned by Daniel T. Callahan and situated within the limits of the City of Cambridge, when the City Treasurer shall have received the sum of twenty five and 12/100 dollars for the privilege of connecting said estate with said sewer.

In Board of Aldermen

Order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers
Russell Street
Engineer authorized to grant permit to connect estate of Daniel T. Callagher of Cambridge with sewer in Russell Street

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Memorial day order making appropriation for returned from Council

The Order appropriating money for the observance of memorial day, and the substitute order from this Branch as an amendment were both returned from the common Council with the following endorsement —

— In Common Council April 13, 1882.

Voted:

That no action be taken on account of an irregularity in the action of the Board of Aldermen relative to the amendment, sent up for information

— Douglas Frazar Clerk —

On motion, the original order and the substitute were indefinitely postponed.

Memorial day order making appropriation for observance of

Alderman Sears offered the following order

— City of Somerville —

Ordered

That the Committee on accounts be and is hereby authorized to approve in payroll of Miscellaneous account, bills contracted by Post 139 G.A.R. for the observance of Memorial Day certified by the commander or proper Committee of said Post and not to exceed in the aggregate three hundred dollars.

Order adopted receiving its first reading and second reading and final passage sent down for concurrence

— Charles E. Gilman Clerk —

In Common Council — April 25 1882 —

adopted receiving a first & second reading & final passage in concurrence

— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets Columbus avenue Order relating to assessments

— In Executive Session —

Alderman Dunn offered the following Order

— City of Somerville —

In Board of Aldermen April 18. 1882.

Ordered

That upon payment into the City Treasury by the abutters on Columbus Avenue on or before June 1st prox. of seventy five per cent of the assessment laid upon their estates for the extension of Columbus Avenue under order of the

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City Council passed May 4th and May 12 1880.
The City Treasurer and Collector of taxes is hereby authorized and empowered to accept the same in full satisfaction and payment thereof.—
Alderman Burns moved that further action on the order be postponed until the next meeting and the committee instructed to ascertain what amount the abutters will accept as a compromise.——
—— The motion did not prevail
Order adopted 4 Alderman voting in the affirmative and 3 in the negative. Order sent down for concurrence.
—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk ——

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Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
April 25 1882
(President, Weld Presiding)

(1) Aldermen present	Aldermen Norcross, Wellington, Norcstone, Page Clark, Burns, Durgin and Weld present.
	Record of last meeting read and approved.
License petition for to sell liquor	Petition of John J. Woods, W. L. Woods & Co. George H. Cowdin, C. F. Charles, George E. Hanson, J. C. Howard, W. C. Clark, J. J. & M. F. Fenton for license to sell liquor. Referred to Committee on Licenses
License for Junk Frank Henrick	Petition of Frank Henrick for a license to collect old Junk had leave to withdraw.
License Junk petition for Joseph Purcell	Petition of Joseph Purcell for a license to collect old Junk had leave to withdraw.
James & John McDonald license to collect junk	License to collect old junk was granted to James McDonald & John McDonald.
Streets Petition of R. P. Benton that Avon Street be laid out as a public Street	Petition of Reuben P. Benton and others that Avon Street be extended and laid out from School Street to Central Street as a public highway was referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.
	In Common Council April 25 1882. Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk
Streets petition of R. P. Benton & others that Berkley Street be laid out as a public highway	Petition of Reuben P. Benton and others Berkley Street be extended and laid out from School Street to Central Street as a public highway. Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council April 25, 1882.
Concurred in _____ Douglas Frazar Clerk

Petition of Reuben T. Benton and others that Little Washington Street be laid out from Central Street to the present Terminus Thereof as a public highway referred to the Committee on highways and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council April 25 1882
Concurred in _____ Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Streets ✓
Little Washington St.
Petition of R. T. Benton & others for acceptance

The following persons were granted licenses as auctioneers _____
F. G. Williams, Charles W. Sawyer, Wm. D. Hayden, Joseph J. Giles, Jerome S. Daniels, & A. P. Perry

Licenses as Auctioneers Granted ✓

A permit was granted to Henry Brothers to repair building on Putnam Street.

Intention to repair building H. Brothers. ✓

A permit was granted to Reuben Horton to build & repair dwelling house on Franklin Street

Intention to build R. Horton ✓

Petition of Abbie S. Bailey that the public sewer in School Street be extended from its northerly terminus to a point opposite her residence referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Sewer School Street petition for ✓

Petition of Patrick Farrell and others for a Catch Basin in Allen Street; Referred to Committee on Sewers

Sewer Catch Basin Allen Street ✓

Petition of R. F. Butler and others for a sewer in Washington Street between Linwood & Joy Street referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Sewer Washington Street petition for ✓

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Sidewalk Washington St. petition for

Petition of S. B. Hutter and others for edgestones and sidewalk Brick or gravel on Washington Street between Linwood and Joy Street.
Referred to the Committee on Highways

Street Petition of C. O. Sargent & others that strip of land extending from Marshall Street to Sargent Avenue be opened to the public

Petition of Baron Sargent and others
Somerville, April 10. 1882.
To the City Council of the City of Somerville
The undersigned respectfully petition your Honorable Body that you will cause the strip of land owned by the city and extending from Marshall Street to Sargent Avenue, to be opened and put in proper order for public travel
Your petitioners would call attention to the fact that there is at present no public way leading from the Southeasterly side of Marshall Street, and that by reason thereof persons living in that vicinity are subjected to great delay and inconvenience in passing from point to point.
Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council April 25. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Swazar Clerk.

Sidewalks Concord Avenue Report of Committee Newton Street Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways April 14. 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of John O'Brien and others for edge stones on both sides of Concord Avenue from Prospect Street to Springfield Street and on both sides of Newton Street from Welder Avenue to Concord Avenue recommends that the prayer of the petitioners be granted in so far as it relates to the setting of edge stones on the northwest side of Concord Avenue from Prospect Street to Newton Street

and on the Southeast side of Hinton Street from Winter Avenue to Concord Avenue.

By Order of the Committee

George I. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted and adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Report of Committee on Licenses
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
April 25, 1882.

Licenses
Report of Committee on petition of G. Galvin

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the petition of John Galvin for a License to collect junk recommend that the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

For Committee J. Frank Wellington

Report accepted and adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Report of Committee on Licenses
City of Somerville. April 25, 1882.

Licenses
Report of Committee on petition of Wm Mills

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the petition of Wm Mills for a License to keep a pool table in his hair dressing room on Lincoln Street would report that they have examined very carefully into the matter and would recommend that the petitioner have leave to withdraw.

For the Committee J. F. Wellington

Report accepted and adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Report of Committee on Intentions to Build
City of Somerville

Intention to build
Report of Committee on petition of G. Burnham

In Committee on Intentions to build April 25, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Intentions to build to which was referred the notice of G. S. Burnham of intention to build a wooden

April 25, 1882

Stable on his premises on Sycamore Street recommends that permission to erect such stable be granted
For the Committee Asa Durgin, C. A. Page
Report accepted & adopted.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Taxes
Communication from S Knights

Communication from Samuel Knights
To his Honor the Mayor and the City Council
of City of Somerville.
Gentlemen:
Herewith please find a tax title deed dated June 13 1877, signed Aaron Sargent Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for City of Somerville.
The consideration paid eighty nine 39/100 dollars with interest, I ask to be refunded for the reason that the deed is said to be invalid for reason of informality in the advertisement of the sale of the property.
The informality is said to be in using the word undivided
The Supreme Court decision applicable may be found in the case Wall vs Wall 124 Mass page 65.
Respt Samuel Knight
March 25, 1882
Referred to the Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council April 25, 1882
Concurred in
Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Taxes
Order for release of estates to A Larkin

Alderman Burns offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
April 25, 1881.
Ordered:
That the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and instructed upon the receipt from Abraham Larkin of the full amount of the City's claim for the

taxes assessed upon a certain lot of land situated on Glen Street, for the years 1877, 1878, 1879, 1880, 1881, together with all the costs, expenses, and interest on which have already or may accrue previous to the time appointed for its sale at public auction, release, and convey to said Larkin all the right title and interest on which the City of Somerville has in said estate by virtue of the title conveyed by the Collector of taxes dated July 7th 1879, and recorded with Middlesex (South District) Deeds Book 1816, Page 184, and the Mayor is hereby authorized and empowered to execute and deliver to said Larkin a quit claim deed for said property provided such settlement is effected.

Order Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council April 25, 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Alderman Wellington offered the following Ordinance

No 32.

Ordinances relation to making contracts —

An Ordinance Inventation to the making of Contracts

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Somerville, as follows.

Section 1.

All Committees authorized to make contracts on behalf of the City shall first submit for approval to the Board of Aldermen or the City Council as the jurisdiction in the case may require, all estimates, bids or proposals for such contracts and the same shall afterwards be presented by the City Clerk to the Mayor for his approval and signature.

On motion of Alderman Burns referred to the Committee on Ordinances with instructions to report an ordinance at our next meeting covering the grounds embodied in the ordinance herewith presented sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council April 26 1882 — Concurred in

Douglas Frazar Clerk.

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Intentions to build Report of Com on petition of Charles River Street Railway

Report of Committee on Intentions to build
City of Somerville
In Committee on Intentions to Build
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Intentions to Build to which was referred the petition of the Charles River Street Railway Company for permission to erect a stable for more than four horses upon land situated at the Corner of Beacon and Vine Streets recommend the adoption of the accompanying order for a hearing
Ira Durgin, C. N. Page
Report Accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Intention to Build order for hearing on petition of Charles River Street Railway

Alderman Page Offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
April 25, 1882.

Ordered

That Tuesday May 9th 1882, at 8 o'clock P. M. and the Mayor and Aldermens Room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue be assigned as the time and place for the hearing by this Board of all parties desiring to be heard either for or against the petition of the Charles River Street Railway Company for permission to erect a stable for more than four horses upon land situated at the corner of Beacon Street and Vine Street in this City and it is further ordered

That a copy of this order be published in the Somerville Journal of April 29th inst, and that a like copy be sent to said Charles River Street Railway Company

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

April 25, 1882

Sidewalks
Newton Street
Order for hearing

Aldermen Dwyer offered the following Order

City of Somerville

The Board of Aldermen, April 25, 1882.

Whereas, in the opinion of the Board of Aldermen the public convenience requires that sidewalks should be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed on the southeasterly side of Newton Street from Webster Avenue to Concord Avenue to be covered with ames and with edgestones, to be of the width of six and [illegible], and the grade of the same to conform to the grade of the street, it is therefore hereby

Ordered, that due notice, to be served as prescribed for the service of notices of intention to lay out highways, be given to ——

Harriet N. Merrill, James Dennison, Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank, Robert C. Graham, Rebecca H. Bent, Hiram Greek, Julia H. Goodrich, Ezra W. Stevens, Ann J. Goodman, Charles S. Parker, George H. Moore, Heirs of Abraham W. Dame, Alonzo H. Tuck, Alvin Burgess and all other persons and corporations interested, That this Board will at their room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue, on Tuesday the 13th day of June, 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. take into consideration the expediency of grading and constructing said sidewalks, and completing said partially constructed sidewalks as aforesaid and of assessing upon the abutters on such sidewalks, in just proportions, a proper part, according to law, of the expense of the same; and that any persons making objections thereto will then and there be heard.

—— Attest Charles E. Gilman, City Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted

—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk

April 25, 1882

Sidewalks Concord Ave. Order for hearing

Alderman Burgin offered the following Order

City of Somerville

April 25, 1882. In Board of Aldermen

Whereas, in the opinion of the Board of Aldermen the public convenience requires that sidewalks should be graded and constructed, and partially constructed sidewalks completed on the northwesterly side of Concord Avenue, from Prospect street to Austin street, to be covered with gravel and with edgestones, to be of the width of six and 8/12 feet, and the grade of the same to conform to the grade of the street, it is therefore hereby

Ordered

That due notice to be served as prescribed for the service of notices of intention to lay out highways be given to

Joseph W. Guernsey, James Dennison, Jacob M. Haskell, and Charles H. Adams, John O'Brien, Wm. S. & H. G. Lewis, John Keene, Daniel Bradley, Ellen Weston, J. Howland Hart, Heirs of Abraham Dame, Almira H. Tuck, Albert Burgess

and all other persons and corporations interested; that this Board will at their room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue on Tuesday the 13th day of June 1882 at 8 o'clock P.M. take into consideration the expediency of grading and constructing said sidewalks and completing said partially constructed sidewalks as aforesaid and of assessing upon the abutters on such sidewalks in just proportions a proper part according to law of the expense of the same and that any persons making objections thereto will then and there be heard.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

April 25, 1882

Hearing in reference to Location of Steam Boiler

In accordance with an order passed April 4, 1882 a hearing was held in reference to the locating and maintaining of a Steam Boiler on Larkins Street upon the petition of the Eagle Shade Roller Company also upon the petition of James H. McLane for the location of a Steam Boiler on Clarke Street —

No person appearing to object the hearing was closed

Steam Boilers Hearing in reference to locating

Two branches in Convention Alderman Wild presiding April 25. 1882.

In accordance with an order passed March 21. 1882 a hearing was held in reference to the laying out of Vinal Avenue from Summer Street to Highland Avenue as a public highway

No person appearing to object the hearing was closed

Vinal Avenue Hearing for Report of Committee see page 559.

Officers return in order of notice for a hearing in reference to the laying out of Vinal Avenue as a public highway

City of Somerville Middlesex, ss.

April 20 1882.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit

Leonard Arnold, Albert L. Lodge, Charles E. Davis, Sophia Burnett, Joseph A. Damon, Louisa M. Pond, Frasen B. Walker, Charles Mary, Mary F. Gooding, Thomas McCloskey, Hannah Nash, Susan Barton, Mary J. Greene,

and by delivering in hand a true copy of the said order to the tenants or authorized agents respectively of the following named persons to wit

City of Somerville, Mary A. Hathaway

and the following named persons having no place of abode in this city and no tenants or authorized agents therein

Order of notice for hearing see page 560.

Vinal Avenue Officers return in order of notice for a hearing

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known as such, or if resident in this City not being known as such, or if resident in this City, not being known as such I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested, by posting up in two public places in this City a true and attested copy of said order Margaret F. Burt, Emeline W. Wilder, Wm C. Burt, Wm S. Stearns, John W. Keith, Horace C. Bright, Wm O. Grover, Job Mansir, Lucia Knight and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville called the Somerville Journal the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing, and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named,

— Jairus Mann Constable of Somerville

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex, ss.

— Somerville April 20, 1882. —

Then personally appeared the above named Jairus Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true before me.

— Grace W. Vincent Justice of the Peace,

Streets Vinal Avenue Laying out and Taking of land

Vinal Avenue Order of laying out and taking of land.

— City of Somerville —

In Board of Aldermen April 25, 1882.

Resolved, that the common convenience and necessity of the inhabitants of the City require that Vinal Avenue should be laid out as a public street or way of the said City from Summer Street to Highland Avenue, and of a uniform width of city give and throughout, all as more particularly hereinafter described, and for that purpose it is necessary to take and lay out as a public street or way of the said City;

Margaret F Burt

A parcel of land belonging to Margaret F Burt containing 3986 square feet more or less,

A parcel of land belonging to City of Somerville containing 1150 Square feet more or less	City of Somerville
A parcel of land belonging to Margaret F. Burt containing 1350 Square feet more or less.	M F Burt
A parcel of land belonging to Caroline R Wilder containing 1350 Square feet more or less.	C R Wilder
A parcel of land belonging to Edmund D Arnold containing 1350 Square feet more or less	Edmund D Arnold
A parcel of land belonging to Wm A Burt containing 1350 Square feet more or less.	Wm A Burt
A parcel of land belonging to Margaret F Burt containing 1350 Square feet more or less.	M F Burt
A parcel of land belonging to Blint L Dodge containing 1700 Square feet more or less.	B L Dodge
A parcel of land belonging to Wm A Burt containing 1350 Square feet more or less.	Wm A Burt
A parcel of land belonging to Margaret F Burt containing 1350 Square feet more or less	M F Burt
A parcel of land belonging to Charles E Davis containing 1386 Square feet more or less.	C E Davis
A parcel of land belonging to Stephen A Burnett containing 1025 Square feet more or less.	S A Burnett
A parcel of land belonging to Joseph N Damon containing 1151 Square feet more or less.	J N Damon

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L. H. Pond	A parcel of land belonging to Louisa M. Pond containing 4710 square feet more or less.
Wm S. Stearns	A parcel of land belonging to Wm S. Stearns containing 1571 square feet more or less.
J. W. F. Robbs	A parcel of land belonging to John W. F. Robbs containing 2033 square feet more or less.
H. O. Bright	A parcel of land belonging to Bruce O. Bright containing 2063 square feet more or less
J. B. Walker	A parcel of land belonging to Susan B. Walker containing 2361 square feet more or less
Wm S. Stearns	A parcel of land belonging to Wm S. Stearns containing 2306 square feet more or less.
Wm S. Stearns	A parcel of land belonging to Wm S. Stearns containing 2306 square feet more or less.
Charles Mary	A parcel of land belonging to Charles Mary containing 1596 square feet more or less
Mary J. Gooding	A parcel of land belonging to Mary J. Gooding containing 1074 square feet more or less.
E. P. Wilder	A parcel of land belonging to Emeline P. Wilder containing 1395 square feet more or less.
M. F. Burt	A parcel of land belonging to Margaret F. Burt containing 1395 square feet more or less.
Wm O. Grover	A parcel of land belonging to Wm O. Grover containing 1395 square feet more or less.

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A parcel of land belonging to Wm C Burt containing 1395 square feet more or less.	Wm C Burt
A parcel of land belonging to Mary A Hathaway containing 1395 square feet more or less.	M P Hathaway
A parcel of land belonging to Job Manson containing 1328 square feet more or less	Job Manson
A parcel of land belonging to Margaret F Burt containing 1320 square feet more or less	M F Burt
A parcel of land belonging to Thos McCloskey containing 1350 square feet more or less	Thos McCloskey
A parcel of land belonging to Hannah Nash containing 1350 square feet more or less	Hannah Nash
A parcel of land belonging to Susan Barton containing 1360 square feet more or less.	Susan Benton
A parcel of land belonging to Emeline P Wilder containing 1350 square feet more or less	E P Wilder
A parcel of land belonging to Mary P Green containing 1350 square feet more or less.	M P Green
A parcel of land belonging to Lucerba Knight containing 1350 square feet more or less	Lucerba Knight
A parcel of land belonging to Wm C Burt containing 1750 square feet more or less.	Wm C Burt
To be said parcels being bounded and described as shown on a plan drawn by Charles S Elliot Civil Engineer dated March 1882 with addition by George H Kimball City Engineer and on file in the City Clerks office -	

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and whereas, the Committee on Highways has reported that the common convenience and necessity require that the said street should be laid out as hereinafter stated and described and has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said street to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, and also upon a plan thereof, and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such laying out shall be completed, and reported the names of all parties in any wise sustaining damage by such laying out with the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, as fully appears in said report and whereas said report and plan have remained in the City Clerk's office for the term of seven days at least before the City Council proceeded to act thereon, and whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the City Council to take the said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid and to lay out said street or way as by the order of notice and the return thereto annexed, will fully appear, and whereas at the time and place in said order of notice appointed, the City Council met and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard.

It is therefore ordered that the parcels of land before described be and the same hereby are taken according to the plan of said Bonal Avenue Street made by Charles D. Elliot, Civil Engineer dated March 1882, with additions by George S. Kimball City Engineer dated March 14, 1881 and deposited in the office of the City Clerk as aforesaid and that said street or way as shown and designated upon said plan be and the same is hereby so as aforesaid laid out and established as and for a public street or way of the said City, that the boundaries, location and admeasurements of said street are all as shown upon said plan, which is hereby made a part of this order and as following to wit said street is bounded

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[illegible] by the [illegible] of the [illegible] thereon [illegible] hundred and [illegible] and [illegible] feet; [illegible] by Highland Avenue, forty five feet; [illegible] by a line distant throughout forty five feet from the first named line [illegible] hundred and thirty eight and [illegible] feet; and Westerly by Summer Street [illegible] and [illegible] feet; that the following is the manner in which such street or way shall be completed [illegible] according to a grade of said Vinal Avenue as shown and laid down upon said plan thereof made by Charles D. Elliot, Civil Engineer; that the proprietors [illegible] the land [illegible] which said street or way is thereby laid out and through which it is to pass, are allowed until the first day of May next to take off their trees, fences and other property which may obstruct the building of such street or way; that the following is an estimate, assessment and award of the damages sustained by any persons in their property by the laying of said street or way [illegible]

Margaret F. Burt	Nothing	Wm S Stearns	Nothing
[illegible]	Nothing	Wm S Stearns	Nothing
Margaret F Burt	Nothing	Charles Mary	Nothing
[illegible]	Nothing	Mary J Gooding	Nothing
[illegible]	Nothing	Emeline A Wilder	Nothing
Wm C Burt	Nothing	Margaret F Burt	Nothing
Margaret F Burt	Nothing	Wm C Grover	Nothing
[illegible]	Nothing	Wm C Burt	Nothing
Wm C Burt	Nothing	Mary A Hathaway	Nothing
Margaret F Burt	Nothing	Joe Mansir	Nothing
Charles E Davis	Nothing	Margaret F Burt	Nothing
Sophia Burnett	Nothing	Thos McCloskey	Nothing
Joseph H Lamon	Nothing	Hannah Nash	Nothing
Louisa M Vond	Nothing	Susan Barton	Nothing
Wm S Stearns	Nothing	Emeline A Wilder	Nothing
John W F Fowles	Nothing	Mary J Green	Nothing
Grace O Bright	Nothing	Lucia Knight	Nothing
Frason B Walker	Nothing	Wm C Burt	Nothing

Vinal Avenue Damages

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In Board of Aldermen April 25, 1882,
Resolve and Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council April 25, 1882,
Resolve and Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading, and final passage in concurrence.

Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets. (Newbury Street Laying out of Report of Committee)

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways April 14, 1882
To the City Council
of the City of Somerville

The Committee on Highways, to which was referred the petition of Wm A Muzzey and others for the laying out of Newbury Street from Holland Street to the Cambridge Line report as follows namely, that in the judgment of the said Committee the common convenience and necessity require that such street or way should be laid out that said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurements and boundaries of the said street or way as proposed to be laid out to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, said admeasurements and boundaries the manner in which said laying out shall be completed the names, the names of all owners of land included therein, and in any wise sustaining damage by said laying out of such street or way as proposed, and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, being described and specified in the Resolve and Order herewith transmitted which is made a part of this report and the Committee also reports the accompanying order of notice for a hearing by the City Council and resolve and order for the laying out by order of the Committee attest George Vincent Clerk of Committee

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In Board of Aldermen
Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council April 25, 1882.
Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.
——— Douglas Frazar Clerk ———

Aldermen Bergin offered the following Order
——— City of Somerville ———
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen ———
——— April 25, 1882. ———

Streets
Newbury Street
Order for hearing

Whereas in the opinion of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen and of the Common Council, the Common Convenience and necessity of the inhabitants require that Newbury Street should be laid out from Holland street to the Cambridge line street as a public street or way of the said City, as shown on a plan, and referred to and described in a Report of the Committee on Highways in regard thereto, said plan and report being deposited in the Office of the City Clerk, it is therefore hereby
Ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law, and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville be given to Sarah L. Robbs, Alice R. Morrill, Albert Fitch and Samuel B. Phelps, Rebecca H. Rogers, Trustees of Donations to the Protestant Episcopal Church, Ransom A. Muse, Charles J. Mattoon, Abigail T. Trimble, Lorenzo Morrill Executor of Estate of Elizabeth Cook, Henry Holler, William A. Muzzey, William Litchfield, T. Nelson Hastings, William S. Spitler, James J. Miller, Willard Dairymple, Heirs of Samuel T. Parker, Luzetta S. Emerson, James N. Cartwright, John Scofield, Joseph Steele, Diantha Peasley, Charles Trull, J. P. & H. C. Ferry, Louise Cherrington, Israel P. Lord, and all persons and corporations interested, that it is the intention of the City Council to lay out the street before mentioned by taking a portion of their land

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and laying out the same as a public street and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby, and that Tuesday the 13th day of June A.D. 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Common Council Room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue, are appointed as the time and place for the hearing by the City Council of any objections which may be made thereto.

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council April 25, 1882

Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage, in concurrence

Douglas Frazar Clerk

Columbus avenue abatement of assts.

In Executive Session

On motion of Alderman Wellington the adoption of the order relating to the abatement of assessments levied for the construction of Columbus Avenue was reconsidered.

On motion of Alderman Wellington the order was laid upon the table until the next meeting of the Board.

Adjourned

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Officers qualified by the City Clerk

James Mann	Constable	January	16,	1882
Wm D Hayden	"	"	17	"
C C Folsom	"	"	17	"
Samuel N Dow	"	"	17	"
Nicol R Perry	"	"	17	"
C C Cavanagh	"	"	17	"
Benoit F Carnell	"	"	17	"
John H Prichard	Special Police officer	"	23	"
James W Hopkins	" " "	"	23	"
James Mann	Tenant officer	"	23	"
Wm J Brine	Constable " "	"	23	"
H B Nunny	Constable	"	24	"
Am Kiley	Surveyor of Stone work	"	24	"
B F Johnson	Police officer	"	24	"
Timothy J Dean	" "	"	25	"
Peter J Savage	" "	"	24	"
Joseph J Giles	Constable	"	25	"
Joseph W Loughton	Police officer	"	25	"
Nathaniel Donnell	" "	"	25	"
Joseph Young	" "	"	26	"
B F Sheridan	" "	"	26	"
Wm H Denton	" "	"	26	"
Frank M Staples	" "	"	26	"
George O Gove	" "	"	26	"
Hugh Blackwell	" "	February	1	"
Edward E Winslow	" "	"	3	"
Wm Armstrong	" "	"	3	"
George W Hadley	Principal Assessor	"	4	"
Joseph M Porter	Police Officer	"	27	"
Wm A Muzzey	Assistant Assessor	March	14	"
D H Minn	Police Officer	"	15	"
Peter Savage	" "	"	14	"
Wm R Lann	" "	"	15	"
L P Young	" "	"	20	"
Noah H Harding	Sealer of Weights & Measures	"	23	"
Daniel Burks	Assistant Assessor	March	28	"

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Thomas Daley	Police Officer	April 15. 1882	
H A Melvin	Assistant Assessor	May 1	"
B F Thompson	" "	May 1	"
Michael W Murphy	Police Officer	" 4	"
John E Fuller	Field Driver	" 17	"

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Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
May 9. 1882.
Alderman Weed presiding

Aldermen	Aldermen Norcross, Wellington, Rowestone, Page, Clark, Burns, Dungin, & Weed present.
Sewer ✓ Shawmut St Shawmut pr Aiston St	Petition of H. M. Leach and others for a Sewer in Shawmut Street Shawmut Place & Aiston Street Referred to Committee on Sewers.
License Private Detective	Petition of John S. McAdoo for a License as a private detective Referred to the Committee on Licenses –
License petition for Common Victualler J J McCormick	Petition of Thomas J. McCormick for a License as a Common Victualler Referred to the Committee on Licenses.
License Billiard Table J J McCormick petition for	Petition of J J McCormick that he may be granted a License to keep Billiard Tables at his place of business 23 & 27 Union Square and Washington Str: 15 Referred to the Committee on Licenses
License Fireworks petition of E J Burt	Petition of E J Burt for a License to sell Fireworks during the Holidays at his place of business Union Square Referred to the Committee on Licenses

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Petition of Silas D. Carter that a License may be granted him as an Innholder at Hotel Warren No 40 Union Square & Somerville also to keep a Tool Table at the same place. Referred to the Committee on Licenses.	License petition of S. D. Carter as Innholder & keep a Tool Table
Petition of H. O. Chapin for leave to set out Trees on Dover Street. Petition granted the same to be done under direction of Superintendent of Streets	H. O. Chapin for permit to set out trees
S. H. Lewis and John Stanhope were appointed auctioneers for the ensuing year.	Auctioneers appointment of
Permit was granted Oliver Burgess to set out trees on Union Street and Concord Avenue the same to be done under the direction of the Superintendent of Streets	Oliver Burgess for permit to set out trees.
Petition of George H. Lomas for a Sewer in Sacramento Street. Referred to the Committee on Sewers.	Sewer Sacramento Street petition for
Petition of George W. Bartlett for a License to keep and sell Fireworks on the 17th of June & 4th of July at No 116 Tremont Street. Referred to the Committee on Licenses	Fireworks petition of G. W. Bartlett
Petition of J. T. Daniels and others for a brick sidewalk on Sea Street from the corner of Cross Street to No 155 Trout Trace Street. Referred to the Committee on Highways	Sidewalk Trace Street petition for
Petition of Edward S. Weston that an Apothecaries License may be granted to him to sell liquors at 320 Tremont Avenue. Referred to the Committee on Licenses	License Liquor petition of E. S. Weston

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Sewer Mt Vernon St Petition for	Petition of E. A. Curtis and others for a Sewer in Mount Vernon Street. Referred to the Committee on Sewers.
Scipio Table petition of Michael Spiane	Petition of Michael Spiane for a License to keep a Scipio table at his place of business corner of Broadway and Medford Streets. Referred to the Committee on Licenses
Police Report of Chief	Report of Chief of Police received and read for information
Intentions to repair Building	To J. Moran was granted a permit to repair building on Hood Street also on corner of Hester and Cross Street.
Intentions to build permit granted	Cook & Thayer were granted a permit to build on Brook Street Aaron Sargent was " " " " " " Sargent Ave Sargent & Adam were " " " " " " Sargent Ave A. S. Burnham was " " " " " " Pearl Street James E. Whitaker " " " " " " " Sycamore St E. E. Woodbury " " " " to repair building on Marshall St
Intention to build S M Garrity	Notice of Samuel M Garrity intention to build on Somerville Avenue. Referred to the Committee on Intentions to build
Fire Dep. Report of Chief	Report of Chief Engineer of Fire Department was received read and sent down for information. In Common Council May 11 read for information.
Licensing Junk Leave to withdraw	James McKenna Jr – James O'Donnell and John Salery were granted leave to withdraw their petitions for Licenses to collect old junk.
Sidewalk Glen Street petition for	Petition of B. F. Crosby and others for a sidewalk on Glen Street between Flint and Pearl Streets. Referred to the Committee on Highways.

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The following persons were licensed to collect old junk
James Cassidy Alien Street - John Reardon Linden St
George Hammingham Ward Street - J. H. Hull of Cambridge
Patrick Welch Harris Street - Wm J Crother of Cambridge
Patrick Barry Joy Street - James Sugrue Columbia St
Patrick Cassidy Alien Street - James Daily Medford Street
James Foley Ward Street - Hugh Hennick Poplar Street
Michael Bailey Poplar Street -
J W Davis of Medford Sin Pelton

Licenses to Junk
" granted

Petition of Charles H. Morgan and others for a Sewer
Porter Street and Braslow Avenue
Referred to Committee on Sewers

Sewer
Porter Street and
Braslow Ave
petition for

Petition of James Drury and others for a Sidewalk
on Line Street
Referred to the Committee on Highways

Sidewalk
Line St petition for

Notice of John N Ball of his intention to build
a factory for the manufacture of tasted leather
goods, on Broadway near Neath Somerville Station
A permit was granted.

Notice of J N Ball
intention to build
permit granted

Petition of John N Ball to the City Council
The undersigned respectfully petitions your honorable
Body for permission to put up and run an Engine and
Boiler of about 10 horse power in his factory to be erected
on Broadway near Neath Somerville Station so called
Referred to the Chairman of Committee on Fire Department
and Highways. ——— Charles E Gilman Clerk.

Steam Boiler
Petition of J N Ball

In accordance with an order adopted April 25. 1882
a hearing was held in reference to the granting of the
petition of the Charles River Street Railway Company
for permission to erect a Stable for more than four horses on
land corner of Beacon and Pine Streets.
No person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Ch River St Railway
hearing on petition
to erect a stable

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Order permit to Charles River St Railway to erect Stable

Alderman Page offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
May 9. 1882.

Ordered

That a permit be given to the Charles River Street Railway Company to erect a stable for more than four horses on their land at the corner of Beacon and Vine Streets; the permit to provide that said stable shall be built in accordance with such directions as may be given by the Board of Health

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Probation Officer Office Established

Alderman Clark offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
May 9th 1882.

Ordered

That the office of Probation Officer for the City of Somerville be and the same is hereby established in accordance with section one of Chapter one hundred and twenty nine of the acts of the year 1880.

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Intentions to build F. Kathaway Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Intentions to build
City of Somerville
In Committee on Intentions to build May 9. 1882
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Intentions to build to which was referred the petition of Franklin Kathaway for permission to build on Vinal Avenue recommends that permission be granted — Asa Durgin, C.P. Page Committee
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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Petition of William F. Mills

Somerville May 8, 1882.

To the Hon. the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville:

The undersigned respectfully petitions your honorable board that a license may be granted him to keep a Pool table at 42 Lincoln Street in said Somerville.

William F. Mills

Alderman Houlstone moved that the prayer of the petitioner be granted. The motion did not prevail and the granting of the petition refused.

License ✓ Petition of W. F. Mills to keep a Pool table

Report of Committee on Licenses

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

May 9, 1882

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the petition of Charles H. Crane for a license of the sixth class to sell spirituous liquors would recommend that the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

Respectfully Submitted

J. F. Wellington Chairman

Acceptance of report refused

Aldermen Sherrod, Wellington, Clark & Burns voting in the affirmative

Aldermen Houlstone, Page, Durgin & Weld in the negative

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

License Liquor ✓ C. H. Crane Report of Committee

Communication from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department

Somerville May 9, 1882.

To his Honor the Mayor

and the Board of Aldermen

Respectfully recommend that Grace F. Hughes be discharged from Hose Company no. 3 by his own request

Jas. H. Robinson Chief Engineer of Fire Department

Upon motion of Alderman Burns action on the above was postponed until the next meeting of the Board.

Firemen ✓ Discharge of

May 9. 1882

Sewers ✓ Ashland Street Hearing

In accordance with an order passed adopted March 28. 1882.
A hearing was held in reference to the construction of a sewer in Ashland Street.
No person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Sewers ✓ Ashland Street Officers Return in Order of Notice

Ashland Street Sewer
Officers return on Order of Notice for the above hearing.
Somerville Middlesex ss April 28. 1882.
I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit Christina W Wellman, Abby L Trichard, Daniel L Demmon,
and by delivering in hand a true copy of the said order to the tenants or authorised agents respectively of the following named persons to wit Caroline A Tenant.
And the following named persons having no place of abode in this City and no tenants or authorised agents therein known as such, or if resident in this city, not being known as such I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this City a true and attested copy of said order (Mary L Sherman, Daniel H Bartlett, & James Miller) and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville called the Somerville Journal the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named Jairus Mann Constable of Somerville.
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex ss.
Somerville April 28. 1882.
Then personally appeared the above named Jairus Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true before me George I Vincent Justice of the Peace

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Resolve and order for laying out Ashland Street Sewer City of Somerville

Sewer ✓ Ashland Street Resolve Taking of land

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

May 9, 1882.

Resolved and adjudged that the public convenience and the public health require that a main drain a Common Sewer should be laid, made, and maintained in Ashland street so called, & private way in said City from Summer Street Southwesterly about 2 p-ft and for that purpose it is necessary to take for said Main Drain a Common Sewer.

A parcel of land belonging to Mary L. Sherman containing 125 square feet more or less — Mary L Sherman

A parcel of land belonging to Daniel F. Bartlett containing 540 square feet more or less — D F Bartlett

A parcel of land belonging to James Miller containing 540 square feet more or less. — James Miller

A parcel of land belonging to Caroline P. Conant containing 540 square feet, more or less. — C P Conant

A parcel of land belonging to Christina W. Willman containing 540 square feet more or less. — C W Willman

A parcel of land belonging to Abby L. Prichard containing 576 square feet more or less — Abby L Prichard

A parcel of land belonging to Daniel L. Bowman containing 575 square feet more or less. — D L Bowman

Each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on plan drawn by George P. Kimball City Engineer dated March 28, 1882 entitled Ashland Street Sewer and herewith submitted

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And Whereas the petitions of Charles Wilmont and Benjamin Leeds and others, asking for the laying, making and maintaining of such sewer, and the matter of taking said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid were referred to the Committee on Sewers; and whereas as appears by its report hereto annexed, the said Committee was of opinion that the public convenience and necessity require that said main drain or common sewer should be laid made and maintained, and the said Committee has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said parcels of land, taken for the purposes aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, and also upon a plan thereof, and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such taking shall be completed, and reported the names of all parties sustaining damage by such taking with the amount of such damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, as fully appears in said report and and, Whereas, said Report and plan have remained in the City Clerk's office for the term of seven days, at least before the Mayor and Aldermen proceeded to act thereon; and Whereas, due notice has been given to all persons and Corporations interested therein of the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said parcels of land for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer, as by the order of Notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and the return thereto annexed will fully appear and, Whereas, at the time and place in said order of notice appointed the Mayor and Aldermen met and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard,

It is therefore Ordered, that the parcels of land before described be and the same are hereby taken for the purposes of a Main Drain or Common Sewer of the said City under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing other main drains and Common Sewers through which the same discharges; according to the plan of the same made.

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by George W. Kimball City Engineer, dated March 28th 1882, and deposited in the office of the city Clerk as aforesaid, that the said land taken as aforesaid, and as shown and designated upon said plan be and the same is hereby taken and established as for a Main Drain or Common Sewer of the said city; that the boundaries, location, and admeasurements of said land taken as aforesaid, are all as shown upon said plan, which is hereby made a part of this Order, and as follows, to wit: said land is bounded Northeasterly by Summer Street thirty one and 4/10 feet, Southeasterly by the Southeasterly line of said Ashland Street so called, two hundred and fifty two and 4/10 feet; Southwesterly by that portion of Ashland Street so called, not included in this order thirty feet, Northwesterly by a line distant throughout thirty feet from the second named line two hundred and sixty and 4/10 feet;

That the proprietors, occupants or owners of the land taken as aforesaid are allowed until the sixteenth day of May, next, to take off their trees, fences, and other property which may obstruct the laying of said Main Drain or Common Sewer; and that the following is an estimate and award of the damages sustained by any persons in their property by the taking of said land namely

Mary L. Sherman	Nothing	Damages ✓
Daniel J. Bartlett	Nothing	Awarded
James Miller	Nothing	
Caroline W. Conant	Nothing	
Christina W. William	Nothing	
Roy J. Richard	Nothing	
Daniel L. Dunmon	Nothing	

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen May 9. 1882.
Resolve and Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

May 9. 1882.

Sewer Ashland Street Order to construct

Alderman Monroe offered the following order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

May 9. 1882.

Ordered

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to construct a common Sewer in Ashland Street from the sewer in Summer Street to a point distant about 275 feet from said Summer Street and report to this Board after the completion of said sewer the cost of the same together with a list of assessments such as in the judgment of said committee shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited.

J L Monroe

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E Gilman Clerk.

Sewers Ashland St Proposals Report of Com

Report of Committee on Sewers.

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers May 9. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen

of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers, duly authorized by an order of this date submits the following list of proposals received to construct in Ashland Street from the Sewer in Summer Street to a point distant about 275 feet from said Summer Street about 200 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer, with 2 manholes the pipe to be furnished by the City

Names of Bidders	manholes each	rock excavated per cu yd	Laying sewer per lin ft	estimated aggregate
Richard Falvey	$36.00	$4.50	$0.65	267.00
Charles A Morgan	40.00	5.00	0.60	260.00
Maurice Terry	44.00	6.00	0.44	232.00

and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to Maurice Terry. By order of the Committee Geo I Vincent Clerk

Report accepted Charles E Gilman Clerk.

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Alderman Norcross offered the following Order.
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
May 9. 1882

Sewer
Ashland Street
Order to contract
In construction

Ordered

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized to make a contract with Maurice Terry for the construction of a common sewer in Ashland Street from the sewer in Summer Street to a point about 275 feet distant from said Summer Street at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said Committee's report of this date. J. L. Norcross.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Report of Committee on Sewers,
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers May 4. 1882
To the Board of Aldermen
of Somerville

Sewer
Rush Street
Report of Committee

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Warren A. Crosby and others for a sewer in Rush Street from Webster Street to Brook Street reports recommending that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.

By order of the Committee
George T. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and adopted
Charles E. Gilman
Clerk.

May 9, 1882

Sidewalk Vinal Avenue Report of Com

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
May 9, 1881
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways May 5, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen
of Somerville.

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of N. Damon and others for the laying out of Vinal Avenue from Summer Street to Highland Avenue, and for Edgestones on both sides of said Vinal Avenue for its entire length reports on that part of the petition relating to Edgestones recommending that the prayers of the petitioners be granted.

By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and adopted.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers Neck St. Order to construct.

Alderman Neck offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen May 9, 1882.
Ordered

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to construct a common sewer in Rush Street from the sewer in Webster Street to a point near Brook Street and report to this Board after the completion of said sewer the cost of the same together with a list of assessments such as in their judgment of said Committee shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

May 9, 1882

Sidewalks Order for hearing Vinal Avenue

Aldermen Burgin offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Aldermen May 9 1882

Whereas in the opinion of the Board of Aldermen the public convenience requires that sidewalks should be graded and constructed, and partially constructed sidewalks completed on both sides of Vinal Avenue from Summer street to Highland Avenue to be covered with gravel and with edgestones, to be of the width of seven and 6/12 feet, and the grade of the same to conform to the grade of the street, it is therefore hereby Ordered, that due notice to be served as prescribed in the service of notices of intention to lay out highways to be given to Margaret H Burt, City of Somerville, Emeline A Winder, Samuel Pennell, William B Burt, Albert S Lodge, Charles E Davis, Sophia Burnett, Judith N Damon, Louisa M Lord, William S Stearns, John W T Hobbs, Horace C Bright, Trason B Walker, Charles Kay, Mary J Gording, William C Grover, Mary A Heathaway, Jeb Mansir, Thomas McCloskey, Hannah Nash, Susan Barton, John Green, Lucerna King &c.

and all other persons and corporations interested, that this Board will at their room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue on Tuesday the 13th day of June 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M., take into consideration the expediency of grading and constructing said sidewalks and completing said partitioning constructed sidewalks as aforesaid and of assessing, when the abutters on such sidewalks, in just proportions, a proper part according to law of the expense of the same, and that any persons making objections thereto will then and there be heard.

Attest Charles E Gilman, City Clerk.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage Charles E Gilman City Clerk

May 9. 1882

Ordinances
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Ordinances
City of Somerville

In Committee on Ordinances May 8. 1882 –
(To the City Council of Somerville)
The Committee on Ordinances to which was referred
An Ordinance in relation to the making of contracts
with instructions to report an ordinance covering
the ground embodied therein, reject the accompanying
Ordinance numbered 32 and entitled "an Ordinance
in relation to the making of contracts

By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk;
Sent down for concurrence.

Ordinance No. 32

Ordinance No. 32.

An Ordinance in relation to the making of contracts

Be it ordained by the City Council of the
City of Somerville as follows.

Section 1. All committees receiving written bids
or proposals for any thing to be done or furnished the
city shall submit the same to the Board of Aldermen
or the City Council as the case may require, and the
contracts for the same shall be awarded by said Board
or City Council subject to the approval of the Mayor

Sec. 2.
Sealed bids or proposals received by any Committee shall
be opened only in the presence of the Committee at a
regularly called meeting, and the contents of no bid
or proposal shall be made known to any person not a
member of the Committee until the same shall have been
submitted, as provided in section 1. of this Ordinance
Order received its first and second readings laid over under
the Rules _____ Charles E. Gilman Clerk

May 23, 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
May 23, 1882
Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Norcross, Wellington, Roulstone, Page, Clark, Burns, Durgin and Weld present.	Aldermen present
Record of last meeting read and approved	
Petition of Mark Laighton and others for the acceptance of Austin Street as a public street referred to the Committee on Highways sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.	Streets Austin petition for acceptance. ✓
In Common Council May 25, 1882. Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk	
Notice of Mark Laighton Intention to build two dwelling houses on Glen Street, One on Austin Street and one on Oakland Street were received and permits granted.	Intention to build M Laighton on Glen St. ✓
Permits were granted to Elijah Walker to build a stable on Summit Avenue. Charles H Jenks a dwelling house on Benedict Street.	Intention to build E Walker on Summit Ave. ✓
A permit was granted John Manning to raise his house on Medford Street.	Permit granted to J Manning to raise house ✓
A permit was granted C D Wiley to make addition to his house on Putnam Street and L R Bragg on Hamlet Street.	Permit granted to C D Wiley to make addition to house on Putnam St. ✓
Licenses were granted to Frank Hanick John M. Hanna, John Fallon & C P Gilbreth for a Licenses to collect old junk.	Licenses granted to collect old junk ✓

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License junk Pm Roth leave to Withdraw	Patrick McGrath had leave to withdraw his petition for a License to collect old junk
Petition of B.W. Patten for License Pool table	Petition of B.W. Patten for a License to keep a Pool table at 130 Broadway was referred to the Committee on Licenses.
Fireworks Petitions to keep and sell.	Petitions of Whitaker and Cheney, G.R. Hills & Co. L.R. Dimond, E.G. Harding, W.K. Cushman and T. Hagar for a License to keep and sell Fireworks was referred to the Committee on Licenses
Shade Trees Marshall Street petition for removal	Petition of J. Frank Miles and M.E. Hawes for the removal of shade trees on Marshall Street referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council May 25. 1882 Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk
Street Lights Petition of Asa Durgin Broadway	Petition of Asa Durgin for a Street Lamp in front of his residence on Broadway. Referred to the Committee on Street Lights with full powers and sent down for concurrence. ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council May 25. 1882. Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk
Street Lights Chester Place petition for.	Petition of C.W. Kingsley for a street Lamp on the Westerly end of Chester place. referred to the Committee on Street Lights with full powers and sent down for concurrence ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council May 25, 1882. Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk

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Petition of Benjamin T. Ellis and others for a Street Lamp corner of Webster and Rush Streets referred to the Committee on Street-Lights with full power, and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council May 25, 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Street-Lights on Webster & Rush st. petition for

Petition of M. E. Hunter for sewer in Winthrop Avenue referred to Committee on Sewers.

Sewer Winthrop av. petition for

Petition of Miller Bros & Co. that a sewer be built to connect their premises near Beacon Street with the trunk sewer in said street.

Referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Sewers Beacon Street petition for

Petition of Horace Haskins for the removal of Shade trees in front of his residence in Franklin Street.

Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council May 25, 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Shade Trees Franklin st. petition for removal

A permit was granted J. R. Smith to make an addition to his dwelling house.

Permit granted to J. R. Smith addition to house

Petition of Richard Lowd and others that a crossing be laid on Washington Street at the foot of Florence Street.

Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council May 25, 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Stone Crossing Washington st. petition for

May 23, 1882

Finance
Petition of
Mystic Water Board

Petition of Somerville Mystic Water Board,
Somerville, May 22, 1882.
To his Honor the Mayor and City Council
Gentlemen

Owing to the increased building and demand for the extension of the Water Works, The Somerville Mystic Water Board finds it necessary to petition your honorable Body for an appropriation of $10,000 Ten thousand dollars for construction account.
We have at the present time petitions amounting to 5550 feet of Pipe which in our judgment the majority of them should be granted

per order C S Conant Clerk
S M W Board.

Referred to the Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council May 25, 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Horse Nail Road
Petition of
Som Horse Nail Road
for location on Dover St

Petition of Somerville Horse Nail Road Company
To the Honorable Board of Aldermen
of the City of Somerville

The undersigned respectfully petition for leave to lay a track on Dover Street from the line between Cambridge and Somerville to the Car house of the Union Railway Company on said Dover Street together with suitable curves and connections

Somerville Horse Nail Road Co.
By S E Sewall President

Boston May 16, 1882
Referred to the Committee on Highways

Charles E Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council May 25, 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

May 23 1882

Invitation of Willard C. Kinsley Post No. 139.
Head Quarters, Willard C. Kinsley Post-139 G.A.R.
Somerville May 22, 1882.
To his honor the Mayor and the City Council
of the City of Somerville

Gentlemen:
The annual Memorial Sermon will be preached by the Revd Mr Meriam at the Franklin Street Orthodox Church at 10 o'clock A.M. Sunday May 28th.
You are cordially invited to be present with your families
Very Respectfully Martin Binney Commander
for Post-139 G.A.R.
Read and sent down for information
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council May 25, 1882.
Read for information Douglas Frazar Clerk.

W C Kinsley Post — Communication from

Invitation of Willard C. Kinsley Post
Head Quarters W C Kinsley Post-139 G.A.R.
To His Honor the Mayor and the City Council
of the City of Somerville
W C Kinsley Post-139 G.A.R. will observe Memorial Day May 30, inst in the usual manner the City Government are cordially invited to join us in the procession and services upon that occasion the Post with invited guests will form as usual and march to the City Hall where they will receive the City Government and officials and escort them to the church and Cemetery, arriving at the City Hall at 9 o'clock A.M. as near as possible.
Very Respectfully Martin Binney Geo. B. Clark
John Kelley Committee on invitations
Invitation accepted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

W C Kinsley Post — Memorial Day petition of

May 23, 1882

Petition of Willow Bridge Evangelical Mission

Petition of Willow Bridge Evangelical Mission
Somerville May 23, 1882
To the Honorable The Mayor
and the City Council of Somerville
Gentlemen

The undersigned citizens and Tax payers respectfully request that permission be granted to the "Willow Bridge Evangelical Mission" to place a Chapel building recently purchased by the Mission upon that portion of land of the City on Broadway near the corner of Cedar Street until a suitable lot of land can be procured, upon such conditions as the City Council may prescribe.
Signed H. B. Sexton, and others.
Received to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council May 25 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Sidewalks (Day Street Hearing)

In accordance with an order passed April 7, 1882 a hearing was held in reference to the construction of Sidewalks on Day Street.
Officers Return on order of notice
City of Somerville May 9 1882.

For order See page 593.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed, I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit
Horace Haskins, Henry G. McMoore, Kate E. Burke, Caroline P. Lacourt, Eliza B. Stebbins, Chester W. Clark, William H. Chadwick, Richard B. Hines, Joseph H. Flitner and by delivering in hand a true copy of the said order to the tenants or authorized agents respectively of the following named persons to wit
West Somerville Congregational Society, Margaret A. Richards and Robert Henderson

and the following named persons having no place of abode in this City, and no tenants or authorized agents therein known as such, or if resident in this City not being known as such, I have duly notified them, and all other persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this City a true and attested copy of said order. William J. Leckie and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville, called the Somerville Journal the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing, and that I did all this aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

—— Jairus Mann Constable of Somerville

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex ss.

—— Somerville May 9. 1882.

Then personally appeared the above named Jairus Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true before me.

—— George Vincent Justice of the Peace

No person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

—— Sidewalk on Cross Street — Hearing ——

In accordance with an order passed April 11. 1882. a hearing was held in reference to the construction of Sidewalks on Cross Street from Medford St to High Street

Officers return on Order of Notice.

Somerville Middlesex ss May 9. 1882.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed the party therein referred to having no place of abode in this City, and no tenants or authorized agents therein referred known as such, or if resident in this City, not being known as such, I have duly notified him and all other persons and corporations interested by posting up in two

Sidewalks Cross Street Hearing For Order See page 592.

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public place in this City a true and attested copy of said order to wit: William H. Thompson and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville called the Somerville Journal the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named

Jairus Mann Constable of Somerville

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex ss.

Somerville May 9. 1882.

Then personally appeared the above named Jairus Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true.

Before me George Vincent Justice of the Peace

No person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Steam Boiler Report of Com. on Intention to build

Report of Committee on Intentions to build City of Somerville.

In Committee on Intentions to build

May 23. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

Your Committee to which was referred the petition of John H. Ball for permission to put up and run a Steam boiler in his factory to be erected on Broadway near the North Somerville Station reports recommending the adoption of accompanying order for a hearing.

Asa Durgin C. A. Page Committee

Report accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

May 23. 1882

Alderman Page offered the following Order—

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

May 23 1882.

Ordered

That Tuesday June 13th 1882 at 8 o'clock P.M. and that the Mayor and Aldermens room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue be assigned as the time and place for the hearing by this Board of all persons desiring to object to the locating and maintenance of a Steam boiler in the factory to be erected by John W Ball on Broadway near the North Somerville Station of the Lowell Railroad and the City Clerk is hereby directed to cause a copy of this order to be published in the Somerville Journal of May 27th inst, in accordance with Section 41 of Chapter 102, of the Public Statutes.

Order received its first and second reading and final passage

Charles E Gilman Clerk.

Charles Jones, Joseph O Hayden, & Walter P Davis were drawn as Jurors to the Superior Court to be holden at Cambridge on the first Monday of June next.

George F Hughes was discharged from Hose company Number three at his own request.

Ordinance No 32, laid over under the Rules May 7 1882, was considered

On motion of Alderman Burns amended by striking out all of the Title except the word Contracts as amended passed to be enrolled and sent down for concurrence

Charles E Gilman Clerk.

Steam Boiler Order for hearing

Jurors drawn

Truman discharge of

Ordinance No. 32.

May 23, 1882

Licenses ✓
S. D. Carter

Report of Com. on petition to keep a Pool Table and license as an Innholder.

Report of Committee on Licenses
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
May 23, 1882.

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the petition of Silas D. Carter for a License as an Innholder at Hotel Warren No 40 Union Square also for a License to keep a Pool Table at the same place, would recommend that the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

For the Committee J. Wellington Chairman
Report accepted.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

License ✓
S. D. Carter to keep a Pool Table
Order to issue

Aldermen Wellington offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
May 23, 1882.

Ordered

That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to issue a License to Silas D. Carter to keep a pool table at Hotel Warren No 40 Union Square, when he shall have paid to the said clerk the Customary fee of two dollars. Said License to expire May 1, 1883 unless sooner revoked.
J. F. Wellington
Order adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Innholder ✓
License
S. D. Carter
Order to issue

Alderman Wellington offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen May 23, 1882.
Ordered That a License as an Innholder be issued to Silas D. Carter, said business to be carried on at Hotel Warren No 40 Union Square, said License to expire April 1 1883. Unless sooner revoked by this Board.
J. Frank Wellington
Order adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

May 23, 1882

Report of Committee on Licenses.
(In Board of Mayor and Aldermen)
May 23, 1882.

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the petition of J. F. McCormick for a Common Victuallers License at his place of business 23 & 27 Union Square would recommend that the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

For the Committee J. F. Wellington Chairman
Report accepted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Licenses ✓
Com Victualler
J. F. McCormick
Report of Com

Alderman Wellington Offered the following Order
(In Board of Mayor and Aldermen)
May 23, 1882.

Ordered

That a License as a Common Victualler be issued to J. F. McCormick said business to be carried on at 23 & 27 Union Square said License to expire April 1, 1883, unless sooner revoked by this Board.

J. F. Wellington

Order adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Licenses ✓
Com Victualler
J. F. McCormick
Order to issue

Report of Committee on Licenses.
City of Somerville
(In Board of Mayor and Aldermen)
May 23, 1882.

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the petition of J. F. McCormick for a License to keep Billiard Tables at his place of business 23 & 27 Union Square would recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.

Respectfully submitted

For the Committee J. F. Wellington Chairman
In Board of Aldermen Order adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Licenses ✓
Report of Committee on petition of J. F. McCormick to keep Billiard Tables

May 23, 1882.

Licenses ✓ Order to issue License to T. J. McCormie to keep a Billiard table

Alderman Wellington offered the following Order

(City of Somerville)

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

(May 23, 1882)

Ordered

That the City clerk be and hereby is directed to issue a license to T. J. McCormie, to keep billiard tables at his place of business 23 and 24 Union Square and Washington Street, when he shall have paid to the said Clerk the customary fee of two dollars said license to expire (May 1, 1883, unless sooner revoked.

J. F. Wellington

Report accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Licenses ✓ Report of Com. on petition of M. Splane

Report of Committee on Licenses

(City of Somerville)

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

(May 23, 1882.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the petition of Michael Splane for a license to keep a Billiard table at his stair corner of Broadway and Medford Streets would recommend that the petitioner have leave to withdraw

J. F. Wellington Chairman

Report accepted and adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Licenses ✓ Report of Committee on petition of John S. Meadow Detective

Report of Committee on Licenses

(City of Somerville)

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

(May 23, 1882.

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the petition of John S. Meadow for a license to act as private Detective would recommend that the prayer of the petitioner be granted

For the Committee J. F. Wellington Chairman

Report accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk

May 23. 1882

Aldermen Wellington offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

May 23. 1882.

Private Detective Order to issue a License to John S. Meadow.

Ordered:

That John S. S. Meadow be and hereby is licensed to act as a private detective, when he shall have filed with the City Treasurer a bond with two sureties to be approved by this Board, in the sum of three thousand dollars, with conditions for the proper discharge of the services performed by virtue of such license and shall have paid into the City Treasury the fee of ten dollars as provided by law.

Said license to hold for the term of one year from May 1st instant unless sooner revoked for cause —

J. F. Wellington

Order adopted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Report of Committee on Licenses

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen May 23. 1882.

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the petitions of George W. Bartlett to keep and sell Fireworks at his place of business 115 Perkins Street would recommend that the Prayer of the petitioner be granted.

For the Committee J. F. Wellington Chairman

Report accepted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Licenses Report of Com on Petition to sell Fireworks

Report of Committee on Licenses

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen May 23, 1882.

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the Petition of C. J. Burt for license to sell Fireworks during the holidays at his place of business Union Square would recommend that the prayer of the petitioner be granted

For the Committee J. F. Wellington Chairman

Report accepted & adopted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

License Fireworks Report of Com

May 23, 1882

Fireworks
Order to issue
a License to G W Bartlett

Alderman Wellington offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
(May) 23 1882

Ordered
That a License to keep and sell Fireworks from June 11th to July 5. prox be and hereby is issued to E J Burt at Union Square and G W Bartlett 115 Perkins Street. J F Wellington
Order adopted
Charles E Gilman Clerk

Sidewalks
Wallace Street
Report of Com

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways May 12, 1882
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of John A Cummings and others for Edgestones and gravel sidewalks on both sides of Wallace Street from Holland Street to Broadway recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.
By order of the Committee
George I Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E Gilman Clerk

Sidewalks
Glen St
Report of Com

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Peter Carpenter and others for edgestones and brick sidewalks on both sides of Glen Street from Broadway to Webster Street recommends that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.
By order of the Committee George I Vincent Clerk
Report accepted Charles E Gilman Clerk

May 23 1882

Alderman Durgin offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

May 23. 1882.

Sidewalks
Day Street
order to construct

Resolved, That the Common Convenience requires that brick sidewalks be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed as hereinafter stated and it is therefore

Ordered, That sidewalks be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed in the following named streets of said City of Somerville, with edgestones and covered with bricks and as hereinafter specified

Day Street

On the Easterly side thereof from Elm Street to the Cambridge line, to be covered with bricks and with edgestones, and to be of the width of 5½ and 8/12 feet. The grade of said sidewalks is to conform substantially to the grade of the street. The gutters are to be paved and all matters not herein specified in regard to the construction of said sidewalks are to be determined by the committee on highways, to which committee full authority is hereby given for that purpose.

And the said committee is hereby authorised and instructed to grade construct and complete said sidewalks as aforesaid and in the manner aforesaid and to report a schedule of the expenses thereof and of the assessments thereon in the judgment of said committee proper to be made upon the abutters on such sidewalks to this Board when such sidewalks shall have been completed.

Order received its first and second reading and final passage

Charles T. Gilman Clerk.

Sidewalks Wallace Street Order for Hearing

May 23 1882

Aldermen Durgin offered the following Order

(City of Somerville)

In Board of Aldermen May 23, 1882

Whereas in the opinion of the Board of Aldermen the public convenience requires that sidewalks should be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed on both sides of Wallace street from Holland street to Broadway to be covered with gravel and with edgestones to be of the width of six and 7/12 feet, and the grade of the same to conform to the grade of the street it is therefore hereby ordered that due notice to be served as prescribed for the services of notices of intention to lay out highways to be given to Elizabeth W Cook Jennie L Stearns, Joseph Steele, Margaret Parker, Moses P Parker, William E Parker, Samuel T Parker, Francis J Parker, Emma S March, Henry Holland, Pauline S Donnes, Stephen G Hammond Jr, Carrie F Donnes, Harriet Jennings, Susan C Hammond, William Litchfield, Charles J Simpson, Albie P Simpson, Mark E Felch, James H Winn, Charles A Pearson, Charles Mills, Edmund S Potter, Jeremiah Crowley, Nathaniel C Clapp, John F Collieson, James L Jamieson, Ruth T Pushing, Laban Heath, Tifield S Batchelder, Heirs of Emeline Wyeth, Jerusha Robinson, Bartol A Johnson, Margaret A Simpson, Alexander Miller, Isaac R. Weber, Deborah Moore, Heirs of Lucia D Buck, Phineas Wright, John N Cummings, Clarissa Benson, Constant S Benson, Barbara H and Charlotte H Dolton, Philip Nutting, Frederick Haartz, William H McAllister, Justina Dennison, Albert Fuller, Lydia A Dimond and all other persons and corporations interested, that this Board will at their room in the City Hall, on Highland avenue on Tuesday the twenty seventh day of June 1882 at 8 o'clock P M take into consideration the expediency of grading and constructing said sidewalks, and completing said partially constructed sidewalks as aforesaid (and of assessing upon the abutters on such sidewalks in just proportion

a proper part, according to law, of the expense of the same and that any persons making objections thereto will then and there be heard.

——— Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sidewalks Glen Street Order for hearing

Alderman Durgin Offered the Following Order

——— City of Somerville ———

In Board of Aldermen May 23, 1882.

Whereas, in the opinion of the Board of Aldermen the public convenience requires that sidewalks should be graded and constructed, and partially constructed sidewalks completed on both sides of Glen Street from Broadway to Webster Street to be covered with brick and with edgestones, to be of the width of six and 7 feet and the grade of the same to conform to the grade of the Street, it is therefore hereby

Ordered, that due notice, to be served as prescribed for the service of notices of intention to lay out highways, to be given to Ephraim Stone, John Finnigan, Charles Davis, John O'Bishop, John McShane, Joseph F. Berry, Patrick Sanders, Fanny A. Norton, Abraham Larkin, Dola P. Tremont, Selma P. Anderson, Lovell A. Chamberlain, Rufus P. Junkins, Cynthia Orton, John L. Weston, William B. Boyle, Charles Whitehead, Amasa Hall, Matthew C. Trull, Peter Carpenter, Hiram R. Bishop and all other persons and corporations, interested, that this Board will at their room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue, on Tuesday the twenty seventh day of June 1882 at 8 o'clock P.M. take into consideration the expediency of grading and constructing said sidewalk, and completing said partially constructed sidewalk as aforesaid, and of assessing upon the abutters on such sidewalk in just proportions a proper part according to law of the expense of the same and that any persons making

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objections thereto will then and there be heard
Attest Charles E Gilman City Clerk,
Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sidewalks
Cross Street
Order to construct

Alderman Durgin offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Aldermen May 23, 1882.
Resolved: That the common Convenience requires that sidewalks be graded and constructed, and partially constructed sidewalks completed as hereinafter stated and specified

Cross Street

On both sides thereof from Medford Street to High Street to be covered with gravel and with edgestones and to be of the width of six and 7/12 feet. The grade of said sidewalks is to conform substantially to the grade of the street as established by the City in the year 1881. The gutters are to be paved and all matter not herein particularly specified in regard to the construction of said sidewalks are to be determined by the Committee on Highways to which Committee full authority is hereby given for that purpose
And the said Committee is hereby authorized and instructed to grade, construct and complete said sidewalks as aforesaid and in the manner as aforesaid and to report a schedule of the expense thereof and of the assessments thereon in the judgment of said Committee proper to be made upon the abutters on such sidewalks to this Board when such sidewalks shall have been completed
Order adopted receiving its first & second reading and final passage
Charles E Gilman Clerk.

May 23 1882

Report of Committee on Licenses
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen May 23, 1882
The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the petitions of
Mrs E J Harding — Mrs L P Dimond
G H Hills & Co — Whitaker & Cheney
S Hagan — and W H Cushman
to sell Fireworks at their respective places of business would recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.
For the Committee
J F Wellington Chairman
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E Gilman Clerk

Licenses ✓
Fireworks
Report of Com

Alderman Wellington offered the following order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
May 23, 1882.

Licenses ✓
Fireworks
order to issue
Licenses

Ordered
That a License to keep and sell Fireworks from June 11th to July 5th prox. be and hereby is granted to Mrs E J Harding at 119 Washington Street
" " L P Dimond Union Square & Holland Street
" " G H Hills & Co Union Square & Somerville Avenue
" " Whitaker & Cheney Co Pearl & Marshall Streets
" " S Hagan " Bonair & Dana Street
" " W H Cushman 812 Broadway,
J F Wellington
Order adopted
Charles E Gilman Clerk

May 23, 1882

Licenses — Liquor — Report of Com

Report of Committee on Licenses
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
May 23, 1882

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the petition of George A. Cowdin for a License of the Sixth Class to sell spirituous liquors would recommend that the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

J. F. Willington Chairman

Acceptance of Report refused
Four Aldermen voting in the affirmative and Four in the negative.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers — Joy & Washington St — Washington Street from Linwood to Joy St — Washington Street — Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville May 23, 1882
In Committee on Sewers May 19, 1882,
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers, to which have been referred the following named persons petitions to wit:—
Petition of S. P. Butler and others for a Sewer in Joy and Washington Streets from the sewer recently laid in Joy Street to a point near Linwood Street.
Petition of S. P. Butler and others for a Sewer in Washington Street from Linwood Street to Joy Street and the Petition of S. P. Butler and others for a Sewer in Washington Street between Linwood Street and Joy Street; the first two named petitions having been referred as unfinished business of the government of 1881, recommends that the prayers of the petitioners be granted.

By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted Charles E. Gilman
Clerk.

May 23, 1882

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers May 23, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen
of Somerville

Sewers
Rush Street
Proposals
Report of Com

The Committee on Sewers, duly authorised by an order dated May 9, 1882, submits the following list of proposals which have been received to construct in Rush Street from the sewer in Webster Street northeastwardly, about 280 feet of 10 inch pipe sewer with 2 Manholes, the pipe to be furnished by the City

Names of Bidders	Manholes each	Pipe & laid per rod	Laid sewer per rod	Estimated aggregate
Maurice Terry	$44.00	$6.00	$0.64	$267.20
Richard Talvey	42.50	3.50	0.65	$67.20
Charles H. Mongan	38.00	4.00	0.60	$44.00

and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to Charles H. Mongan.

By order of the Committee
George S. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Aldermen Wharf offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
May 23, 1882.

Sewers.
Rush Street
Order to contract with C. H. Mongan

Ordered that the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized to make a contract with Charles H. Mongan for the construction of a common sewer in Rush Street from the sewer in Webster Street northeastwardly about 280 feet at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said Committee's report of this date.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

May 23, 1882

For report see Page 602

In accordance with an order passed April 11, 1882, a hearing was held in reference to the construction of a Sewer in Jaques Street.

Order for hearing See page 603

Officers return on Order of Notice

City of Somerville

Middlesex, SS. May 9, 1882

Sewers Jaques Street Hearing

I hereby certify that in accordance with an order which is hereto annexed, I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit:

Officers Return

Estate of Samuel Littlefield, William Jaques, Leonard B Chandler, Marcus M Raymond and P Lamis.

And the following named persons having no place of abode in this City, and no tenants or authorized agents therein, known as such or if resident in this city not being known as such I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this city a true and attested copy of said order. Samuel E Sewall.

and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper, published in said Somerville called the Somerville Journal, the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named

Jairus Mann Constable of Somerville

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex, SS.

Somerville May 9, 1882.

Then personally appeared the above named Jairus Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true before me George I Vincent

Justice of the Peace

May 23 1882

Samuel E. Sewall Esq was present but did not object to the construction of the sewer but desired that no further action upon the matter be taken until the abutters could prepare the necessary papers for the acceptance of the street.

no other person appearing the hearing was closed.

In accordance with an order passed April 11 1882 a hearing was held in reference to the construction of a sewer in

Sewers ✓
Grant & Sewall St
Hearing

— Grant and Sewall Streets —

— Officers return on Order of Notice —

Officers return

— City of Somerville —

— Middlesex, ss. May 9, 1882.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed the party therein referred to having no place of abode in this City, and no tenants, authorized agents therein known as such, or if resident in this city not being known as such, I have duly notified him and all other persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this City a true & attested copy of said order to wit. — Samuel E. Sewall.

and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville called the Somerville Journal the last publication known being fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named

— Jairus Mann Constable of Somerville

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

— Middlesex, ss. Somerville —

— May 9, 1882 —

Then personally appeared the above named Jairus Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true before me.

— George Vincent Justice of the Peace —

May 23. 1882

Samuel E. Sewall Esq was present & did not object to the construction of the sewer but desired that no further action upon the matter be taken until the abutters could prepare the necessary papers for the acceptance of the street.

No other person appearing to object the hearing was closed

Street to Columbus Avenue order relating to assessments withdrawn.

The order relating to assessments for the construction of Columbus Avenue laid upon the table April 25, 1882 was taken from the table and at the request of Alderman Dugan no one objecting the order was withdrawn

Adjourned

Charles E. Gilman

City Clerk

June 13. 1882

Meeting Mayor and Aldermen
June 13. 1882

Mayor Cummings presiding
Aldermen Nevers, Wellington, Woolstone, Page
Clark Burns, Dougin and Wilds present —

Aldermen present

Record of last meeting read and approved

Petition of George Wilde for a driveway in front of his residence on Cutter Street
Referred to the Committee on highways and sent down for Concurrence — Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council June 13. 1882 —
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets
petition of G Wilde for Driveway Cutter St —

Petition of J. C. Bancroft for a Cesspool on Somerville avenue Referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Sewers Cesspool
Som avenue

Permits to build were granted to John Baptiste on Mystic Ave
" " T B Blaikee — on Cross Street
" " James Elson corner of Springfield & Dickinson St
" " Hair M Ladd — on Sycamore Street
" " Thomas Cotter — on Village Street
" " Wm F Wade — on Cedar Street
" " D B Morgan — on Hawkins Court
" " C. A. Smith — cor. Dane Court & Dane Street
" " J D Wells — on Harvard Street
" " Mrs Emma Church — on Hawkins Court
" " J C Tatton — on Broadway

Intentions to build
Permits granted

Petition of Catharine Adrian for License to keep & sell Fireworks referred to the Committee on Licenses —

Fireworks
petition of C Adrian

Petition of James Malloy Somerville Avenue Alexander Munroe, Newton street — S S Gross Washington Street and Lucy T Ryman Franklin Street to sell Fireworks referred to the Committee on Licenses —

Fireworks
petitions for License to sell

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Gilman & Co petition of	Petition of Gilman & Co for permit to place an Order Box on a Lamp Post on Summer Street. Referred to Committee on Street Lights and sent down for Concurrence — Charles E Gilman Clerk.
Policeman Appointment of	Edward Chamberlain was appointed and confirmed Policeman without compensation
Sewers Petition of H Carton and others	Petition of H Carton and others that a pipe sewer be laid in passageway between Congress Place & Linwood St. Referred to the Committee on Sewers.
Licenses Junk granted	Licenses to collect old Junk were granted to John Battels — James McKenna — Patrick Rafferty John Collins — Peter Murray — & William Sullivan C E Peters & John N Davis.
Police Report of Chief	Report of Chief of Police received and read for information
Sewers Mount Vernon St Remonstrance against	Remonstrance of Charles E Roberts & others against the construction of a Sewer in Mount Vernon Street Referred to the Committee on Sewers
Sidewalks Concord Ave Newton St Remonstrance against	Remonstrance of Annie Dennison Administrator against the setting of Edgestones on the north side of Concord Avenue and south side of Newton Street Referred to the Committee on Sewers.
Licenses Petition for to sell Fireworks	Petitions of E L Hodgkins — Mrs Hale — & R F Crocker to sell Fireworks were referred to the Com on Licenses
Permit granted to M E Hawes to move Building	A permit was granted to M E Hawes to remove a building from the Corner of Cross and Pearl Street to Eglantine Street.

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A permit was granted J L Moreno to move a Stable from Sargent Avenue through Mills Street and a short distance on Walnut Street Southerly from Mills Street.	Permit granted to J L Moreno to move a stable.
Petition of Patrick Hayes and others for a Sewer in Bedford Street. Referred to Committee on Sewers	Sewer petition for Bedford Street.
Petition of G L Damon & others for extension of Sewer in Belmont Street. Referred to Committee on Sewers.	Sewer Belmont Street.
Petition of J H Brown and others for a catch Basin on Corner of Day and Orchard Streets Referred to the Committee on Sewers.	Sewers catch Basin on Day Orchard St
Notice of J C Howe Intention to build on Granite Street. Referred to Committee on Intentions to build	Intention to Build J C Howe Granite St
C A Legallee was granted a permit to build on Hawkins Court.	Intention to build C A Legallee
Petition of F H Howes and others that a Crossing may be laid on Webster Avenue opposite Everett Street Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Charles E Gilman Clerk. In Common Council June 13, 1882. Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.	Highways Crossing Webster Avenue
Petition of Irving L Russell for a street light on Broadway Referred to the Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Charles E Gilman Clerk. In Common Council June 13, 1882. Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.	Street Lights Broadway petition of J L Russell

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Fire Departments

Report of Chief Engineer of Fire Department — Received, read and sent down for information
——— Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

In Common Council, June 13, 1882 — Received and read for information
——— Douglas Frazar, Clerk.

Sidewalk Vinal Avenue hearing Officers return

In accordance with an order passed May 9, 1882 — a hearing was held in reference to the construction of sidewalk from Summer Street to Highland Avenue.

Officer's Return on Order.

City of Somerville, Middlesex, June 13th 1882 — I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit: ———

Leonard Arnold — Albert L. Dodge — Charles E. Davis — Sophia N. Burnett — Joseph N. Damon — Louisa A. Pond — Frason B. Walker — Charles May — Mary I. Gooding — Mary P. Kathaway — Thomas McCloskey — Hannah Nash — Susan Barton — John Greene — ———

and by delivering in hand a true copy of the said order to the tenants or authorized agents respectively of the following named persons to wit: City of Somerville — and the following named persons having no place of abode in this City, and no tenants or authorized agents therein known as such, or if resident in this city not being known as such, I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this City a true and attested copy of said order ———

Margaret F. Burt — Emeline P. Wilder — William O. Burt — William S. Stearns — John W. F. Hobbs — Horace O. Bright — William O. Grover — Job Manser — Lucesa Knight — and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published

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said Somerville called the Somerville Journal the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid act more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

Jairus Mann Constable of Somerville
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex. ss.
Somerville June 13. 1882.

then personally appeared the above named Jairus Mann and made oath that the above named certificate by him subscribed, is true before me
George Tibbinent Justice of the Peace.
The order and return thereon was read.
No person appearing to object the hearing was closed. Charles E Gilman Clerk.

In accordance with an order passed April 26. 1882. a hearing was held in reference to the construction of sidewalks on the northwestern side of Conrad Avenue.

Sidewalks Conrad Ave hearing Officers Notice

Officers return on Order of Notice.
City of Somerville Middlesex ss June 13th 1882.
I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit John C Brien, Daniel Bradley and the following named persons having no place of abode in this City and no tenants or authorized agts therein known as such or if resident in this City not being known as such, I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this City a true and attested copy of said order. Joseph W Guernsey, James Dennison, Jacob M Haskell, Charles H Adams, A S W Glenvis, John Keene, Ellen Weston, S Rowland Hart, Heirs of Abraham Dames, Almira H Tuck, Albert Burgess, and that I

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caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville, called the Somerville Journal; the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did so the aforesaid all more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

—— James Mann Constable of Somerville

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex ss.

Somerville, June 13th 1882.

Then personally appeared the above named James Mann, and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true. ——

Before me, George Vincent Justice of the Peace.

The Order and the return thereon was read.

No person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

—— Charles L. Gilman Clerk ——

Sidewalks Newton Street Hearing

In accordance with an order passed April 25, 1882 — a hearing was held in reference to the construction of a Sidewalk on the southeastern side of Newton Street from Nelder Avenue to Concord Avenue. ——

Officers Return

—— Officers return on Order of Notice ——

City of Somerville Middlesex ss. June 13, 1882.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit Rebecca R. Bent — and by delivering in hand a true copy of the said order to the following named persons to wit — Robert C. Graham, and by delivering in hand a true copy of the said order to the tenants or authorised agents respectively of the following named persons to wit, Julia R. Goodrich and the following named persons having no place of abode in this city and no tenants or authorised agents therein known as such or if resident in this city, not being known as such I have

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duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this city a true and attested copy of said order, Hamel N. Merrill, James Dennison, Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank, Hiram Green, Ezra W. Stevens, Ann J. Goodwin, Charles W. Parker, George F. Mower, Heirs of Abraham Delano, Jimmie W. Peck, Albert Burgess, and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville called the Somerville Journal the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid a to more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

James Mann Constable of Somerville
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex ss.
Somerville June 13. 1882.

Then personally appeared the above named James Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true.

Before me George I. Vincent Justice of the Peace Lender and return thereon was read.

No person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

Stuts
Columbus Ave.
Assessments
Report of Com.

Committee on Highways May 26. 1882.

To the City Council of Somerville.

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the objection to assessments for the laying out of the westerly extension of Columbus avenue recommends that no change be made in the assessment as laid.

Brought the Committee George I. Vincent Clerk
Report accepted sent down for concurrence Chas E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council June 13. 1882

Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk

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Sidewalks Pearl Street Report of Com

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways June 6. 1882 —
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville —
The Committee on Highways, to which was referred the petition of F. G. Daniels and others for edgestones and brick sidewalks on the northerly side of Pearl Street from Cross Street to number 155 Pearl Street, recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.
By order of the Committee George F. Vincent Clerk
Report accepted & adopted Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sidewalks Vinal Avenue Order to construct

Alderman Durgin offered the following Order
City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13. 1882 —
Resolved
That the Common convenience requires that sidewalks be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed as hereinafter stated and it is therefore Ordered that sidewalks be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed in the following named street of said city of Somerville, with edgestones and covered with gravel all as hereinafter specified
Vinal Avenue
on both sides thereof from Summer Street to Highland Avenue, to be covered with gravel and with edgestones and to be of the width of seven and 6/12 feet — the grade of said sidewalks is to conform substantially to the grade of the street as adopted by the City Council April 25, 1882; the gutters are to be paved; and all matters not herein particularly specified in regard to the construction of said sidewalks are to be determined by the Committee on Highways to which Committee full authority is hereby given for that purpose, and the said Committee is hereby authorized and instructed to grade construct and complete said sidewalks as aforesaid and in the manner aforesaid and to report a schedule of the

expense thereof and of the assessments therefor in the judgment of said committee proper to be made upon the abutters on such sidewalks to this Board when such sidewalks shall have been completed.
Order and Resolve adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.
—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk. ——

Sidewalk Newton Street Order to construct

Alderman Bergin offered the following Order
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13. 1882
Resolved that the public convenience requires that sidewalks be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed as hereinafter stated and it is therefore ordered that sidewalks be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed in the following named street of said city of Somerville with edgestones and covered with gravel all as hereinafter stated. Newton Street — on the southerly side thereof from Webster Avenue to Concord Avenue, to be covered with gravel and with edgestones, and to be of the width of six and ½ feet; the grade of said sidewalks is to conform substantially to the grade of the street; the gutters are to be paved and all matters herein particularly specified in regard to the construction of said sidewalks are to be determined by the Committee on Highways to which Committee full authority is hereby given for that purpose, and the said Committee is hereby authorized and instructed to grade construct and complete said sidewalks as aforesaid and in the manner aforesaid and to report a Schedule of the expense thereof and of the assessments therefor in the judgment of said committee proper to be made upon the abutters on such sidewalks, to this Board when such sidewalks shall have been completed.
Resolve and Order received its first and second reading and final passage. —— Charles E. Gilman Clerk —

June 13. 1882

Sidewalks Concord Avenue Order to construct

Alderman Durgin offered the following Order In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13, 1882 — Resolved:—

That the common convenience requires that sidewalks be graded and constructed, and partially constructed sidewalks completed as hereinafter stated and it is therefore Ordered that sidewalks be graded and constructed, and partially constructed sidewalks completed in the following named street of said City of Somerville, with edgestones and covered with gravel, all as hereinafter stated: Concord Avenue on the northerly side thereof from Prospect street to Newton Street, to be covered with gravel and with edgestones, and to be of the width of 4 and 1/2 feet.

The grade of said sidewalks is to conform substantially to the grade of the street; the gutters are to be paved and all matters not herein particularly specified in regard to the construction of said sidewalks are to be determined by the committee on highways to which committee full authority is hereby given for that purpose, and the said Committee is hereby authorized and instructed to grade construct and complete said sidewalks as aforesaid and in the manner aforesaid, and to report a schedule of the expense thereof and of the assessments therefor in the judgment of said committee proper to be made upon the abutters on such sidewalks to this board when such sidewalks shall have been completed

Resolve and Order received its first and second reading and final passage Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Intentions to build: Some Garrity Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Intentions to build

The Committee on intentions to build June 13, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Intentions to build to which was referred the notice of Samuel McGarrity of intention to build a wooden dwelling house on Somerville Avenue reports that since said notice was filed the land upon which the house

is to be erected has been filed to the grade required by ordinance, and it is hereby recommended that a permit to build be granted.

—— Dist. Burgin C. H. Page Committee ——

Report accepted and adopted.

—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Report of Committee on Finance June 13. 1882 to the City Council of Somerville.

The Committee on Finance which was instructed by an order dated January 17. 1882, to take into consideration the appropriation of three hundred dollars for the proper observance of memorial day report that the matter having been disposed of by a subsequent order of the City Council no further action is necessary, and it is hereby recommended that this Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

—— By order of the committee ——

—— George S. Vincent Clerk ——

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.

—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council June 13. 1882.

Concurred in —— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Finance ✓ memorial day Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Finance ——

In Committee on Finance June 13. 1882.

To the City Council of Somerville,

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the petition of the Somerville Mystic Water Board, asking for an appropriation of ten thousand dollars for construction account has given the matter careful attention and while opposed to making a special appropriation for such account would respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying resolution. By order of the Committee George S. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence. Chas. E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council June 11. 1882.

Concurred in —— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Finance ✓ Mystic Water Board Report of Committee.

June 13, 1882

Mystic Water Board Resolve making appropriation

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13, 1882

Resolved

That in the opinion of the City Council it is proper and desirable that the Water Board shall make use of the annual appropriation for water maintenance not only for the care and repairs of the pipes already laid, but also for such extension of the distribution pipes as may be necessary in the judgment of the board for the welfare and prosperity of the City Resolve received its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council June 13, 1882

Resolution adopted by receiving a first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.

Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Claims Report of Com. on petition of Samuel Knight

Report of Committee on Claims

In Committee on Claims June 6, 1882.

To the City of Council of Somerville.

The Committee on Claims, to which was referred the petition of Samuel Knight to be reimbursed in the sum of eight-nine and 35/100 dollars with interest, said sum having been paid by him to the City for a tax title on a lot of land on Marshall Street which title as he claims is said to be invalid reports that the matter has received due attention from this committee and it is hereby recommended that the petitioner be granted leave to withdraw.

By order of the Committee G. I. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council June 13, 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

June 13, 1882

Communication from the Board of Health, Board of Health City Hall.

Somerville Mass June 12, 1882.

To this hon. the Mayor and the City Council of Somerville ——

Gentlemen We have good reason to believe that meat which is unfit for food is manufactured into sausages in this City, and for this and other reasons we are of the opinion that an Inspector of provisions and animals intended for slaughter should be appointed. We therefore recommend that Chapter 58 of the public statutes be adopted by the City Council in order that the Mayor and Aldermen will have authority to appoint such Inspector.

Respectfully the Board of Health of Somerville

—— by George I. Vincent Clerk. ——

Received and sent down for information.

—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council June 13, 1882.

Received and read for information Douglas Frazar Clerk

Health Inspector of Meats

Report of Committee on Highways ——

In Committee on Highways June 6, 1882

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of the Somerville Horse Rail Road Co for leave to lay a track on Dover Street from the line between Cambridge and Somerville to the Car house of the Union Railway to on said Dover street together with suitable turnouts and connections; recommend that the accompanying order of notice for a hearing be adopted.

By order of the Committee ——

—— George I. Vincent Clerk.

—— Report accepted ——

—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Streets Horse Railroad Report of Com.

June 13, 1882

Some Tom Railroad order in hearing

Alderman Durgin offered the following Order.
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13 1882

Whereas

The Somerville House Rail road Company by its President S. E. Sewall petitioned this Board to grant leave to lay a track on Dover Street from the line between Cambridge and Somerville to the car house of the Union Railway Company on said Dover Street together with suitable curves and connections and Whereas said petition above recited has been referred to the Committee on Highways which Committee has reported recommending the adoption of this order and Whereas said report of said Committee has been accepted by this Board, it is therefore

Ordered

That this board meet at its room in the City Hall in said Somerville, on Tuesday the eleventh day of July next, at 8 o'clock P.M. for the purpose of hearing the matter of said petition and acting thereon, and that notice be given to all parties and corporations interested, to then and there appear, by causing a copy hereof to be published in the Somerville Journal, a newspaper published in said Somerville, once each week for four successive weeks, the last publication to be at least fourteen days before the time of such meeting; and that a like copy be given to the Somerville House Railroad Company or some officer or agent thereof or to the said S. E. Sewall at least fourteen days before said meeting; and the City Clerk is ordered to cause said notices to be given as aforesaid. Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage

Charles B. Gilman Clerk

A permit was granted to John Tolen to move the chapel Building from Tom Street Station to the corner of Cedar Street and Broadway upon land granted by the City of Somerville to the Wilton Bridge Evangelical Mission

June 13, 1882

Report of Committee on Sewers

In Committee on Sewers June 13. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of E. H. Curtis and others for a sewer in Mt Vernon Street from Broadway to Perkins Street reports that all parties interested have been heard by this Committee and it is hereby recommended that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.

By order of the Committee George F. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted & adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers ✓ Mt Vernon St Report of Com.

Aldermen Burns offered the following Order.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13. 1882.

Ordered

That Chapter 58 of the Public Statutes entitled "of the sale of Provisions and Animals intended for Slaughter" be and is hereby adopted by the City Council of Somerville.

Order adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council June 13. 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Act of Legislature. Chapter 58 sale of Provisions acceptance of

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Order of Notice Hearing Sidewalk Pearl Street.

In Board of Aldermen June 13. 1882.

Whereas in the opinion of the Board of Aldermen, the public convenience requires that sidewalks should be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed on the northeasterly side of Pearl Street from Cross Street to 445 feet northwesterly to be covered with brick and with edgestones to be the width of 8 1/2 feet and the grade of the same to conform to the grade of the street, it is therefore hereby

Ordered that due notice to be served as prescribed for the service of notices of intention to lay out highways be given to John W. Burns, Elvin F. Littlefield, Theodore F. Daniels, Heirs of Jerome F. Brainard, Joseph F. Brainard & Benjamin Jodice

Sidewalks Pearl St Order in hearing

June 13, 1882

and all other persons and corporations interested that this Board will at their norms in the City Hall on Highland Avenue, on Tuesday the 25th day of July 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. take into consideration the expediency of grading and constructing said sidewalks and completing said partially constructed sidewalks as aforesaid (and of assessing upon the abutters on such sidewalks in just proportion, a proper part according to law, of the expense of the same) and that any persons making objections thereto will then and there be heard.

Attest: Charles E. Gilman, City Clerk.

Order received its first and second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

Streets
Austin Street
Report of Comm

Report of Committee on Highways

In Committee on Highways May 26, 1881 — To the City Council of the City of Somerville — The Committee on Highways, to which was referred the petition of Mark Laighton and others, for the laying out of Austin Street from Broadway to Mystic Avenue, reports as follows, namely: that in the judgment of said Committee, the common convenience and necessity require that such street or way should be laid out; that said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurements and boundaries of the said street or way as proposed to be laid out to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer; said admeasurements and boundaries, the manner in which said laying out shall be completed, the names of all owners of land included therein, and in any wise sustaining damage by said laying out of such street or way as proposed, and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, being described and specified in the Resolve and Order herewith transmitted, which is made a part of this Report and the Committee also reports the accompanying Order of notice for a hearing by the City Council and Resolve and order for the laying out. By order of Committee Geo. I. Vincent Clerk of Committee.

June 13. 1882

In Board of Aldermen June 13. 1882 —
Accepted and sent down for concurrence
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council June 13. 1881 —
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk

——— Austin Street Order of Notice ———

Street 5 Austin Street Order for hearing

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13. 1882 —
Whereas in the opinion of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen and of the Common Council the common convenience and necessity of the inhabitants require that Austin Street should be laid out from Broadway to Mystic Avenue as a public street a way of the said city as shown on a plan and referred to and described in a report of the Committee on Highways in regard thereto said plan and report being deposited in the office of the City Clerk; it is therefore hereby ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law, and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville be given to Martha F. Tempkins George H. Harlow Charles B. Sanborn, Horace E. Parker John F. Rimond, Horatio G. Parker Trustee, James E. Pace Heirs of Joseph P. Sanborn — Mary A. Wessels, Charles B. Sanborn — Francis H. Turner — Jas Wemyss Jr Emily Friend George S. Fitz Elvira S. Wright — George D. Wemyss and all other persons and corporations interested that it is the intention of the City Council to lay out the street before mentioned by taking a portion of land, and laying out the same as a public street and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby, and that Tuesday the 26th day of July A.D. 1882 at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Common Council Room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue are appointed as the time and place for the hearing by the City Council of any objections which may be made thereto.
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13. 1882.
Received its first and second reading and final passage
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council June 13. 1882. Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage Douglas Frazar Clerk

June 13, 1882

Streets
Herbert Street
Report of Com

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways May 26. 1882
To the City Council
of the City of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of C. H. Kingsley and others for the laying out of Herbert Street from Chester Street to Day Street reports as follows namely; that in the judgment of the said Committee, the common convenience and necessity require that such street or way should be laid out; that said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurement, and boundaries of the said street or way as proposed to be laid out to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer; said admeasurement and boundaries, the manner in which said laying out shall be completed, the names of all owners of land included therein and in any wise sustaining damage by said laying out of such street or way, as proposed, and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, being described and specified in the Resolve and Order herewith transmitted, which is made a part of this Report; and the Committee also reports the accompanying Order of Notice for a hearing by the City Council and Resolve and Order for the laying out.

By order of the Committee
Geo. J. Vincent
Clerk of Committee

accepted and sent down for concurrence
Charles T. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council June 13, 1882.
Concurred in
Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Permit to J. Soley to move chapel

A permit was granted John Soley to remove the Chapel Building from Elm Street Station to the corner of Cedar Street and Broadway.

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Order of Notice Herbert Street
City of Somerville

Streets
Herbert Street
Order of Notice
of hearing

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
June 13. 1882.

Whereas, in the opinion of the Board of Mayor & Aldermen and of the Common Council, the Common Convenience and necessity of the inhabitants require that Herbert Street should be laid out from Chester Street to Day Street, as a public street or way of the said City as shown on a plan, and referred to and described in a report of the Committee on Highways in regard thereto and plan and report being deposited in the office of the City Clerk, it is therefore hereby ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville be given to Hannah T Woodward Samuel Roebuck, George Phillips William B Savage, West Somerville Congregational Society and all other persons and corporations interested that it is the intention of the City Council to lay out the street before mentioned by taking a portion of land and laying out the same as a public street and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby, and that Tuesday, the 25th day of July A.D. 1882 at 8 o'clock P.M. and the common Council Room, in the City Hall, on Highland Avenue are appointed as the time and place for the hearing by the City Council of any objections which may be made thereto. Order received, its first, and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E Gilman City Clerk

In Common Council June 13, 1882
Order of Notice adopted by receiving a first and second reading and final passage in Concurrence

Douglas Frazar Clerk

Horace Hawkins, Henry H. Howard, Wm. Lucks

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Report of Committee on Highways

City of Somerville

To Committee on Highways May 26, 1882.

To the City Council

of the City of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of C. W. Kingsley and others for the laying out of Cottage Avenue from Russell Street to Chester Street reports as follows namely; that in the judgment of the said Committee, the common convenience and necessity require that such street or way should be laid out; that said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurements and boundaries of the said street or way, as proposed to be laid out to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer; said admeasurements and boundaries the manner in which said laying out shall be completed the names of all owners of land included therein, and in any wise sustaining damage by said laying out of such street or way, as proposed and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners being described and specified in the Resolve and Order herewith transmitted, which is made a part of this Report and the Committee also reports the accompanying Order of notice for a hearing by the City Council and Resolve and Order for the laying out.

By order of the Committee

Attest George I. Vincent Clerk of Committee

Order adopted and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council June 13, 1882.

Concurred in.

Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Street
Cottage Avenue
Report of Com

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Street to Cottage Avenue Order of notice for hearing

Cottage Avenue Order of Notice

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

June 13, 1882

Whereas, in the opinion of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen and of the Common Council the common convenience and necessity of the inhabitants require that Cottage Avenue should be laid out from Russell street to Chester Street as a public street or way of the said city as shown on a plan and referred to and described in a report of the Committee on Highways in regard thereto said plan and report being deposited in the office of the City Clerk it is therefore hereby ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville be given to Heirs of Sarah J. McIntire Franklin W. Tove, Mary A. Whicher, Heirs of William Childs, Heirs of Lydia B. Glover, Heirs of Richard B. Stevens, Heirs of Nancy C. Bismarck, John F. Mansfield, Fred S. Farrar, Chester W. Kimsley and all other persons and corporations interested that it is the intention of the City Council to lay out the street before mentioned by taking a portion of land and laying out the same as a public street, and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby, and that Tuesday the 25th day of July A.D. 1882 at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Common Council Room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue are appointed at the time and place for the hearing by the City Council of any objections which may be made thereto.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13, 1882

Order received its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council June 13, 1882

Order of notice adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.

Douglas Frazar Clerk

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(Aldermen Norcross offered the following Order — Sewers
City of Somerville — Mt Vernon Street
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13. 1882 — Order to construct

Ordered

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to construct a common sewer in Mt Vernon Street from Broadway to a point near Perkins Street and report to this Board after the completion of said sewer the cost of the same together with a list of assessments such as in the judgment of said Committee, shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited.

J L Norcross Chairman of
Committee on Sewers

Order received its first and second readings and final passage, Charles E Gilman Clerk

Report of Committee on Sewers — Sewers
City of Somerville — Joy Street
In Committee on Sewers June 13. 1882. — Report of Com.
To the Mayor and Aldermen
of the City of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of S. R. Butler, and others for the laying, making and maintaining of a Main Drain Common Sewer in Joy Street a private street or way of said City and certain private lands reports as follows namely that in the judgment of said Committee the common convenience and necessity require that such Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid made and maintained; and to that end that the land forming said private street or way and private lands should be taken as aforesaid: That the said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurement and boundaries of the said land as proposed to be taken for the purpose of laying making and maintaining said Main Drain or Common Sewer as aforesaid to be distinctly marked out on the

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previous by the City Engineer, said admeasurements and boundaries the manner in which said taking shall be completed, the names of all persons owners of land included therein, and in any wise sustaining damage by the said taking of said land, and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, being described and specified in the Resolve and order herewith transmitted which is made a part of this Report, and the Committee also reports the accompanying Order of Notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and Resolve and Order for the taking of said land.

By Order of the Committee

Albert G. Grace Tibbinent Clerk of Committee

Report accepted and adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers Joy Street Order of Notice for hearing

Alderman Norcross offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, June 13, 1882

Whereas in the opinion of the Mayor and Aldermen the public convenience and the public health require that a main drain or common sewer should be laid in Joy Street so called a private way of said City from land now or formerly of Mellon and land now or formerly of Carville to Washington Street, and in certain other private lands, and that the said private street and lands should be taken for the purpose of said Main drain or common sewer and have ordered that said street and lands shall be taken, it is therefore hereby ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville be given to Sylvester Warrington, James J. Daley, Rufus Litchfield, James R. White, Charles Malatesta, William R. Wilbur, Michael A. Kelley, Philip White, John Walsh, City of Somerville, Charlestown five cents savings bank, John Nelson, Michael Donnelly, George Mullikin, Henry Locke, Arthur M. Clement, Arthur W. Tufts, Joanna Kinsley, Alice A. Gilman

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Mary James, Lorenzo Marrett Trustee, Benedicta Burkland Heirs Leonard and all other persons and corporations interested that it is the intent and of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said lands for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby and also that due notice be given to all persons and parties owning or having any rights for estates that will be benefited by the said proposed Main Drain or Common Sewer that it is intended to assess a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same and of the charge not already assessed of making and repairing other main drains and common sewers through which the same discharges upon the estates benefited under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the cost of laying Main Drains or Common Sewers and that Tuesday the 25th day of July A.D. 1882 at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen room in the City Hall on Sligh and Avenue are assigned as the time and place for the hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen of any objections which may be made thereto.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13, 1882.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Alderman Burns offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13, 1882

Ordered

That for the purpose of providing for the payment of the current expenses of the City the Committee on Finance be and they are hereby authorized to borrow in anticipation of taxes for the current year not exceeding the sum of Two hundred and Fifty thousand dollars for a term not exceeding six months and the Treasurer is hereby authorized under the

Finance Order to borrow in anticipation of Taxes.

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direction of said Committee to give a note or notes of the City therefor, payable from the money so collected for said taxes to be approved by the Mayor.
Order adopted by receiving its first reading and under a suspension of the Rules and orders its second reading and final passage by a yea and nay vote and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council June 13. 1882.
Order adopted by receiving its first reading and under a suspension of the Rules and Orders its second reading and final passage by a yea and Nay vote in concurrence.

Douglas Frazar Clerk

Somerville June 13. 1882.
Approved John A. Cummings Mayor.

Finance
Order to provide for the Payment of City Loan Bonds

Alderman Burns offered the following Order.

City of Somerville.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13. 1882.
Ordered.
That for the purpose of providing for the payment of City Loan Bonds Nos 1. 3. 4. 5. 6. 8. 10. 11. & 12. and sidewalk Loan Bond No 10. the sum of ninety two thousand five hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated; and the Committee on Finance are hereby authorized to borrow the said sum on a term not exceeding thirteen years and three months from the first day of July 1882, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized under the direction of said Committee to issue a bond or bonds of the City for the same.
In Board of Aldermen June 13. 1882.
Order adopted by receiving its first reading and under a suspension of the rules and orders its second reading and final passage by a yea and nay vote and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council June 13. 1882. Order adopted by receiving its first reading and under a suspension of the rules and orders its second reading and final passage by a yea and nay vote in concurrence.

Douglas Frazar Clerk

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June 13. 1882 order passed appropriation providing for payment of City Bonds — Approved John A Cummings Mayor

Alderman Burns offered the following Order — Finance
City of Somerville — Order for payments of Water Loan Bonds
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
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Ordered

That for the purpose of providing for the payment of Water Loan Bonds nos 12 & 13 the sum of Ninety thousand dollars be and is hereby appropriated and the Committee on Finance are hereby authorized to borrow said sum for a term not exceeding twenty two years and nine months from the first day of July 1882 and the Treasurer is hereby authorized under the direction of said Committee to issue a bond or bonds of the City for the same.

Order adopted by receiving its first reading and under a suspension of the rules and orders its second reading and final passage by a yea and nay vote and sent down for concurrence. — Charles E Gilman Clerk

In Common Council June 13 1882

Order adopted by receiving its first reading and under a suspension of the rules and orders its second reading and final passage by a yea and Nay vote in concurrence

— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Report of Committee on Licenses — Licenses
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 13. 1882 — Sale of Firemarks
Mr Committee on Licenses to whom was referred — Report of Committee
the petitions of Mrs Catharine Pelman & L Hodgdon, M Mae Jas Maley, Alex Murray, J S Gross & F Crockerito keep and sell firemarks at their several places of business would recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.

For the Committee of Frank Wellington Chairman

Report accepted and adopted

— Charles E Gilman Clerk

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Licenses
Order granting sale of Fireworks

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
June 13, 1882
Alderman Wellington, offered the following Order
Ordered:
That a license to keep and sell fireworks from June 14th to July 5 prox be and, hereby is granted to
Mrs Catharine Odriscoll of Somerville Avenue 311.
E L Hodgdon Corner of Otis & Dana Streets
Mrs Hale 146 Perkins Street
Jas Malley at 518 Somerville Avenue
Alex Munroe " Newton Street
S S Gross " Washington Street - Cranes Block
D F Crocker " Cross Street
In Board of Aldermen Order adopted
Charles E Gilman Clerk

Malden
Resolve thanks of this City for use of Fire Engine

Alderman Tage offered the following Resolve
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
June 13. 1882
Resolved
That the thanks of this City Council be tendered to the City Council of Malden for the use of a Steam Fire Engine while the engine belonging to this city was being repaired, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to transmit to the City Clerk of Malden a copy of this resolution. C P Tage.
Resolve received its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence
Charles E Gilman Clerk
In Common Council June 13. 1882.
Resolve Received its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.
Douglas Frazar Clerk

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Ordinance No 82 Relating to Contracts sent to the Council May 29, 1882 was returned from the Common Council endorsed as follows.

Ordinances Relating to Contracts

In Common Council May 25 1882.
The within ordinance as amended by the Board of Aldermen received its first and second reading and passage to be enrolled in concurrence.
—— (Douglas Frazar Clerk) ——

In Committee on Enrolled Ordinances June 13, 1882.
We the undersigned declare that we have carefully compared the within ordinance with its enrollment as made by the Clerk of the Council and find it truly and correctly enrolled.
—— Sen. P. S. Davis Fred. M. Hodder ——

In Common Council June 13, 1882.
Passed to be ordained
—— (C. P.) Weston President pro tem.
Attest) —— (Douglas Frazar Clerk) ——

In Board of Aldermen referred to Com on enrollment
In Committee on Enrolled Ordinances June 13, 1882.
We the undersigned declare that we have carefully compared the within ordinance with its enrollment as made by the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen and find it truly and correctly enrolled
—— E. C. Clark & C. A. Page ——
—— Committee on Enrollment ——

In Board of Aldermen June 13, 1882.
Passed to be Ordained
—— John A. Cummings Mayor ——
Approved
—— John A. Cummings Mayor ——

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Two Branches in Convention

June 13. 1882.

Streets
Newbury Street
(Hearing)

In accordance with an order passed April 25, 1882 — A hearing was held in reference to the laying out of Newbury Street from Holland Street to the Cambridge line.

Officers Return on Order of Notice

Officers Return

City of Somerville Middlesex June 13. 1882 —

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed, I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit: Sarah L. Hobbs, Alice R. Atwell, Albert Fitch, Rebecca H. Rogers, Charles S. Mallow, Abigail T. Smith, William H. Spiller, John Schofield, Nantha Peasely, Israel Lord,

and by delivering in hand a true copy of the said order to the following named persons to wit:

William P. Muzzey, Charles Quill,

and by delivering in hand a true copy of the said order to the tenants or authorized agents respectively of the following named persons to wit:

Trustees of Donations to the Protestant Episcopal Church Luzetta S. Emerson, Joseph Steele,

and the following named persons having no place of abode in this City, and no tenants or authorized agents therein known as such, or if resident in this City not being known as such, I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this City a true and attested copy of said order.

Samuel B. Phelps, Ransom P. Morse, Lorenzo Marrett, Executor, Henry Holton, William Litchfield, T. Nelson Hastings, James Miller, Willard Labrumpte, Heirs of Samuel T. Parker, John H. Cartwright, J. B. H. C. Terry, Louisa Chevington and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly

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newspaper published in said Somerville called the Somerville Journal the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named

Jairus Mann Constable of Somerville

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex, ss.

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Then personally appeared the above named Jairus Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true

before me George I Vincent

Justice of the Peace

The order of Notice was read and no person appearing to object the hearing was closed

The object for which the Convention was called having been accomplished the Convention was dissolved the Aldermen retiring to their room

Charles E Gilman Clerk of Convention

Petition of Fitchburg Rail Road for the appointment of certain persons as Police Officers

To the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The Fitchburg Rail Road Company a railroad corporation duly established by the laws of said Commonwealth and having a passenger station in said Somerville does hereby petition that the several persons named in the schedule hereto annexed all of whom are persons in the employment of said railroad corporation may be appointed police officers for the purpose and with the powers set forth in sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 20 of Chapter 102 of the Public Statutes of said Commonwealth

Fitchburg Railroad Company

By Thomas Whittemore Clerk of the Fitchburg Railroad Co

Police Special Police appointment of at request of Fitchburg Railroad Co

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In accordance with the foregoing petition the Mayor appointed and the aldermen confirmed the following enrolled persons as Police Officers

Adams John	Cone George R
Allen Lewis L	Crosby George F
Anderson Samuel	Carney James
Allen Rudy W	Chase Warren W
	Castle John
Brownley George H	Cutting Walter P
Brewster George S	Crowley Dennis
Bliss Charles K	Coombs Charles E
Baldwin George H	Cutter Fitch H
Brown Howard H	
Benner George C	Davies John H
Bagley John T	Daggett Foster M
Bartlett George C	Dallas Horatio M
Brown Amos L	Dickey Thomas J
Burns Frank P	Davis Julius
Bellows Charles W	Dean Charles
Brett Charles G	Delahantry Charles G
Bangs Jacob H	Dugan Jeremiah W
Billings Wm S	Dow Mortimer B
Bowker George M	
Burrows Frank B	Etheridge Samuel
Brown Elisha F	Eddy Frank H
Brooks George S	Estes Job F
Bishop George W	Fitch Leonard
Bramble Wm E	Foye George F
Brown George W	Fenderson John
Bagley Morris W	Foster John
Bates Edwin F	Fitzgerald James
	Fauner Henry A
Clark James W	Fisher Franklin
Chapman Hiram H	Field Ernest C
Colby Luther	Field Lucius W
Cutting Albert B	Foster William H
Coolidge George H	Fox Washington S
	Fisher Anson B

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Gleason Milton	Logan William J
Going Charles W	Lunan Franklin G W
Gates Thomas	Lynch Stephen
Gliddon John H	Leavitt Henry
Garner George H	Lord Walter E
Goodrich Charles A	Lunt Samuel
Grant Sears H	Lawrence Charles
	Lahiss Charles E
Holden Samuel N	
Hanscomb Frank	Miller Horatio S
Hammond Horace N	Merchant Benj M
Hartwell Henry	Martin Jerome R
Hartwell Julius R	McEvoy Michael
Hammond Lorenzo P	Madden Frank
Hall Eben G	Moulton Albert G
Hawking Rufus C	McCleary Joseph L
Hildreth Arthur E	Marden John W
Harwood William E	Moulton Frank P
Hughes Thomas	
Hayward Herbert N	O Connell John R
Holden Sawyer J	O Brien John
Hills George H	
Holton George P	Putnam James J
Houghton Willard	Patch George
	Pitman George J
Howard John W	Pittsburg Owen
	Peters William
Jones Warren L	Pettingill Converse M
Jacobs Francis	Putnam Edward W
Jewett William H	Pratt George M
Johnson John W	Pratt Walter H
	Potter Augustus H
Kingsbury Lucius A	Phillips George B
Kimball Albert C	Pike Willard C
Kim Rufus C	
Kendall Edwin F	Quinby Frank E
Kennard Arthur W	
Kimball Scott W	

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Ryan John T. ——— Whitcomb Charles H
Rowndy David D ——— Wilson Homer
Reddick Henry J ——— Warren George H
Rockwell Elbridge ——— Waitz John Jr.
Rugg Ephraim ——— Whitcomb Grace H
Reardon John ——— Williams William H
——— Weiser Augustus
Shaulding Leonard ——— Waite George
Stone George H ——— Ward George C
Stone Charles B ——— Wellington Fred A
Sanderson John F ——— Waite George C
Stone Austin W ——— Waite Fred
Smith William H ——— Wilbarger George
Steinhart William ——— Warren J Thomas
Sholes Edward C ——— Whitney Walter H
Sawyer Calvin S ——— Whidden George H
Shelton Waldo F ——— Wright Lewis P
Stockbridge Horace N. ———
Staples Mendal G ———
Stearns John A ———
Smith Edgar A ———
Staples Frank M ———
Storer John O ———
Stevens William F ———

Turner Edmund K ———
Towne George F ———
Tenney David ———
True Frank ———
Tandy William W ———
Thorpe Henry E ———
Tourtellotte Edward P ———
Tyler Albert W ———
Toner Michael C. ———

——— Attest Charles E Gilman Clerk ———

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On motion of Alderman Burns the Resolve and order for the taking of land for the construction of a sewer in Grant & Sewall Street was taken from the table after some discussion upon the question. On motion of Alderman Burns the Resolve and order was laid upon the table until after the action of the Board in reference to the construction of a sewer in Jaques Street.	Sewers ✓ Grant & Sewall St
On motion of Alderman Burns the Resolve and order for the taking of land for construction of Sewer in Jaques Street was taken from the table and received its first and second reading and final passage.	Sewer ✓ Jaques Street taking of land
The Resolve and Order relative to sewer in Grant and Sewall Street was taken from the table. Alderman Wellington moved that further consideration of the matter be postponed until another meeting. The motion did not prevail. The Resolve and Order was rejected alderman Nowas Rawlstone Burgin & Weld voting in the affirmative Wellington Page Clark Burns in the negative. On motion of Alderman Weld the vote rejecting the Resolve and order for the taking of land for construction of sewer in Grant & Sewall Street was reconsidered. Five Aldermen voting in the affirmative and three in the negative.	Sewer ✓ Grant & Sewall St
On motion of Alderman Weld the Resolve and Order was laid on the table.	
The License of Thomas J. McCormick as Common Victualler and Silas D. Carter as Innholder was signed by the Mayor and Aldermen.	License of ✓ J. McCormick & S. D. Carter were signed by the Mayor and Aldermen

Sewer
Jaques Street
Resolve & Order
for taking of land

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Jaques Street Sewer

Resolve and Order for laying out.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

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Resolved and adjudged, that the public convenience and the public health require that a main drain or common sewer should be laid made and maintained in Jaques Street so called, a private way in said City from Highland Street to Simpson Street and for that purpose it is necessary to take for said main drain or common sewer.

A parcel of land belonging to Samuel E. Sewall containing 1800 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Samuel E. Sewall containing 946 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Samuel E. Sewall containing 840 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Samuel E. Sewall containing 840 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Samuel E. Sewall containing 2980 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Estate of Samuel Hitchcock containing 2101 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to William Jaques 2118 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Leonard B. Chandler containing 1111 square feet more or less.

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A parcel of land belonging to William Jaques containing 2000 Square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to William Jaques containing 2000 Square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Marcus M Raymond containing 1000 Square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Amelia J H Davis containing 1000 Square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to William Jaques containing 3400 feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Samuel E Sewall containing 2900 Square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to William Jaques containing 1900 square feet more or less.

Each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on a plan drawn by George A (Kimball City) Engineer dated April 11 1882 entitled "Jaques, Grant and Sewall Streets Sewers" and deposited in the Office of the City Clerk.

And whereas the petition of Jacob T Grimes and others asking for the laying making and maintaining of such sewer, and the matter of taking said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid were referred to the Committee on Sewers, and whereas as appears by its report hereto annexed the said committee was of opinion that the public convenience and necessity require that said Main drain or common sewers should be laid made & maintained and the said Committee has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said parcels of land taken for the purpose

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aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, and also upon a plan thereof and to be described in its report and has specified the manner in which such taking shall be completed and reported the names of all parties sustaining damage by such taking, with the amount of such damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, as fully appears in said report and whereas said report and plan have remained in the City Clerks office for the term of seven days at least before the Mayor and Aldermen proceeded to act thereon and whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said parcels of land for the purpose of said Main Drain or Common Sewer, as by the order of notice, for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and the return thereto annexed will fully appear, and whereas at the time and place in said order of notice appointed the Mayor and Aldermen met and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard;

It is therefore ordered, that the parcels of land therefore before described be and the same are hereby taken for the purpose of a main Drain or Common Sewer of the said City, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same, and of the charge not already assessed of making and repairing other Main Drains and Common Sewers through which the same discharge according to the plan of the same made by George B. Kimball City Engineer dated April 11, 1882 and deposited in the office of the City Clerk as aforesaid; that the land taken as aforesaid, and as shown and designated upon said plan be and the same is hereby taken and established as for a Main Drain or Common sewer of the said city, that the boundaries and admeasurements of said land taken as aforesaid, are all as shown upon said plan, which is made a part of this Order and as follows to wit said land is bounded

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Southwesterly by lands of the abutters thereon nine hundred and fifty seven and 06/100 feet. Northwesterly by Temple Street forty two and 02/100 feet. Northeasterly by a line distant throughout forty feet from the first named line nine hundred and sixty nine and 12/100 feet and southeasterly by the middle line of Wheatland street forty feet that the proprietors occupants or owners of the land taken as aforesaid are allowed until the first day of July next to take of their trees, fences, and other property which may distract the laying of said Main Drainage common sewer and that the following is an estimate and award of the damages sustained by any persons in their property by the taking of said land namely

Samuel E. Sewall	Nothing	Sewer
Samuel E. Sewall	Nothing	Jaques Street
Samuel E. Sewall	Nothing	Damages awarded
Samuel E. Sewall	Nothing	
Samuel E. Sewall	Nothing	
Estate of Samuel Litchfield	Nothing	
William Jaques	Nothing	
William Jaques	Nothing	
Leonard B. Chandler	Nothing	
Wm Jaques	Nothing	
Marcus M. Raymond	Nothing	
Amelia W. Davis	Nothing	
William Jaques	Nothing	
Samuel E. Sewall	Nothing	
William Jaques	Nothing	

In Board of Aldermen June 13, 1892
Received its first and second reading and final passage
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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In accordance with an order passed June 13 1882 a hearing was held in reference to locating and maintaining a Steam Boiler in the factory to be erected by John A Ball on Broadway near the North Somerville Station of the Lowell Road.
The order having been read and no person appearing to object the hearing was closed.
Charles E Gilman Clerk

Alderman Worcross offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
June 13 1882

Sewer
Jaques Street
Order to construct

Ordered
That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to construct a common Sewer in Jaques Street from the sewer in Wheatland Street to Temple Street and report to this board after the completion of said sewer, the cost of the same together with a list of assessments such as in their judgment said Committee, shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited. J L Worcross
Order received its first and second reading and final passage.
Charles E Gilman Clerk
June 22 1882
Approved John A Cummings Mayor

Sewers
Bond street
Order to construct

Alderman Worcross offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
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Ordered
That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to construct a common sewer in Bond Street from Temple Street to a point near land of the City of Somerville and report to this board after the construction of said sewer, the cost of the

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same together with a list of assessments such as in the judgment of said Committee, shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited.

J. L. Kerrigan

In Board of Aldermen:

Order received its first & second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

Approved June 22. 1882.

John W. Cummings (Mayor)

June 27 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen June 27, 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding.

Aldermen present	Aldermen Norcross, Houlstone, Page, Clark, Burns, Duggin & Reid present.
	Record of last meeting read and approved.
Sewers Cesspools in Pitman St. petition for	The petition of Patrick Terry and others for the construction of two cesspools in Pitman St. referred to the Committee on Sewers.
Streets Semenitee Ave Driveway Petition for	Petition of S. Armstrong & Co. that a driveway be laid across the sidewalk on the South side of Somerville Avenue between the premises of Samuel Walker and Co. and the Boston and Albany Railroad at his expense. S. Armstrong & Co. referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for Concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council June 29, 1882 Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.
Auctioneer appointment of	Dana H. Bennett was appointed and confirmed as an Auctioneer.
Firemarks License petition for	The petitions of Mrs J. E. Wisdom, Charles T. Keith and C. H. Needham for a License to keep and sell Firemarks. Referred to the Committee on Licenses.
Licenses Junk Granted	Licenses was granted to Samuel Dickson and Oscar H. Shute to collect old Junk.
Licenses Junk J. McDonnell Refused	Leave was granted John McDonnell to withdraw his petition for a License to collect old Junk.

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The Bond of John S. McAdoo as Private detective in the sum of three thousand dollars was accepted and approved and sent down for concurrence — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council June 29 1882
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk

Bonds. J. S. McAdoo

The Remonstrance of Louis E. Merry and others against the granting of a location for the laying of a horse railroad through Dover Street
Referred to the Committee on Highways

Horse Railroad Dover Street Remonstrance

The petition of [illegible] for permission to use one three [illegible] power engine with four horse boiler in rear of [illegible] No 317 Plaine Avenue
Referred to the Committee on Fire Department

Steam Engine petition of [illegible]

Petition of Horatio G. Parker Trustee that sidewalks be laid on New Cross Street
Referred to Committee on Highways

Sidewalks Cross Street petition for

Notice of E. J. Logan on Oak Street — W. W. Freeman on Dover Street — P. B. Blackie on Cross Street — Owen McLeod on Linwood Street of their intention to build — permits granted

Intention to Build permits granted

Petition of P. G. Tibbets that a street lamp may be placed in front of his residence on Marison Street at his expense. W. H. Tibbetts
Referred to the Committee on Street Lights and sent down for concurrence
— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council July 29 1882.
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk

Street Lights Marison St petition for

John S. McAdoo was appointed and confirmed as Constable.

Police appointment of J. S. McAdoo

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Bond
City Clerk

The Bond of Charles E. Gilman City Clerk in the sum of One thousand dollars was accepted and approved sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council July 29 1882 —
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Sidewalks
Wallace St —
Order to construct

Resolve for the construction of Sidewalks for
Wallace Street
City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 27, 1882
Resolved.

That the public convenience requires that sidewalks be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed as hereinafter stated and it is therefore

Ordered That sidewalks be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed in the following named street of said City of Somerville with edgestones and covered with gravel etc as hereinafter stated

Wallace Street

on both sides thereof from Holland Street to Broadway to be covered with gravel and with edgestones and to be of the width of six and 7/12 feet.

The grade of said sidewalks is to conform substantially to the grade of the street; the gutters are to be paved and all matters not herein particularly specified in regard to the construction of said sidewalks are to be determined by the Committee on Highways to which Committee full authority is hereby given for that purpose.

And the said Committee is hereby authorized and instructed to grade construct and complete said sidewalks as aforesaid and in the manner aforesaid and to report a schedule of the expense thereof and of the assessments therefor in the judgment of said Committee proper to be made

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upon the abutters on such sidewalks, to this Board when such sidewalks shall have been completed.
Resolve and Order received its first and second reading and final passage — Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

Report of Committee on Highways
— City of Somerville —
In Committee on Highways: May 26, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen
— of Somerville —
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of the Suburban Telephone Company for locations in the streets of this City, presents a partial report recommending that locations be granted on the southerly side of Mystic Avenue from the Medford line to the Boston Line, and on the easterly side of Temple Street from Mystic Avenue to Broadway, with restrictions as specified in the accompanying order.
— By order of the Committee —
— Geo. T. Vincent, Clerk —
Report accepted — Charles E. Gilman, Clerk

Telephone Report of Committee

Order Suburban Telephone Company
— City of Somerville —
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
— June 27, 1882 —

Telephone Do Order locating

Ordered —
That the Suburban Telephone Company be and it is hereby licensed and authorised to erect maintain and use the posts wires and other apparatus necessary for the establishment and maintenance of a Telephone exchange in the City of Somerville upon the locations hereinafter set forth and upon the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed, imposed and not otherwise to wit.

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First: the location hereby granted shall be upon the Southerly side of Mystic Avenue, within City limits and upon the easterly side of Temple Street to the Northerly side of Broadway.

Second

All posts shall be of Spruce shall be painted and kept painted of a lead color, and all wires stretched upon the same shall be constantly maintained at a height of not less than twenty feet at every point.

Third

The said Company shall faithfully perform and observe all the provisions and requirements of City Ordinances No 21 relating to telegraph and telephone lines, and any and all regulations and orders of the Superintendant of telegraph and telephone lines of said City.

Fourth

Any individual or other company may be authorized by this Board and shall have the right when so authorized to attach wires, other than Electric light wires to the same posts and use the same for telegraphic or telephone purposes, upon paying to the Suburban Company such sum for the use of said posts, either in the gross or per annum, as this board may think equitable and just after hearing the parties with reference to the same.

Fifth

The entire top cross bar upon each of said posts and the cap or top of each post shall be reserved by said company free of all costs or expense to the City, for such use as the City may see fit to make of the same, and all wires that may be stretched upon the same shall be maintained by the Company free of all expenses to the City.

Sixth

The said Company shall free of expense to the City put in switches or jacks at the City Hall and at the Police Station and connect these two stations on the City

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line with the Company's line and exchange and shall connect said two stations through its Somerville exchange free of charge, with all other exchanges now constructed or owned or that may hereafter during the continuance of this license and location, be controlled or owned by the said Company, and transmit free of charge to the City all messages that the City Officials may at any and all times desire to send over said exchanges, and further, transmit all messages for the City to points outside the territory controlled or operated by said Company at rates representing the cost of transmission to the said Suburban Telephone Company, the provisions of this sixth section to remain in force, so long as the said Company shall have an exchange a location in Somerville.

Seventh.

The location herein granted shall be discontinued and abandoned at any time this board shall order but not without first giving the Company a full opportunity to be heard in the matter and upon such order of discontinuance or abandonment, when passed the said Company shall remove said posts and restore the streets to their original condition, or shall leave the same standing as the property of the City and without any claim for compensation therefor as this board may elect.

Eighth

This license and this location granted herein shall be void unless within six months from its passage the said Company shall have established and be operating a telephone exchange in the City of Somerville.

In Board of Aldermen June 27 1882.

Ordered filed.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Licenses ✓
Fireworks
Report of Com

Report of Committee on Licenses
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
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The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the petitions of Lucy S. Aymar, Mrs J. E. Wisdom, Charles S. Keith & C. M. Needham to be paid sell Fireworks July 3rd 1882.
Recommend that the prayers of the several petitioners be granted. — J. L. Morrison for Committee

Licenses ✓
Fireworks
Order to grant

Alderman Morrison offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
July 27 1882.

Ordered
That licenses to sell Fireworks on the 3 and 4th of July next be issued to the following named parties to wit

Mrs Lucy S. Aymar	63 Franklin Street
Mrs J. E. Wisdom	Cor of Beacon & Oxford Streets
Charles S. Keith	59 Somerville Avenue
C. M. Needham	Corner of Holland & Dover St

J. L. Morrison.

Order adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Schools ✓
Heating apparatus
Edgerly school house
Report of Committee
Licenses

Report Committee on Public Property
City of Somerville
In Committee on Public Property
June 24 1882

To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Public Property submits the following proposal to place heating apparatus in the Edgerly School house addition in accordance with plans and specifications by S. L. Kelly Architect

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C. Carpenter & Co. for 2 no. 5 Portable Plate Iron furnaces with hot-air pipes &c — $650.00

Magee Furnace Co. 2 no. 80 Champion portable furnaces with hot-air pipes &c — 495.00

Walker & Pratt Manufacturing Company for 2 no. 11 Walker Portable Furnaces with hot-air pipes &c — 436.00

Highland Foundry Co. for 2 no. 20 Peerless Portable furnaces with hot-air pipes &c — 406.00
and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to the Highland Foundry Company.
By order of the Committee
George T. Vincent Clerk
Accepted adopted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Alderman Clark Offered the following Order
City of Somerville
Mr. Board of Mayor and Aldermen
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Schools
Order Committee Public Property to contract for heating Apparatus Edgerly S. H.

Ordered
That the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorized to make a contract with the Highland Foundry Company for two number 20 Peerless Portable Furnaces, with the necessary hot-air pipes registers &c to be placed in the Edgerly School house addition in accordance with plans by S. D. Kelley architect for the sum of four hundred and six dollars, said sum when paid to be charged to Edgerly School house Addition.
Order received its first and second reading and final passage sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

June 27, 1882,

Sewers Contracts Report of Com

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers, June 26, 1882,

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers in accordance with orders dated respectively April 11 Mar. and May 23, 1882, has made contracts for the construction of sewers as follows:

with Charles W. Monson for Sewer in Elect Street
" " " " " " Cross "
" Maurice Levy " " " Ashland "
" Charles W. Monson " " " Perkins "

By order of the Committee

George T. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers Bridge St Construction of Report of Com

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers June 26, 1882,

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville,

The Committee on Sewers in accordance with an order dated April 18, 1882, has constructed in Nevada Avenue from the sewer in Village Avenue a street to a point 33 feet easterly from Hanson 237 7/10 feet of 10 inch pipe sewer with 1 man hole at a cost of $190.39 and it is hereby recommended that the accompanying list of assessments, warrant and order be adopted.

By order of the Committee

George T. Vincent Clerk

In Board of Aldermen June 29, 1882 –

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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Common Sewer Assessment — Sewers ✓

Village Street — Village Street

Schedule of assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, to defray in part the cost of constructing a Common Sewer, in the City of Somerville in Nevada Street a avenue and extending from the sewer in Village Street to a point 123 feet Easterly from Hanson St.

Owners of estates benefited	number of sq. ft. Lands	valuation	rate per cent of asst.	Assessment	
Alexander Reilly	2000	$400.00	4½	18	00
Stephen Kenny	2000	400.00	"	18	00
Edmund & Ellen C. Brown	2000	400.00	"	18	00
Ellen Mullin	2000	400.00	"	18	00
Catharine Fitzgerald	2000	400.00	"	18	00
Julius Blount	2000	400.00	"	18	00
Stephen Sanders	2000	400.00	"	18	00
Helen Richer	2000	400.00	"	18	00
Jean Condit	2000	400.00	"	18	00
		$3600.00	"	162	00

For a description of estates benefited see plan drawn by George A. Kimball, City Engineer, dated April 26, 1882. Entitled "Nevada Avenue Sewer" and on file in City Engineer's Office

Commonwealth of Massachusetts — Sewers ✓

Middlesex, ss — Village Street

To John F. Bell, Treasurer and Collector of taxes of the City of Somerville in said County — Greeting — Warrant

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you of each one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list to wit:

One hundred and sixty two dollars

being the whole amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said city to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in said City of Somerville in Nevada Avenue and extending from the Sewer in Village Street

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to a point 33 feet easterly from Hanson Street the same having been ordered assessed and certified hereby.

You are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums and pay the same into the Treasury of said City, on or before the 15th day of October next ensuing the date hereof and in making collections and enforcing the payment of said sums you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth and to be governed thereby.

Witness John F. Cummings Mayor of our said City of Somerville on the 27th day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

Boulder of the Mayor and Aldermen
Charles E. Gilman, City Clerk.

Sewer
Village Street
Ant. order to collect

City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
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Ordered:

That the cost of constructing the Common Sewer within mentioned to amounting to $170 36/100 and after deducting the proportion thereof amounts 28 36/100 to be paid by the City thereon remaining 162 00/100 to be assessed upon persons benefited. The persons named in the within schedule being benefited as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names as their proportional part of the expense of the said Sewer, and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant as within stated be adopted & issued.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

Report accepted assessment lists warrant & order adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers June 26, 1882

Sewers
Elliot Street
Completion of
Report of Com

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Sewers, in accordance with an order dated April 11, 1882, has constructed in Elliot St. from the sewer in Pine Street to a point 59 feet South easterly from Park Street 242 5/10 feet of 12 inches Pipe Sewer with one manhole, at a cost of $261.40, and it is hereby recommended that the accompanying list of assessments, warrant and order be adopted.

By order of the Committee
Grace F. Lincoln Clerk.

Report accepted list Warrant and order adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Common Sewer Assessment
Elliot Street

Sewers
Elliot St
Assessment List

A schedule of Assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, to defray in part the cost of constructing a Common Sewer in the City of Somerville in Elliot Street and extending from the sewer in Pine Street to a point 59 feet southeasterly from Park Street

Owners of Estates benefited	number feet of land	valuation	rate per cent of assess	Assessment	
Rufus Estabrook	14,800	2,960.00	3 6/10	106	56
Emma C. Maguire	3,297	659.40	"	23	74
Rufus Estabrook	9,300	1860.00	"	66	96
		5479.40		197	26

For a description of estates benefited see plan drawn by Grace A. Kimball City Engineer dated April 19, 1881. Entitled Elliot Street Sewer and on file in the City Engineer office

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Sewers
Elliot Street
Warrant

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss.

To John F. Cox Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville, in said County,

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you; of each one, his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list to wit:

One hundred and ninety seven 1/100 dollars being the whole amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said City to defray in part the cost of constructing a Common Sewer in said City of Somerville in Elliot Street and extending from the sewer in Pine Street to a point 59 feet Southeasterly from Park Street the same having been ascertained assessed and certified hereby.

You are to complete and make up an account of the Collection of said sums, and pay the same into the Treasury of said City on or before the 15th day of October next ensuing the date hereof; and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums you are to exercise the power conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth and to be governed thereby.

Witness John F. Cummings, Mayor of our said City of Somerville on the 27th day of June in the year our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman

City Clerk.

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City of Somerville Elliot Street

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

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Ordered that the cost of constructing the common sewer within warned to amounting to $261.40/100 and after deducting the proportion thereof namely $14.40/100 to be paid by the city, there remaining $147.24/100 to be assessed upon persons benefited the persons named in the within schedule, being benefited as aforesaid to and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer, and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or lessors, and it is ordered that the warrant as within stated be adopted and issued.

Attest Charles E. Gilman

City Clerk

In Board of Aldermen June 27 1882

Report accepted Assessment list Warrant and order adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers Elliot St assessment order to collect

Report of Committee on Sewers

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers June 26 1882

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers in accordance with an order dated April 11 1882 has constructed in Cross Street from the sewer in Medford Street to a point 122 feet northeasterly from High Street 224 feet of 12 inch and 275 feet of ten inch Pipe Sewer with 2 Man holes at a cost of $659.01 and it is hereby recommended that the accompanying list of assessments, warrant and order be adopted.

By order of the Committee George I Vincent Clerk

Report accepted and adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers Cross St completion of Report of Committee

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Sewers Cross Street assessment list

Common Sewer Assessment

Cross Street

Schedule of assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, to defray in part, the cost of constructing a Common Sewer, in the City of Somerville in Cross Street and extending from the sewer in Medford Street to a point 122 feet northeasterly from High Street.

Owner of Estates benefited	Number feet of land	valuation	rate per cent of ant	assessment	
William H. Thompson	9000	$1800.00	3 87/100	$68	75
William H. Thompson	16,500	4125.00	"	157	58
William H. Thompson	24,100	4820.00	"	184	12
William H. Thompson	11,000	2200.00	"	84	04
		$12,945.00		$494	04

For a description of estates benefited see plan drawn by George A. Kimball, City Engineer dated June 3, 1882, Entitled "Cross Street Sewer" and on file in the City Engineers Office.

Sewers Cross Street Mt Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss.

John F. Cole Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville, in said County Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you of each one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list, to wit

Four hundred and ninety-four and 50/100 dollars being the whole amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said City to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in said City of Somerville in Cross Street and extending from the sewer in Medford Street to a point 122 feet northeasterly from High Street the same having been ascertained assessed and certified hereby. You are to complete and make up an account of the

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collection of said sums and pay the same into the treasury of said City on or before the 15th day of October next ensuing the date hereof, and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums, you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth and to be governed thereby.

Witness John W. Cummings Mayor of our said City of Somerville on this 27th day of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

City of Somerville

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen

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Ordered that the cost of constructing the Common Sewer, within referred to amounting to $659.[illegible] and after deducting the proportion thereof namely $[illegible] to be paid by the City, there remaining $[illegible] to be assessed upon persons benefited the persons named in the within schedule being benefited as aforesaid be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names as aforesaid as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant as within stated be adopted and issued.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

In Board of Aldermen

Report accepted Assessment list Warrant and order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewer
Cross Street
Commonwealth
Order to collect

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Fuel & Light Proposals Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Fuel and Lights
City of Somerville
In Committee on Fuel and Street Lights
June 26, 1882.

To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Fuel and Street Lights has advertised for proposals to furnish coal and wood for the various city buildings and school houses and to fill orders drawn by the Overseers of the Poor and the Committee on Soldiers' Relief for the year ending July 1, 1883, and has received the following:

Names of Bidders	Coal: Furnace Egg	Coal: Stove per ton	Wood: Hard per	Wood: Soft cord	For consumers of Poor and Committee on Soldiers' Relief: Coal per ton	Hard Wood per	Soft Wood cord
L. G. Burnham & Co.	$5.79	$5.79	$7.50	$6.00	6.04	$8.00	$6.50
J. A. Wellington & Co.	565	565	8.50	7.00	5.65	8.50	7.00
Horatio Wellington & Co.	555	565	7.50	6.50	5.65	7.50	6.50
Walter M. Hadley	535	535	9.00	6.25	5.35	9.00	6.25

and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to Walter M. Hadley

By order of the Committee
George S. Vincent, Clerk.

Report accepted adopted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

In Common Council June 29, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar, Clerk.

Fuel & St. Lights Order Committee to contract for fuel

Wiedeman Page offered the following Order.
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
June 27, 1882

Ordered
That the Committee on Fuel and Street Lights be and is hereby authorized to make a contract with Walter M. Hadley for all coal and wood that will be required by the City during the year ending July 1st 1883, for use in the various schoolhouses and public buildings and to fill orders from the Overseers of the Poor and the Committee

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in holders [illegible] at the prices named in said Leadbeys proposal submitted in said Committees report of this date.

— A. H. Page —

Order received its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.

— Charles E. Gilman Clerk —

In Common Council June 29 1882.

Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.

— Douglas Kazar Clerk

Approved June 30. 1882 John A. Cummings Mayor.

Report of Committee on Sewers.

— City of Somerville —

In Committee on Sewers June 26. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen

— of Somerville —

The Committee on Sewers in accordance with an order dated May 9. 1882, has constructed a sewer Ashland Street from the sewer in Summer Street to a point 230 feet northeasterly from Chestnut Street 25 3/10 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with 2 man holes at a cost of 4th. 11. and it is hereby recommended that the accompanying list of assessments, warrant and order be adopted.

— By order of the Committee —

— George F. Vincent Clerk —

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

Report accepted assessment list, warrant and order adopted.

— Charles E. Gilman Clerk —

Sewers Ashland Street Completion of Report of Committee

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Sewers ✓ Ashland St. Assessment List

Common Sewer Assessment

Ashland Street

Schedule of assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, to defray in part, the cost of constructing a common sewer in the City of Somerville in Ashland Street and extending from the sewer in Summer Street to a point 330 feet northeasterly from Chestnut Street.

Owners of Estates benefited	number of feet of Sewer	Valuation	Rate per cent of Sewer	Assessment	
Laura H. Burdell	2,916	$729.00	3½	$25	52
James Miller	2,986	746.50	"	26	13
Caroline R. Conrad	2,955	738.75	"	25	86
Christina H. Heilman	2,919	729.75	"	25	54
Wm. L. Prichard	2882	720.50	"	25	22
Daniel L. Demmon	27,500	5500.00	"	192	50
		$9160.50	"	$320	77

For a description of Estates benefited see plan drawn by George A. Kimball, City Engineer, dated June 3, 1882 entitled Ashland Street Sewer and in file in said City Engineers office.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

Sewers ✓ Ashland Street Warrant

To John F. Cole Esq.

Treasurer and Collector of Lyn of the City of Somerville in said County Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you of Ratable and the proportion thereon particularly set down of the nine total of said list to wit;

Three hundred and twenty and 77/100 dollars being the whole amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said City to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in said City of Somerville

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in Ashland Street and extending from the sewer in Summer Street to a point 250 feet northeasterly from Chestnut Street the same having been ascertained assessed and certified herein

You are to compute and make up an account of the collection of said sums and pay the same into the treasury of said city on or before the 15th day of October next reserving the duty hereof and in making collection and enjoying the payment of said sums, you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth, and to be governed thereby.

Witness,

John F. Cummings Mayor of our said City of Somerville on the 27th day of June in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty four.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

June 27, 1882.

Sewers Ash and Street assessment order to collect

Ordered

That the cost of constructing the Common Sewer within ordered to amounting to $416.[illegible] and after deducting the proportion thereof remaining $95.[illegible] to be paid by the City then remaining $320.[illegible] to be assessed upon persons benefited the persons named in the within schedule being benefited as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer, and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the Warrant as within stated be adopted and issued.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

Assessment List, Warrant and Order Adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Sewers
Sacramento &
Miller Streets
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers June 19, 1882
To the Mayor and Aldermen
of the City of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Grace St. Sinear and Miller Brothers & Co. and others for the laying, making and maintaining of a Main Drain or Common Sewer in Sacramento and Miller Streets private streets or ways of said City, report as follows namely that in the judgment of said Committee the common convenience and necessity requires that such Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid and maintained; and to that end that the land forming said private street or way, and private lands, should be taken as aforesaid. That the said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurements and boundaries of the said land, as proposed to be taken for the purpose of laying, making and maintaining said main drain or common sewer as aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer; said admeasurements and boundaries the manner in which said taking shall be completed the names of all owners of land included therein and in any way sustaining damage by the said taking of said land, and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, being described and specified in the Resolve and Order herewith transmitted which is made a part of this report, and the Committee also report the accompanying Order of Notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and Resolve and order for the taking of said land.

By order of the Committee

George T. Vincent Clerk of Committee

Report accepted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Alderman Norcross offered the following Order — Sewer Sacramento to Miller Street Order for hearing

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

June 27, 1882.

Whereas, in the opinion of the Mayor and Aldermen the public convenience and the public health require that a Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid in Sacramento and Miller Street, so called private ways of said City from Beacon Street to a private way running Northeasterly from Beacon Street and that the said private street should be taken for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer and have ordered that said street should be taken, for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer and have ordered that said street should be taken it is therefore hereby ordered that due notice, in the manner provided by law, and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville be given to Adams Clark,

Adeline Adams Guardian for Joseph M Clark

Adeline Adams Guardian " Samuel A Clark

Adeline Adams Guardian " Joseph M Clark

Lucy M Knapp Mary C Clark

Ellis F. Henry C. Miller, Heirs of Joseph Miller,

Grace S. Lemas, John M Reitenbach, Frederick Reitenbach and Louis Minch and all other persons and corporations interested that it is the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said street for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer, and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby, and also that due notice be given to all persons and parties owning or having any rights in estates that will be benefited by the said proposed Main Drain or Common Sewer, that is is intended to assess a proportional part of the charge of making or repairing the same, and of the charge not already assessed, of making and repairing other Main Drains and Common Sewers through which the same discharges upon the estates benefited under the provisions of an authorizing the assessment of a

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proportional part of the cost of laying main drains or common sewers and that Tuesday the 12th day of September A.D. 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue are assigned as the time and place for the hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen of any objections which may be made thereto. Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Order received its first and second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Sewers
Bedford Street
Report of Com

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers June 17 1882
To the Mayor and Aldermen
of the City of Somerville

In Committee

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of P. Hayes and others for the laying making and maintaining of a main drain or common sewer in Bedford Street a private street or way of said city report as follows namely.

That in the judgment of said Committee, the common convenience and necessity require that such main drain or common sewer should be laid more and maintained, and to that end that the land forming said private street or way and private lands should be taken as aforesaid that the said Committee viewed the premises & caused the admeasurements and boundaries of the said land as proposed to be taken for the purpose of laying making and maintaining said main drain or common sewer as aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out on the premises, by the City Engineer, said admeasurements and boundaries the manner in which said taking shall be completed, the names of all owners of land included therein and in any wise sustaining damage by the said taking of said land and the amount (damage) proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners being described and specified in the Resolve

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and order herewith transmitted which is made a part of this report; and the Committee also reports the accompanying order of notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen, and Resolve and order for the said taking of said land.

By order of the Committee.

Attest. Greg. J. Vincent Licensing Committee

In Board of Aldermen June 27 1882.

Report Accepted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Aldermen Bowers offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

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Sewers Bedford Street Order for hearing.

Whereas in the opinion of the Mayor and Aldermen the public convenience and the public health require that a Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid in Bedford Street, so called, a private way of said City from South Street to the Cambridge Line Street and that the said private street should be taken for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer and have ordered that said street shall be taken it is therefore hereby ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville be given to

Solomon G. Shipper, Chas. Campbell, Peter Holcham, Frank Kearney, Patrick Hayes, Bridgett Foley, Hannah Ferris, Patrick Foley.

and all other persons and corporations interested, that it is the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said Street for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer, and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby and also that due notice be given to all persons and parties owning or having any right in estates that will be benefited by the said proposed Main Drain or Common Sewer that it is intended so assess a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the

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same, and of the charge, not already assessed, of making and repairing the main drains and common sewer through which the same discharges, upon the rentals benefited, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the cost of laying, maintaining a common sewer, and that Tuesday the 12th day of September A.D. 1882 at 2 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue are assigned as the time and place for the hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen of any objections which may be made thereto.

Mary Charles Gilman City Clerk

Order received its first and second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers
Passage way between Linwood St & Congress Place
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers June 19, 1882.
To the Mayor and Aldermen
of the City of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of Hugh Carlton and others, of the laying, making and maintaining of a main drain or common sewer in a passage way between Linwood place and Congress Place in said City, report as follows, namely,

That in the judgment of said Committee, the common convenience and necessity require that such main drain or common sewer should be laid made and maintained and to that end the land comprising said passage way should be taken as aforesaid; that the said Committee have the premises and received the adm. assessment and boundaries of the said land as required to be taken for the purpose of laying, making and maintaining said main drain or common sewer as aforesaid to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer; said adm. assessment and boundaries the manner in which said taking shall be

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Completed the names of all owners of land included therein and in any wise sustaining damage by the said taking of said land and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, being described and specified in the Resolve and order herewith transmitted which is made a part of this Report and the Committee also report the accompanying Order of Notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen, which Resolve and order in the taking of said land.

By order of the Committee

Attest, Grace Stimpson

Clerk of Committee

Report accepted and adopted

Charles E. Gilman, Clerk

Alderman Hoover offered the following Order

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In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

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Whereas, in the opinion of the Mayor and Aldermen the public convenience and the public health require that a main drain or Common Sewer should be laid in Passage way between Congress Place and Linwood Place in said city from Linwood Street to the westerly end of a passage way and that the said passage way should be taken for the purpose of said main drain or Common Sewer and have ordered that the same shall be taken, it is therefore hereby Ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law, and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville be given to

Timothy McCarthy, Peter Scott, Michael J. Moffawan, Catherine Laird, Jane Hambertillo, Jeremiah Sullivan, Bridgett Downey, Matilda C. Allen, Hugh Carton, Bridgett A. Blessington, Rose of Mary Flaherty, Michael Cannery and Patrick Campbell

and all other persons and corporations interested that it is the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said

Sewer in Passage way between Linwood St. and Congress Place

Order for hearing

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passage for the purposes of said main drain or Common Sewer, and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby and also that due notice be given to all persons and parties owning or having any rights in estates that will be benefited by the said proposed main drain or Common Sewer, that it is intended to assess a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same, and of the charge not already assessed of making and repairing other main drains or common sewers through which the same discharges upon the estates benefited under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the cost of laying main drains or common sewers and that Tuesday the 12th day of September A.D. 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen Room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue are assigned as the time and place for the hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen of any objection which may be made thereto.

Attest Charles E. Gilman (City Clerk.

Order received its first and second reading and final passage. _____ (Charles E. Gilman) Clerk.

Sewers
Mt. Vernon St.
Proposals
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers June 26, 1882 —
to the Board of Aldermen
of City of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers duly authorized by an order dated June 13, 1882 submit the following list of proposals which have been received to construct in the Vernon Street from the present pipe sewer near Broadway to a point near Tufts Street about 1150 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with three man holes the pipe to be furnished by the city.

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Sewer, The Vernon Street - Proposals

Names of Bidders	Manholes each	Laying sewer per lin ft	Rock excavated per cu yd	Estimated aggregate
Collins & Maley	$52.00	$1.75	—	$943.50
Charles H. Mangan	48.00	0.90	4.00	549.00
Dennis O. Connell	50.00	0.85	—	532.50
Martin Gill	48.50	0.73	5.00	474.00
Patrick Terry	45.00	0.63	4.50	416.50
Maurice Brettimer	42.00	0.65	4.00	418.50
Richard Fahey	38.00	0.62	4.00	393.00
John J. Dory	40.00	0.60	4.00	390.00

and it is hereby recommended that the contracts be awarded to Richard Fahey.

By order of the Committee Geo. I. Vincent - Clerk, Report accepted and adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clk.

Meeting of Committee on Sewers - City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers June 27 1882 - To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

Sewers ✓
Bond Street
Proposals
Report of Committee

The Committee on Sewers duly authorized by an order dated June 13 1882 - submits the following list of proposals which have been received to construct in Bond Street from the centre of Temple Street in a northwestern direction, about 800 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with 4 manholes, there being about 460 cubic yards of rock to be excavated; the pipe to be furnished by the City.

Names of bidders	manholes each	Rock excavated per cu yd	Laying sewer per lin ft	Estimated aggregate
Collins & Maley	$52.00	$5.25	$2.00	4,223.00
Dennis O. Connell	48.00	4.90	0.90	3,166.00
Maurice Terry	60.00	4.15	0.87	2845.00
Charles H. Mangan	45.00	4.00	0.90	2740.00
Jeremiah McCarty	60.00	3.95	0.80	2697.00
Edward Fitzgerald	49.00	4.60	0.45	2672.00

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Martin Gill	47.50	3.95	$0.61	$2563.00
Patrick Seery	42.00	4.40	0.40	2536.00
Maurice Bettiner	40.00	3.95	0.45	2397.00
Richard Sullivan	36.00	3.80	0.42	2229.00
John J. Carey	40.00	3.40	0.45	2108.00

and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to John J. Carey

Respectfully submitted,
Street Committee
Approved,
Charles E. Gilmore Clerk

Sewer
Joseph Street
Proposals
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers.
City of Somerville
To the Committee on Sewers June 27, 1882
To the Board of Aldermen
of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers duly authorized by order dated June 13, 1882, publish the following list of proposals which have been received for constructing Adams Street from the sewer in Highland Street to Temple Street, 200 feet of 30 inch brick sewer and 500 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with 4 manholes 16 inch inlet and 4 10 inch Inlets, there being about 1500 cubic yards of rock to be excavated, the proposals to be opened in Aldermen's Office, City

Names of Bidders	Manholes each	Rock excavated per cu yd	Brick sewer per lin ft	Laying pipe sewer per lin ft	16" inlet complete each	10" inlet complete each	Estimated Aggregate
Cochran & Morling	$52.00	5.00	3.25	$2.15	$0.50	$1.00	$4590.00
Dennis O'Connell	48.00	4.90	3.00	0.75	0.40	0.50	3490.40
Patrick Seery	45.00	5.75	2.10	0.50	0.20	0.20	3304.00
Charles P. Morgan	45.00	4.00	2.75	0.90	0.10	0.10	3051.00
Maurice Seery	58.00	3.75	2.50	0.83	0.20	0.25	2900.20
Francis McCarty	57.00	3.87	2.45	0.74	0.15	0.20	2793.20
Martin Gill	47.50	4.10	2.72	0.57	0.10	0.10	2732.00
Edward Fitzgerald	45.00	4.50	2.15	0.55	0.15	0.15	2693.20
Maurice Bettiner	40.00	3.95	1.80	0.50	0.20	0.20	2504.00

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Richard Falvey	$3600	275	195	047	0.15	0.15	2413.00
John J Dorey	50.00	300	184	048	0.20	0.25	2129.20

and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to John J Dorey.

By order of the Committee
George T Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and adopted
Charles E Gilman Clerk.

Wetherman Wiscoff offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
June 27, 1882.

Sewers
Order committee to make contracts

Ordered
That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized to make contracts with Richard Falvey for the construction of a common sewer in
Mount Vernon Street
between Broadway and Perkins Street
John J Dorey for the construction of a common sewer in
Jaques Street and
John J Dorey for the construction of a common sewer in
Bond Street
at the prices named in their respective proposals submitted in said Committee's report of this date.
J E Wiscoff

In Board of Aldermen
Order received its first and second reading and final passage.
Charles E Gilman Clerk

Approved June 30, 1882
John H Cummings Mayor

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Sidewalk Wallace St hearing

Sidewalk Wallace Street

In accordance with an order passed May 23, 1882 a hearing was held in reference to the construction of sidewalk in Wallace Street.

Order of Notice Officer Return

Officer's return on Order of Notice

City of Somerville — Middlesex, ss.

June 13, 1882

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit:

Pauline L Dennis, Stephen G Hammond Jr, Carrie F Dennis, Harriet Jennings, Susan E Hammond, Charles J Simpson, Mabel F Simpson, Charles Mills, Edmund S Potter, John F Collison, James L Jamison, Jemisha Robinson, Bartol A Johanson, Margaret A Simpson, Alexander Miller, Isaac R Miller, Heirs of Lucia L Buck, John P Cummings, Clarissa Benson, Constant S Benson, Frederick Haartz, Ann A McAlister, Justina Dennison

And by delivering in hand a true copy of the said order to the tenants or authorized agents respectively of the following named persons to wit:

James H Winn, Charles A Parsons, Mike Pushing, Olive Fuller

and by delivering in hand a true copy of the said order to the following named persons to wit:

Nathaniel B Clapp, Debrota Moore, Lydia A Dimond

and the following named persons having no place of abode in this city and no tenants or authorized agents therein, known as such, or if resident in this city not being known as such, I have duly notified them and all persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this city a true and attested copy of said order

Philip Nutting, Elizabeth N Cobb, Jennie S Stearns, Joseph Dunn, Margaret Parker, Moses P Parker, Wm C Parker, Sarah S Parker, Francis J Parker, Emma S Marck

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Henry Holton, McPiane Litchfield, Mark C. Fitch
Jeremiah Crowley, Laban Heath, Fifield S. Batchelder
Heirs of Ornelius Wyeth, Thomas Wright, Barbara W.
and Charlotte L. Cotton, and that I caused a true copy
of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper, published
in said Somerville, called the Somerville Journal, the last
publication having been fourteen days at least before
said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid acts
more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said
order named.

——— Jaines Mann Constable of Somerville
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex, ss.
——— Somerville June 13, 1882

Then personally appeared the above named
Jaines Mann, and made oath that the above
certificate by him subscribed is true. Before me
George Vincent Justice of the Peace.
The order and return was read and no person
appearing to object the hearing was closed.
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sidewalk Glen Street Hearing

Sidewalk Glen Street Hearing

In accordance with an order passed May 23 1882
a hearing was held in reference to the construction
of sidewalks on Glen Street from Broadway to Webster
Street.
Officers Return on order of notice.
——— City of Somerville Middlesex, ss.
——— June 23 1882

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order
which is hereto annexed I have notified the parties
therein mentioned to by leaving a true copy of the said
order at the usual place of abode of the following named
persons to wit:
Ephraim Stone, Charles Davis, Tamary Horton Dora (?)
Inward, Irene A. Anderson, Rufus H. Jenkins
and Cynthia Orton

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and by delivering in hand a true copy of the said order to the following named persons to wit:

Peter Carpenter — Thomas H. Bishop

and the following named persons having no place of abode in this City and no tenants or authorized agents therein, known as such or resident in this City nothing, known as such, I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested, by posting up in two public places in this City a true and attested copy of said order.

John C. Bishop, John Kinnegan, John McLean, Joseph H. Berry, Andrew Sanitelle, Abraham Larkin, Lowell W. Chamberlin, John K. Wiston, William B. Doyle, Charles I. Litchfield, Amasa Pratt, Matthew C. Pratt and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville, called the Somerville Journal the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing.

and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

James Mann Constable of Somerville

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex ss.

Then personally appeared the above named James Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true before me.

George Vincent Justice of the Peace.

The Order and Return having been read

Mr. Bishop objected to the construction of a brick side-walk around a gravel in length on the Westerly side in front of his estate until he had built upon the land did not object to the setting of edgestones and paving the gutters no other person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Charles C. German Clerk

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Newbury Street

Order of laying out and taking of land

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

June 27 1882

Streets — Newbury Street Resolve order taking of land

Resolved, that the common convenience and necessity of the inhabitants of the City require that Newbury Street should be laid out, as a public street or way of the said City from Holland Street to the Cambridge line and of a uniform width of 40 feet throughout as more particularly hereinafter described and for that purpose it is necessary to take and lay out as a public street or way of the said City.

A parcel of land belonging to Henry Holton containing 4 thousand square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to William P. Murzey containing 1000 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Heirs of Samuel S. Parker containing 1000 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Henry Holton & Wm. A. Murzey containing 1000 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Joseph Steele containing 1000 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Dianthe Peasley containing 1000 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Henry Holton & Wm. A. Murzey containing 1000 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Henry Holton containing 1000 square feet more or less

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A parcel of land belonging to Henry Holton Mrs A. Murray
Containing 1000 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Charles Pruitt
Containing 900 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to [illegible]
Containing 900 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to [illegible]
Containing 900 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to [illegible] Holton
Containing 900 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to [illegible]
Containing 900 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to [illegible] Holton
Containing 900 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to [illegible] Holton
Containing 900 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to [illegible] Holton
Containing 900 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to [illegible]
Containing 900 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Louise Cherrington
Containing 800 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Willard Dalrymple
Containing 800 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Willard Dalrymple
Containing 800 square feet more or less.

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A parcel of land belonging to Israel Pleasant
containing 800 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Henry Holton
containing 2661 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Henry Holton
containing 2555 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to James A Cartwright
containing 800 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Henry Holton
containing 1400 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Lizzie A. Emerson
containing 800 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Henry Holton
containing 800 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Henry Holton
containing 900 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Henry Holton
containing 900 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Heirs of Samuel P. Parker
containing 900 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Willard Dalrymple
containing 900 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to James Miller
containing 900 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to William A. Spiller
containing 900 square feet more or less

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A parcel of land belonging to William Litchfield containing 900 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Arison S. Hastings containing 1000 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to William Litchfield containing 1000 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Henry Fisher and William A. Mussey containing 1000 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Executors of Estate of Elizabeth containing 1000 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Abigail T. Prince containing 1000 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Charles F. Mallon containing 1000 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Hanson F. Shore containing 1000 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Trustees of Donations to the Protestant Episcopal Church containing 1000 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Rebecca H. Rogers containing 1000 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Alvin Fitch and Samuel B. Phelps containing 1000 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Alice R. Atwell containing 1000 square feet more or less

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A parcel of land belonging to Samuel S. Robbs containing 1404 square feet more or less each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on plan drawn by T. S. Perkins City Engineer dated January 10, 1882 with additions by Geo. W. Kimball City Engineer dated April 25, 1882, and on file in the City Clerks office.

And whereas the Committee on Highways has reported that the common convenience and necessity require that the said street should be laid out as herein after stated and described and has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said street to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, and also upon a plan thereof and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such laying out shall be completed, and reported the names of all parties in any wise sustaining damage by such laying out, with the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners as clearly appears in said report, and whereas said Report and Plan have remained in the City Clerks office for the term of seven days at least before the City Council proceeded to act thereon and whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the City Council to take the said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid and to lay out said street a way as by the order of notice and the return thereto annexed will clearly appear, and whereas at the time and place in said order of notice appointed the City Council met and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard.

It is therefore ordered that the parcels of land before described, be and the same hereby are taken and laid out as a public street or way of the said City according to the plan of the said Mercury street made by T. S. Perkins City Engineer dated January 10, 1882 with additions by Geo. W. Kimball City Engineer dated April 25, 1882.

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and deposited in the office of the City Clerk as aforesaid and that the said street or way as shown and designated upon said plan be and the same is hereby so as aforesaid laid out and established as and for a public street or way of the said City; that the boundaries, location and admeasurements of said street are all as shown upon said plan which is hereby made a part of this Order, and as follows to wit: said street is bounded Northeasterly by the estates of the abutters thereon twelve hundred and sixty six and 70/100 feet Northeasterly by Two and sixty sixty and 74/100 feet Southeasterly by a line distant throughout sixty feet from the first mentioned line twelve hundred and fifty two and 68/100 feet and Southwesterly by the Cambridge line sixty one and 94/100 feet. That the following is the manner in which such street or way shall be completed namely: according to a grade of said Newbury Street as shown and laid down upon said plan thereof made by T. P. Perkins Civil Engineer. That the proprietors, occupants or owners of the land over which said street or way is thus laid out and through which it is to pass, are allowed until the Twelfth day of July next to take off their trees, fences and other property which may obstruct the building of such street or way. That the following is an estimate, assessment and award of the damages sustained by any persons in their property by the laying out of said street or way namely:

	Henry Holton	Nothing
(Streets	William P. Muzzey	Nothing
Newbury Street	Heirs of Samuel P. Parkers	Nothing
(Damage awarded)	Henry Holton & William P. Muzzey	(Nothing)
	Joseph Steele	Nothing
	Dianthia Peaseley	Nothing
	Henry Holton & Wm P. Muzzey	(Nothing)
	Henry Holton	Nothing
	Henry Holton & William P. Muzzey	Nothing
	Charles Snell	Nothing
	Henry Holton	Nothing

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Henry Holton	Nothing
Henry Holton	Nothing
John Schofield	Nothing
Henry Holton	Nothing
[illegible]	Nothing
Henry Holton	Nothing
Louis Chevington	Nothing
Willard Beaumont	Nothing
Isaac Ford	Nothing
Henry Holton	Nothing
Henry Holton	Nothing
James A. Cartwright	Nothing
Henry Holton	Nothing
Lizzie [illegible]	Nothing
Henry Holton	Nothing
Henry Holton	Nothing
Henry Holton	Nothing
Heirs of Samuel [illegible]	Nothing
Willard Dalrymple	Nothing
James Milton	Nothing
William [illegible]	Nothing
William Litchfield	Nothing
[illegible]	Nothing
William Litchfield	Nothing
Henry Holton & William A. Murray	Nothing
Executors of Estate of Eliza Cook	Nothing
Michael [illegible]	Nothing
Charles R. Mattoon	Nothing
Ransom [illegible]	
Trustees of Donations to the Freestand	
Episcopal Church	Nothing
[illegible]	Nothing
[illegible]	Nothing
[illegible]	Nothing
Sarah [illegible]	Nothing

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In Board of Aldermen June 27, 1882 –
Resolve and order received its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council June 27, 1882.
Resolve and order adopted by receiving a first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.
Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Probation Officer appointment of

Mr. Alex E. Parkhurst was appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Aldermen as probation officer.

Licence Communication from Joseph Purcell

Communication of Joseph Purcell and others –
To the Mayor and Board of Aldermen
of the City of Somerville.
The petition of Joseph Purcell of 41 Porter Street in the City of Cambridge, showeth that your petitioner is a junk dealer and for the past six years has been collecting junk in Somerville under the usual licence and during which time no complaints has been lodged against him and said City refuse to grant him his licence though Cambridge is now granting licences both to Somerville and Cambridge alike and as your petitioner is an honest hard working man and no complaint been ever had against him in Somerville, the undersigned respectfully ask that the prayer of your petitioner be granted
Signed Joseph Purcell and 88 others.
Referred to the Committee on Licenses
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

July 11, 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen

July 11, 1882

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Wellington Avenue Roulstone Page, Burns, Durgin & Weld present

Record of last meeting read and approved

Petition of Inspector of Buildings
to his honor the Mayor
and City Council
Your petitioner would most respectfully ask that the Building Ordinance of the City of City of Somerville be printed in Pamphlet form for distribution to mechanics
Referred to Committee on Printing and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman, Clerk
In Common Council July 13, 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Ordinances
petition of Inspector of Buildings

Petition of Henry Emerson for a Catch Basin on Clarendon Avenue
Referred to the Committee on Sewers
Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

Sewers
Catch Basin
Clarendon Av.
Petition for

Petition of William L. Sweat for a License to keep a Billiard Hall at his place of Business Corner of Laurel Street and Somerville Avenue
Referred to the Committee on Licenses.

Billiard Tavern
Petition of W. L. Sweat

Permits were granted to
Reuben R. Melvin to build on School Street and Allen Brothers on land of Eastern Rail Road East Somerville.

Intention to build
R. R. Melvin School St.
permits granted

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Fire Department Report of Chief	The Report of the Chief Engineer of Fire Department was received, read and sent down for information Charles E. Gilman Clerk In Common Council July 13, 1882 — Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk
Police Report of Chief	Report of Chief of Police was received and read for information
Sewer Crescent Street Petition for	Petition of D. Kelley and others for a Sewer in Crescent Street Referred to the Committee on Sewers.
Street Lights Prescott Street Petition for	Petition of James Hall that lamp post be set near the head of Prescott Street Referred to the Committee on Street Lights Sent down for concurrence Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council July 13, 1882 — Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk
Steam Engine Petition of Allen Bros	Petition of Allen Brothers that a permit be granted them to run a Steam Engine of five horse power in a building to be erected on land owned by Eastern Rail Road Co. East Somerville Referred to the Committee on Fire Department
Steam Engine Order for hearing on petition of Allen Bros	Alderman Page offered the following Order City of Somerville In Board of Aldermen July 11, 1882. Ordered That Tuesday September 12, 1882, at eight o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermens room in the City Hall be assigned as the time and place for a hearing by this board of all persons interested either for or against the petition of F. Bart for permission

July 11. 1882

To use a three horse engine with a four horse boiler in rear of dwelling house numbered 517 Somerville Avenue, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to cause a copy of this order to be published in the Somerville Journal at least fourteen days before the day of said hearing, in accordance with Section 41, of Chapter 102, of the public Statutes.

Order received its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Alderman Page offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

July 11. 1882.

Ordered

That permission be and is hereby granted to John A Ball to put up and run an Engine and boiler about 10 horse power in his factory on Broadway near the North Somerville station of the Lowell Rail Road.

Order adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Steam Engine ✓ order authorizing John A Ball to put up and run.

Report of Committee on Sewers

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers June 19. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen

Of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Abbie L Bailey that the sewer in School Street may be extended from the northerly terminus to a point opposite her residence and that a hearing be given her by the committee on report that the hearing prayed for has been given by this Committee and it is hereby recommended that the petitioner be granted leave to withdraw her petition.

Sewers ✓ School Street Report of Committee on petition of Abbie L Bailey

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for a sewer)

By order of the Committee

(George S. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and Adopted)

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers
Mt. Vernon Street
Report of Com. on
Remonstrance of
Roberts & others

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers, June 19, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen

Of Somerville,

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the Remonstrance of Charles E. Roberts and others against the laying of a sewer in Mt. Vernon Street between Broadway and Perkins Street, reports that at the hearing given by this Committee on the petition of E. A. Curtis and others for the laying of said sewer in Mt. Vernon Street, the case of these remonstrants was presented and duly considered and as the Board of Aldermen has voted to build the sewer no further action is necessary

By order of the Committee

George S. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers
assessments
Order for hearings
on Nevada Avenue
Eliot Street
Cross Street W.E.
& Ashland Street

Alderman Norcross offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, July 11. 1882.

Ordered that Tuesday July 25. 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen hereby in the City Hall be assigned as the time and place for a hearing by this board of all persons desiring to object to the assessment laid by this board June 27th last for the construction of Common Sewers in Nevada Avenue Eliot Street Cross Street westerly extension and Ashland Street

Order adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

July 11. 1882

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways June 14. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the remonstrance of Annie Dennison Administrator against the setting of edgestones on the north side of Concord Avenue and the south side of Newton Street reports that the Board of aldermen having passed orders to set the edgestones in question, no further action is necessary.

By order of the Committee
George J. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sidewalks Concord and Newton Street Remonstrance Report of Com

David W. Sanborn was appointed and confirmed a Inspector of Buildings

Inspector of Buildings appointment of

Nicholas Dennison was appointed & confirmed a Special Police Officer without compensation

Special Police appointment of

Communication from Secretary of School Committee

To his Honor the Mayor and City Council
The School Committee respectfully requests the purchase of six hundred nine tons of coal and twenty seven cords of wood for the use of the schools the ensuing year. They further request that Laundry repairs may be made on the several school buildings, in accordance with the specifications of their committee on repairs

To Lewis Secretary

Schools School Committee Communication relative to repairs

Received and that portion relating to fuel referred to the Committee on Fuel and Street Lights & sent down for concurrence. That portion relating to repairs on school houses referred to Committee on Public Property and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

July 11, 1882

In Common Council July 13, 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Finance
Report of Treasurer
on
Loan Bonds

Report of City Treasurer

Treasurers Office City of Somerville
July 11, 1882.

To the Honorable the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Somerville.

Gentlemen in compliance with Section 3 of Ordinance No. 7, the undersigned herewith submit the following report of Bonds issued in pursuance of an order of the City Council passed the thirteenth day of June 1882.

City Loan Bonds numbered 423 to 457 inclusive $1000 each payable July 1. 1887 with interest at 5% per annum. Coupons numbered 1 to 10 inclusive $25.00 each payable January 1 & July 1. $15,000.00

City Loan Bond numbered 438 $500 payable July 1. 1887 interest at 5% per annum, Coupons numbered 1 to 10 inclusive $12/50 each payable January 1st & July 1. $500.00

City Loan Bonds numbered 439 to 461 inclusive for $1000 each payable July 1. 1888 with interest at 5% per annum; Coupons numbered 1 to 12 inclusive $25.00 each payable January 1 and July 1. $23,000.00

Water Loan Bonds numbered 112 to 124 inclusive for $1000 each payable July 1. 1875 with interest at 5% per annum; Coupons numbered 1 to 26 inclusive $25.00 each payable January 1st & July 1. 13,000.00

Water Loans Bonds numbered 125 to 136 inclusive for $1000 each payable July 1. 1896 with interest at 5% per annum; Coupons numbered 1 to 25 inclusive $25.00 each payable January 1st and July 1st 12,000.00

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Water Loan Bond, numbered 187 for $500 payable July 1, 1898 with interest at 5% per annum Coupons numbered 1 to 22 inclusive payable January 1st and July 1st $12.50 each. ——— $500.00

Water Loan Bonds numbered 188 to 151 inclusive $500 each payable July 1, 1897 with interest at 5% per annum Coupons numbered 1 to 20 inclusive $25.00 each payable January 1st July 1st ——— $14,000.00

Water Loan Bonds, numbered 152 to 166 inclusive for $1000 each payable July 1, 1898 with interest at 5% per annum Coupons numbered 1 to 22 inclusive $25.00 each payable January 1st July 1st ——— 15,000.00

Water Loan Bonds, numbered 167 to 171 inclusive for $1000 each payable July 1, 1899 with interest at 5% per annum Coupons numbered 1 to 34 inclusive $25.00 each payable January 1st and July 1st ——— 15,000.00

Water Loan Bond numbered 172 for 500.00 payable July 1, 1899 with interest at 5% per annum; Coupons numbered 1 to 34 inclusive $12.50 each payable January 1st and July 1st ——— 500.00

Water Loan Bonds numbered 173 to 194 inclusive for $1000 each payable July 1st 1900 with int. at 5% per annum. Coupons numbered 1 to 36 inclusive $25.00 each payable January 1st July 1st 19,000.00

Water Loan Bond numbered 195 for $500, payable July 1st 1900 with interest at 5% per annum. Coupons numbered 1 to 36 inclusive $12.50 each payable January 1st July 1st ——— 500.00

Total Amount ——— $121,000.00

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issued fund the direction of the Committee on Finance for the purpose of providing in part for the payment of City Loan Bonds no. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 Water Loan Bonds, nos. 12 & 13 and sidewalk loan Bond no. 10 amounting to $182,500 payable in sums as follows in

April 1, 1882	17,500.00	
July 1, 1882	145,000.00	
October 1, 1882	20,000.00	
	$182,500.00	

and leaving a balance of $61,500 to be issued for investment by the commissioners of the sinking fund.

Respectfully submitted

Jno. F. Cole Treasurer

Received and read & sent down for information

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council July 13, 1882 — Received and read for information — Douglas Frazar Clerk

Claims ✓

Petition of W. J. Savage for compensation for injury to his horse & alleged to have been caused by a defect in Beacon Street

Referred to the Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council July 13, 1882

Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Sidewalks ✓ Glen Street Order to construct

Alderman Durgin offered the following Order and Resolve

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

July 11, 1882.

Resolved

That the common convenience requires that sidewalks be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed as hereinafter stated and it is therefore

Ordered that sidewalks be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed in

the following named street of said city of Somerville with edgestones and covered with gravel all as hereinafter specified

Glen Street

on Both sides thereof from Broadway to Webster Street to be covered with gravel, and with edgestones and to be of the width of six and 1/2 feet.

The grade of said sidewalks is to conform substantially to the grade of the street. The gutters are to be paved and all matters not herein particularly specified in regard to the construction of said sidewalks are to be determined by the Committee on Highways, to which committee full authority is hereby given for that purpose.

And the said Committee is hereby authorized and instructed to grade construct and complete said sidewalks as aforesaid and in the manner aforesaid and to report a schedule of the expense thereof and of the assessments therefor in the judgment of said Committee proper to be made upon the abutters on said sidewalks to this board when said sidewalks shall have been completed.

Resolve and Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Somerville Horse Rail Road Co Hearing

Horse Rail Road Somerville Hearing

In accordance with an order passed June 13. 1882. A hearing was held upon the petition of the Somerville Horse Railroad Company asking that this board grant them leave to lay a track on Dover street from the line between Cambridge & Somerville to the Car house of the Union Railway Co on said Dover Street. The order with the return thereon was read.

Somerville July 11. 1882. This is to certify that in accordance with the within order I have caused the same to be published in the Somerville Journal as directed and also

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sent an attested copy of the order to the President of the said Somerville Horse Rail road Company.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Mess Richards & Shapgood appeared for the petitioners Mess Converse Merry, Burnham, Hall and Libby remonstrated against granting the petition. No other person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

On motion of Alderman Weld the Resolve and Order for taking of land and construction of Sewer in Grant & Sewall Street was taken from the table, and considered.

Sewers Grant & Sewall St. Resolve & Order.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

June 13. 1882.

Resolved and adjudged that the public convenience and the public health require that a Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid, made and maintained in Grant and Sewall Streets so called private ways in said City from Jaques street to Temple street and for that purpose it is necessary to take for said Main Drain or Common Sewer.

A parcel of land belonging to Samuel E Sewall containing 11.200 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Samuel E Sewall containing 24.640 square feet more or less.

Each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on a plan drawn by George W Kimball Esq City Engineer dated April 11. 1882 Entitled Jaques Grant and Sewall Street Sewers and deposited in the office of the City Clerk.

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and Whereas as appears by its report hereto annexed the Committee on Sewers was of opinion that the public convenience and necessity require that said Main Drain a Common Sewer should be laid, made and maintained, and the said Committee has caused the admeasurement and boundaries of said parcels of land, taken for the purposes aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out in the premises by the City Engineer, and also upon a plan thereof, and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such taking shall be completed, and reported the names of all parties sustaining damage by such taking, with the amount of such damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, as fully appears in said report, and whereas said Report and Plan have remained in the City Clerks office for the term of seven days at least before the Mayor and Aldermen proceeded to act thereon, and whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said parcels of land for the purposes of said main drain a common sewer, as by the order of Notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and the return thereto annexed will fully appear, and whereas at the time and place in said Order of Notice appointed the Mayor and Aldermen met and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard.

It is therefore ordered, that the parcels of land before described be, and the same are hereby taken for the purposes of a Main Drain a Common sewer of the said city, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same, and of the charge not already assessed of making and repairing other Main Drains and common sewers through which the same discharges according to the plan of the same made by George A. Kimball City Engineer dated April 11. 1882 and deposited in the

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of the City Court as aforesaid, that the said land taken as aforesaid, and as shown and designated upon said plan be and the same is hereby taken and established as for a Main Drain or Common Sewer of the said City, that the boundaries, location and admeasurements of said land taken as aforesaid, are all as shown upon said plan, which is hereby made a part thereof of this order and as follows to wit:

said land is bounded Northeasterly by Yaques Street forty feet; Southeasterly by the Southeasterly line of Grant Street Two hundred and eighty feet; Southwesterly by the Southwesterly line of Sewall Street prolonged six hundred and fifty one feet; Northwesterly by Temple Street forty two feet; Northeasterly by the Northeasterly line of Sewall Street six hundred and twenty one feet and Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Grant Street Two hundred and forty feet.

That the proprietors, occupants or owners of the land taken as aforesaid are allowed until the twentieth day of July 1882, to take off their trees, fences and other property which may obstruct the laying of said Main Drain or Common Sewer, and that the following is an estimate and award of the damages sustained by any person in their property by the taking of said land namely.

Samuel E. Sewall _____ Nothing

Samuel E. Sewall _____ Nothing

In Board of Aldermen July 11. 1882. _____

Order & Resolve received its first reading

its second reading by a Yea and Nay vote.

Aldermen Marcus, Wellington, Roulstone, Durgin, & Weld voting in the affirmative Aldermen Page and Burns in the negative it then it received its final passage.

_____ Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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Alderman Nourse offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
July 11. 1882.

Sewers ✓
Grant Sewall & Temple
Order to construct

Ordered:
That the Committee on Sewers be and they is hereby authorized and instructed to construct a common sewer in Grant Temple and Sewall Streets from the sewer to be laid in Jaques Street in accordance with an order dated June 13th last to a point in Temple Street near Broadway and report to this Board after the completion of said sewer, the cost of the same, together with a list of assessments such as in the judgment of said committee shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited.
Order Received its first and second reading and final passage
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Adjourned
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Enrollment List of Military
Returned by the Assessors July 14. 1882.
List of persons liable to enrollment in Somerville under Chapter 14 of the public statutes for the year 1882

Military ✓
Assessors
Return

Ward One	1324
Ward Two	1296
Ward Three	607
Ward Four	713
Total	3940

(George) T. Vincent
Clerk of Assessors

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Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen

July 25. 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen present	Aldermen Nurses, Wellington, Hartstown, Pace, Clark, Burns, Durgin and Weld present
Records	Record of last meeting read and approved
Sewers Graves St. petition for	Petition of John F. Brookhouse for the construction of a Sewer in Graves Street was referred to the Committee on Sewers.
Licenses Old Junk Granted	Licenses to collect old Junk were granted to John Bleute, James Sargent, Edward Barnett, Michael J. Moynahan.
Permits to bury Permit Granted	Permits to bury were granted to James Elkins Springfield Street John F. Cummings Wallace Street F. J. Baldwin Springfield Street Henry Bean Corner of Munroe & High Street Charles Beale Pearl Street
Fireman Appointment of	George L. Bonnoseale was appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen as assistant Foreman of Hose Company no Fourth to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of Albert F. Mentzer.
Steam Boiler petition of Roberts Laundry	Petition of Roberts and the Laundry for permission to put a five horse power boiler in the rear of their Laundry no 22 Broadway for heating purposes. On motion of Alderman Burns permit granted

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Order from Common Council

City of Somerville

In Common Council July 25. 1882

Ordered:

That the Committee on Ordinances report to the City Council an Ordinance prohibiting the sale and use of the Toy pistol so called with penalty for violation of same

F. E. Tills

Order adopted and sent up for concurrence

Douglas Frazar Clerk

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen July 25, 1882

Concurred in Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Ordinances

Order Committee of to report ordinances relating to Toy Pistols

approved July 25, 1882 John A. Cummings Mayor

The Mayor returned to the Board of Aldermen the Resolve and Order for the taking of land for sewer in Grant and Sewall Street, also the order for the construction of sewers in Grant and Sewall and Temple Street Streets disapproved with his objections

City of Somerville

Mayors Office July 20. 1882

To the members of the Board of Aldermen

Gentlemen

The Resolve and Order for the taking of land for a main drain a Common Sewers in Grant and Sewall Streets, and the order for the construction of a sewer in Grant, Sewall, and Temple Streets, are hereby returned to your honorable body disapproved for reasons as follows

Grant and Sewall Streets are unaccepted private ways, without buildings or other requiring drainage at this time; nearly three fourths of the proposed sewer and fully three fourths of the expense of the same, is to be incurred in these streets, and the only present advantage to be obtained is the drainage of five or six houses situated upon Temple Street

Sewers

Grant Sewall Sewer resolve orders returned by the Mayor disapproved with his reasons.

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The owners of most of these houses have sufficient land upon which to dispose of their sewage without danger to life or health and with slight expense. All these houses upon the south side of the street where the need of drainage is claimed to be most pressing belong to one owner who can if he desires, by the construction of a private drain through his own premises turn their sewage into the sewer in Broadway. This can be done at an expense not exceeding one hundred and seventy five dollars, a trifling sum in comparison with the cost involved by the proposed order either this method or the disposal of the sewage upon his own land which may be done with a little care and expense will most likely obviate all difficulty for some years to come.

The cost of constructing the proposed sewer as estimated by the City Engineer will be $4,447. Of this sum it is calculated that about $1400 will be assessed upon the abutters, leaving over $3000 to be paid by the City — a large sum to be expended in our present financial condition, in comparison with the object to be attained.

There are many other places within our limits equally in need of drainage which can be relieved only by the construction of a public sewer and where the cost to the city would be very much less than in this case.

But even if there were not other and pressing demands upon our Treasury for expenditures in the sewer department it does not seem to me to be wise at just to take three thousand dollars from the City Treasury to relieve a difficulty which can be obviated at a comparatively slight expense by either of the methods herein suggested.

Very Respectfully

Your obedient Servant

John P. Cummings Mayor

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Consideration of Alderman Held the order for the taking of land in Grant and Sewall Streets and the order for the construction of sewer in Grant and Sewall & Temple Streets was reconsidered.

And on motion the Resolve and orders was laid on the table. Alderman Burns moved to take from the table the Resolve and Order for the taking of land and order for construction of sewer in Grant Sewall and Temple Streets. The motion did not prevail three Aldermen voting in the affirmative five in the Negative.

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers July 15, 1882
To the Mayor and Aldermen
of the City of Somerville

Sewers
Belmont St.
Report of Com.

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of George L Damon, and others for the laying, making, and maintaining of a Main Drain or Common Sewer in Belmont Street, a private street or way of said City reports as follows namely:

That in the judgment of said Committee, the common convenience and necessity require that such Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid, made, and maintained; and to that end that the land forming said private street or way should be taken as aforesaid.

That the said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurements and boundaries of the said land, as proposed to be taken for the purpose of laying, making, and maintaining said Main Drain or Common Sewer as aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, said admeasurements and boundaries the manner in which said taking shall be completed, the names of all owners of land included therein and in any wise sustaining damage by the said taking of said land, and the amount

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of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, being described and specified in the Resolve and Order herewith transmitted which is made a part of this report, and the Committee also reports the accompanying Order of Notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and Resolve and Order for the taking of said land.

By Order of the Committee.

Attest. George F. Emmons

Clerk of Committee

Report Accepted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewer Belmont Street order for Hearing

Alderman Worcester offered the following Order

Order of Notice

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen July 25. 1882.

Whereas, in the opinion of the Mayor and Aldermen the public convenience and the public health require that a main drain or common sewer should be laid in Belmont street so called a private way of said city from Summer Street to land of James T. Lundie and that the said private street should be taken for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer and have ordered that said street should be taken, it is therefore hereby ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law, and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville, be given to William Barrett, Joel Tetler, Marilyn T. Damon, Robert M. Shirley, Nathan Tufts, Ephraim L. Manson, First Baptist Society of Somerville, and all other persons and corporations interested, that it is the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said street for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer, and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby, and also that due notice be given to all persons owning or having any rights in estates that will be benefited by the said proposed Main Drain or Common Sewer

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that it is intended to assess a proportional of the charge of making and repairing the same, and of the charge and already assessed of making and repairing other Main Drains a common sewers through which the same may discharge upon the estates benefited under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the cost of Laying Main Drains a common sewers, and that Tuesday the 12th day of September A.D. 1882 at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermens Room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue are assigned as the time and place for the hearing of the Mayor and Aldermen of any objections which may be made thereto.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Order received its first and second reading and final passage. — Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Two Branches in Convention — Convention

Mayor Cummings presiding — Sheets

Councilman Denny Absent. — Austin Street hearing

In accordance with an order passed June 13, 1882, a hearing was held in reference to the laying out of Austin Street as a public highway.

Officers return on order of Notice.

City of Somerville Middlesex, ss July 11, 1882.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is herein annexed I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit:

Martha W. F. Sampkins, Charles S. Sanborn, John S. Simonds, James E. Hall, Mary W. Wessels, Francis W. Turner, Emily J. Sund, Mark Laighton, George W. Hanson, Horace E. Sarbis, Heirs of Joseph S. Sanborn, James Wemyss Jr., George W. Fitts, George D. Wemyss, Eliza S. Wright.

And the following named persons having no place

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of abode in this City and no tenants or authorized agents therein known as such, or if resident in this City, not being known as such, I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested, by posting up in two public places in this City a true and attested copy of said order.

Horatio G. Parker Trustee.

and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville, called the Somerville Journal the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days at least before the day of hearing in said order named.

Jairus Mann Constable of Somerville

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex ss. Somerville July 11. 1882.

Then personally appeared the above named Jairus Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true. Before me

George T. Vincent Justice of the Peace.

The order and return thereon was read,

No person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Streets Cottage Avenue hearing

Cottage Avenue,

In accordance with an order passed June 13. 1882 in reference to the laying out of Cottage Avenue as a public highway a hearing was held.

Officers return on Order of Notice.

City of Somerville

City of Somerville Middlesex ss. July 11. 1882.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the above order which is hereto annexed I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit: Heirs of Sarah McIntire Mary M

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Whicher, Heirs of Nancy E. Biswanger, John P. Mansfield, Franklin N. Tow, Heirs of Richard Stevens.

And the following named persons having no place of abode in this City, and no tenants or authorized agent, thereon known as such, or if resident in this city, not being known as such, I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested by posting upon two public places in this City a true and attested copy of said order.

Heirs of Lydia B. Glover, Fred S. Hayes, Chester W. Kingsley, Heirs of William Childs and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville called the Somerville Journal, the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing; and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

Jairus Mann Constable of Somerville.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex, ss.

Somerville July 11. 1882

Then personally appeared the above named Jairus Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true, before me.

Grace T. Vincent

Justice of the Peace

The Order and return thereon was read.

No person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Charles E. Gilman

City Clerk

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Streets
Herbert Street
Paving

Herbert Street

In accordance with an order passed June 13, 1882 a hearing was held in reference to the laying out of Herbert Street from Chester Street to Cherry Street.

Officer's Return on Order of Notice

City of Somerville

City of Somerville Middlesex, ss. July 11, 1882.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed, I have notified the parties therein referred by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit:

Hannah T. Woodward, William B. Savage, Frank Hoskins, Henry M. Moore.

and by delivering a true copy of the said order to the tenants or authorized agents respectively of the following named persons to wit:

Samuel Hancock, George Phillips West Somerville Congregational Society.

and the following named persons having no place of abode in this city and no tenants or authorized agents therein known as such, or if resident in this city not being known as such, I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this city a true and attested copy of said order. William J. Leckie.

and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville called the Somerville Journal, the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing.

Charles Mann Constable of Somerville

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss. Somerville, July 11, 1882.

Then personally appeared the above named Charles Mann and made oath that the above certificate by

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[illegible] is true.

Bryce and George F. Vincent

Justice of the Peace.

[illegible] and return thereon was read.

No person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

[illegible] the convention was convened [illegible] the convention was dissolved the Aldermen retiring to their room.

Resolve and order for the laying out of Austin Street City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

July 25. 1882.

Resolved, that the common convenience and necessity of the inhabitants of the City require that Austin street should be laid out as a public street in and the said City, from Broadway to Austin Avenue and of a uniform width of [illegible] feet throughout, all as more particularly hereinafter described, and for that purpose it is necessary to take and lay out as a public street in and said City.

A parcel of land belonging to Martha M. F. Humphrey containing 1069 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Charles [illegible] Sanborn containing 731 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to John E. Edmonds containing 731 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to James E. Gaul containing 731 square feet more or less.

Austin Street laying out of

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A parcel of land belonging to Mary A. Stevens
containing 931 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Frank L. Sumner
containing 800 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Emily J. Lund
containing 3000 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Eliza S. Wright
containing 1000 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Mark Laighton
containing 1600 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to George H. Harlow
containing 800 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Horace E. Sanborn
containing 800 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Mark Laighton
containing 800 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Horatio G. Parker
Trustee containing 500 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Heirs of Jos. S. Sanborn
containing 763 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Mark Laighton
containing 6671 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Charles B. Sanborn
containing 1000 square feet more or less.

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A parcel of land belonging to James Wrangs Jr. containing 2600 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to George H. Fitz containing 1400 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to George D. Wrangs containing 1000 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to George H. Fitz containing 1576 square feet more or less.

Each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on plan drawn by Charles D. Elliot, Civil Engineer May 1882 entitled Austin Street for acceptance with additions made by George H. Kimball City Engineer June 12, 1882, and on file in the City Clerks office,

and whereas the Committee on Highways has reported that the common convenience and necessity require that the said street should be laid out as hereinafter stated and described, and has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said street to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer and also upon a plan thereof and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such laying out shall be completed and reported the names of all parties in any mise, sustaining by such laying out with the damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each said owners, as they appears in said report and whereas said Report and Plan have remained in the City Clerks office for the term of seven days at least before the City Council proceeded to act thereon and whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the

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City Council to take the said parcels of land
for the purposes aforesaid; and to lay out said
said street or way as by the order of notice and the
return thereto annexed will fully appear and
whereas at the time and place in said order of
notice appointed this City Council met and heard
all parties interested who claimed to be heard
It is therefore ordered that the parcels of land before
described be and the same hereby are taken
and laid out as a public street or way of the said
City according to the plan of the said Austin Street
made by Charles D Elliot Civil Engineer dated
May 1882 with additions made by George H
Kimball City Engineer June 12, 1882,
and deposited in the office of the City Clerk as
aforesaid and that the said street or way as shown
and designated upon said plan be and the same
is hereby so as aforesaid, laid out and established as
and for a public street or way of the said city that the
boundaries, location and admeasurements of said street
or way as shown upon said plan which is hereby made
a part of this order and as follows to wit;
said street is bounded _____
Northwesterly by land of the abutters thereon seven
hundred and twenty seven and 90/100 feet, Easterly by
Mystic Avenue sixty and 90/100 feet, Southeasterly by a
line distant throughout forty feet from the first named
line seven hundred and five and 90/100 feet, and South-
westerly by Broadway forty one and 90/100 feet,
that the following is the manner in which such
street or way shall be completed, named according
to a grade of said Austin street as shown and laid
down upon said plan thereof made by Charles D Elliot
Civil Engineer that the proprietors, occupants or owners of land
over which said street or way is thus laid out and through
which it is to pass, are allowed until the first day of August
not to take off their trees, fences and other property which

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may obtain the building of such street or way that the following is an estimate assessment and award of the damages sustained by any persons in their property by the laying out of said street or way namely

Martin M F Sumpkins	Nothing	Preston Street Damages Awarded
Charles B Sanborn	Nothing	
John F Simonds	Nothing	
James E Haus	Nothing	
Mary M Weeks	Nothing	
Francis J Turner	Nothing	
Emily J Lund	Nothing	
Elvira B Wright	Nothing	
Mark Laighton	Nothing	
George H Harlow	Nothing	
Horace E Sanbos	Nothing	
Mark Laighton	Nothing	
Horatio G Parker Trustee	Nothing	
Heirs of Jos W Sanborn	Nothing	
Mark Laighton	Nothing	
Charles B Sanborn	Nothing	
Jos Wennyss Jr	Nothing	
George H Fitz	Nothing	
George D Wennyss	Nothing	
George H Fitz	Nothing	

The Board of Aldermen July 25 1882
Resolved and order adopted by receiving a first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence

Charles E Gilman Clerk

In Common Council July 25 1882
Resolved and order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence

Douglas Frazar
Clerk

Streets
Cottage Avenue
Resolves order
for the taking of
lands construction
&c.

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Resolve and Order for the taking of land
and laying out of _____
_____ Cottage Avenue as a public way
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
_____ July 25, 1882 _____
Resolved that the common convenience and
necessity of the inhabitants of the City require
that Cottage Avenue should be laid out as a
public street or way of the said City.
From Russell Street to Chester Street and the
uniform width of forty feet throughout, all
as more particularly hereinafter described, and
for that purpose it is necessary to take and lay
out as a public street or way of the said city.

A parcel of land belonging to Heirs of Sarah
McIntire containing 2640 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Mary A Whitmore
containing 1340 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Heirs of Lydia B Glover
Containing 1340 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Heirs of Nancy E.
Bismanger containing 1340 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to John S Mansfield
containing 1340 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Fred S Hayes
containing 1090 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Chester W Kingsley
containing 1900 square feet more or less

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A parcel of land belonging to Chester W. Kingsley containing 2770 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Franklin N. Kerr containing 2150 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Heirs of William Childs containing 1340 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Heirs of Richard Stevens containing 3780 square feet more or less.

Each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on plan drawn by George H. Kimball City Engineer April 5 1882, entitled Cottage Avenue for acceptance, and on file in the City Clerk's office.

And whereas, the Committee on Highways has reported that the common convenience and necessity require that the said street should be laid out as hereinafter stated and described and has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said street to be distinctly marked out in the premises by the City Engineer and also upon a plan thereof and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such laying out shall be completed, and reported the names of the parties in an excise sustaining damage by such laying out with the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, as fully appears in said report and when as said report and plan have remained in the City Clerk's office for the term of seven days at least before the City Council proceeded to act thereon, and whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the City Council to take the said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid and to lay out said street in manner as by the order of notice and the return thereto annexed will fully appear

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and when as at the time and place in said notice appointed, the City Council met and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard.

It is therefore Ordered that the parcel of lands before described be and the same hereby are taken and laid out as a public street or way of the said City according to the plan of the said Cottage Avenue made by George A. Kimball Civil Engineer dated April 5 1882 and deposited in the office of the City Clerk, as aforesaid and that the said street or way as shown and designated upon said plan be and the same is hereby so as aforesaid laid out and established as and for a public street or way of the said City; that the boundaries location and admeasurements of said street are all as shown upon said plan which is hereby made a part of this order, and as follows to wit: said street is bounded Northeasterly by lands of the abutters thereon five hundred and forty nine and 50/100 feet; Southeasterly by Nassau street forty feet; Southwesterly by a line distant throughout forty feet from the first named line five hundred and forty nine and 50/100 feet and Northwesterly by Chester Street forty feet; that the following is the manner in which such street or way of shall be completed namely, according to a grade of said Cottage Avenue as shown and laid down upon said plan thereof made by George A. Kimball Civil Engineer and the proprietors occupants owners of the land over which said street or way is thus laid out and through which it is to pass, are allowed until the first day of August next to take off their trees, fences and other property which may obstruct the building of such street or way; that the following is an estimate assessment and award of the damages sustained by any person in their property by the laying out of said street or way namely.

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Heirs of Sarah McIntire _____ Nothing
Mary N. Wheeler _____ Nothing
Heirs of Lydia B. Glover _____ Nothing
Heirs of Nancy E. Biswanger _____ Nothing
John P. Mansfield _____ Nothing
Field D. Hayes _____ Nothing
Chester W. Kingsley _____ Nothing
Chester W. Kingsley _____ Nothing
Franklin J. N. Peer _____ Nothing
Heirs of William Childs _____ Nothing
Heirs of Richard Stevens _____ Nothing

Resolve and order adopted by receiving a first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence _____ Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council July 25 1882.
Resolve and order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence _____ Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Resolve and order for the taking of land and laying out of _____
_____ Herbert Street _____
_____ City of Somerville _____
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen _____
_____ July 25, 1882. _____
Resolved that the common convenience and necessity of the inhabitants of the city require that Herbert Street should be laid out as a public street or way of the said City from Chester Street to Hill Street, and of a uniform width of forty feet throughout, all as more particularly hereinafter described, and for that purpose it is necessary to take and lay out as a public street or way of the said City a piece of land belonging to Hannah Woodward containing [illegible] square feet more or less.

Damages awarded.

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Herbert Street
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A parcel of land belonging to Samuel Hawkins containing 611 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Hannah L. Woodward containing 618 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to George Phillips containing 612 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Hannah L. Woodward containing 1220 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to West Somerville Congregational Society containing 2044 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Horace Hawkins Henry M. Mine and William J. Leckie containing 6723 square feet more or less.

Each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on plan drawn by George H. Kimball Civil Engineer April 4, 1882 entitled "Parcel Street Reconstruction" and on file in the City Clerk's office.

And whereas the Committee on Highways has reported that the common convenience and necessity require that the said street should be laid out as hereinafter stated and described and has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said street to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer and also upon a plan thereof and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such laying out shall be completed and reported the names of all parties in any wise sustaining damage by such laying out with the amount of damages

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proper and reasonable to be awarded to such said owners, as every appears in said report, and whereas said report and plan have remained in the City Clerk's office for the term of seven days at least before the City Council proceeded to act thereon and whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the City Council to take the said parcels of land for the purpose aforesaid and to lay out said street or way as by the order of notice and the return thereto annexed will fully appear and whereas at the time and place in said order of notice appointed, the City Council will and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard. It is therefore ordered that the parcels of land, before described, be and the same of hereby are taken and laid out as a public street or way of the said City according to the plan of the said Herbert Street made by Grover W. Kimball, Civil Engineer dated April 24, 1882, and deposited in the office of the City Clerk, as aforesaid, and that the said street or way as shown and designated upon said plan, be and the same is hereby, so as aforesaid, laid out and established as and for a public street or way of the said city, that the boundaries location and admeasurements of said street are all as shown upon said plan, which is hereby made a part of this order, and as follows to wit said street is bounded Northeasterly by lands of the abutters thereon three hundred and thirty five and 7/100 feet Southeasterly by Chester Street forty and 7/100 feet Southwesterly by a line distant thirty feet from the air named line three hundred and thirty six and 7/100 and northwesterly by Clay Street forty and 7/100 feet, that the gradient in the manner in which such street or way shall be completed, namely according to a grade of said Herbert Street as shown and laid down upon said plan thereof made by Grover W. Kimball Civil Engineer that the proprietors

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[illegible] of the land over which said street or way is thus laid out and through which it is to pass are allowed until the first day of August next to take off their trees, fences and other property which may obstruct the building of such street or way; that the following is an estimate, assessment and award of the damages sustained by any persons in their property by the laying out of said street or way namely.

Street Damages awarded

Hannah S. Woodward	Nothing
Samuel Roebuck	Nothing
Hannah S. Woodward	Nothing
George Phillips	Nothing
Wm. B. Savage	Nothing
Hannah S. Woodward	Nothing
Hesperian Congregational Society	Nothing
Horace Haskins, Henry M. Mann & Wm. J. Leslie	Nothing

In Board of Aldermen.

Resolve and order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage, and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council — July 25. 1882.

Resolve and order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.

Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Sewer Joy Street Hearing

Sewer Joy Street Hearing

In accordance with an order passed June 13. 1882, a hearing was held in reference to the construction of a sewer in Joy Street from land now or formerly of McKeon and land now or formerly of Carrie to Washington St.

Officer return on order of notice.

City of Somerville Middlesex, July 11. 1882.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit

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Mary James, James N. White, Michael N. Kelley, George Mulliken, James Stansbury, Benedicta Burkland, James J. Daly, Charles Malatesta, Philip White, John Watson, Michael Lennehy, Wm. A. Gilmore, and by delivering in hand a true copy of the said order to the tenants or authorized agents respectively of the following named persons to wit:

[illegible] City of Somerville,

and the following named persons having no place of abode in this city and no tenants or authorized agents therein known as such, or if resident in this city, not being known as such, I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested, by posting up in two public places in this city a true and attested copy of said order.

Sylvester Harrington, Lucius Lockhfield, John Walsh, Charlestown Five Cents Savings Bank, Wilbur M. Clement, William A. Wilbur, Henry Locke, Lorenzo Marrett, Trustee, Simon Leonard.

And that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville, called the Somerville Journal, the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

[illegible] Constable of Somerville.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss. Somerville July 11, 1882.

Then personally appeared the above named James Mann and made oath that the above certificate of him subscribed is true before me.

Geo. F. Vincent Justice of the Peace

The order and return thereon was read.

No person appearing to oppose the hearing was closed.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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Sewer Joy & Washington Order to construct

Alderman Norcross offered the following order

City of Somerville

In Board of Alderman July 25, 1882.

Ordered

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to construct a common sewer in Joy and Washington Streets from the end of the present sewer in Joy Street opposite land of Hiram Leonard to a point in Washington Street near Shannon Street and report to the Board after the completion of said sewer, the cost of the same, together with a list of assessments such as in their judgment of said Committee, shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited.

Mr. Norcross

Order adopted

receiving its first and second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewer Joy Street Order for the taking of land

Alderman Norcross offered the following order for the taking of land and construction of sewer in Joy Street

Resolve and order for laying out

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Alderman

July 25, 1882.

Resolved and adjudged that the public convenience and the public health require that a Main Drain a common sewer should be laid, made and maintained in Joy Street so called a private way in said city from land now or formerly of Mc Keon and land now or formerly of Carville to Washington Street and in certain private lands hereinafter described and for that purpose it is necessary to take for said Main Drain a common sewer a parcel of land belonging to Sylvester Harrington containing 430 square feet more or less.

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A parcel of land belonging to Nukus Litchfield containing 2250 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to James R. White containing 900 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Michael R. Kelly containing 450 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to John Walsh containing 450 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Charlestown Fire Cent Savings Bank containing 630 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to George Mullikin containing 1185 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Arthur Lemont containing 900 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Joana Kinsley containing 533 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Mary James containing 806 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Benedicta Bjorkland containing 875 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to James J. Daly containing 666 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Charles Malatesta containing 675 square feet more or less.

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A parcel of land belonging to Mariam R. Weeks
containing 900 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Philip White
containing 450 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to City of Somerville
containing 450 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to John Wrison
containing 450 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Michael Donnelly
containing 750 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Henry Locke
containing 600 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Arthur W. Tripp
containing 675 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Alice A. Gilmore
containing 525 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Lorenzo Marrill Trustee
containing 600 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Miriam Leonard
containing 900 square feet more or less.

Each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on plan drawn by Geo. J. H. Kimball City Engineer dated June 13, 1882 entitled "Joy Street Fever", and on file in the City clerks office.

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and whereas the petition of S. H. Butler & others asking for the laying, making, and maintaining of such sewer, and the matter of taking said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid were referred to the Committee on Sewers, and whereas, as appears by its report hereto annexed, the said Committee was of the opinion that the public convenience and necessity require that said Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid, made, and maintained and the said Committee has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said parcels of land taken for the purposes aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, and also upon a plan thereof, and to be described in its report; and has specified the manner in which said taking shall be completed, and reported the names of all parties sustaining damage by such taking with the amount of such damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, as fully appears in said Report; and whereas said Report and Plan have remained in the City Clerks office for the term of seven days at least before the Mayor & Aldermen proceeded to act thereon, and whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said parcels of land for the purposes of said main drain or common sewer, as by the Order of Notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and the return thereto annexed will fully appear; and whereas, at the time and place in said order of notice appointed, the Mayor and Aldermen met and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard.

It is therefore ordered that the parcels of land before described be and the same are hereby taken for the purposes of a main drain or common sewer of the said City, under the provisions of law authorizing the

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assessment of a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same and of the charge not already assessed of making and repairing other Main Drains and Common Sewers through which the same discharge, according to the plan of the same made by George P. Kimball City Engineer dated June 13, 1882, and deposited in the office of the City Clerk as aforesaid, that the land taken as aforesaid, and as minn and designated upon said plan & the same is hereby taken and established as an a main drain a common sewer of the said city, that the boundaries location and admeasurements of said land taken as aforesaid are all as shown upon said plan which is hereby made a part of this order and as follows to wit said land is bounded Northeasterly by lands of the abutters thereon five hundred and sixty six and 4/100 feet, Southeasterly by said land not a formerly of Canal and said land not a formerly of Mc Keen thirty feet, Southwesterly by a line distant throughout thirty feet from the first named line five hundred and seventy one and 6/100 feet, and Northwesterly by Washington Street thirty and 4/100 feet, that the proprietors, occupants or owners of the land taken as aforesaid are allowed until the first day of August next to take off their trees fences and other property which may obstruct the laying of said main drain a common sewer, and that the following is an estimate and award of the damages sustained by any persons in their property by the taking of said land namely.

Sewer	Sylvester Washington	Nothing
by Street	Rufus Litchfield	Nothing
damages	James R. White	Nothing
awarded	Michael W. Kelly	Nothing
	John Walsh	Nothing
	Charlestown Five cents savings Bank	Nothing
	George Mullikin	Nothing
	Arthur M. Clement	Nothing

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Joana Kinsley ——— Nothing
Mary James ——— Nothing
Benedicta Bjerkland ——— Nothing
James Hilary ——— Nothing
Charles Malatesta ——— Nothing
Wm R Wilson ——— Nothing
Philip White ——— Nothing
City of Somerville ——— Nothing
John Nelson ——— Nothing
Michael Bennetty ——— Nothing
Henry Locke ——— Nothing
Arthur W Tufts ——— Nothing
Alice W Gilman ——— Nothing
Lorenzo Marcello Trinsta ——— Nothing
Hiram Leonard ——— Nothing

In Board of Aldermen August 25, 1882.
Reserve and Order adopted ———
Receiving its first and second reading and final passage.
——— Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

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Report of Committee on Sewers
——— City of Somerville ———
In Committee on Sewers ———
——— July 25, 1882. ———

Sewers
Joy & Washington's Proposals
Report of Com

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Sewers, duly authorized by an order of this date, submits the following line of proposal which have been received to construct in Joy and Washington Streets from the northerly end of the present sewer in Joy Street to a point near Shawmut Street about eight hundred feet of twelve inch pipe sewer with four manholes, the pipe to be furnished by the City

over

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Names of Bidders	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Collins and Sampson	$40.50	4.90	0.65	$927.00
Richard Fabrey	40.00	4.00	0.69	912.00
Charles McMorgan	38.00	4.00	0.65	872.00
Dennis O'Connell	42.00	4.20	0.60	867.00
Patrick Kenny	40.00	4.16	0.55	808.00

and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to Patrick Kenny.

By order of Committee

(Geo. F. Clement) Clerk

Report accepted and adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewer ✓ Joy & Washington St. Com. authorized to make contract for construction.

Alderman Norcross offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

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(Ordered)

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized to make a contract with Patrick Kenny for the construction of a common sewer in Joy & Washington Streets from the end of the present sewer in Joy Street to a point near Thaxmet Street at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said Committee's report of this date.

J. L. Norcross

Approved July 25th 1882 Chas. A. Cunning Mayor

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Licenses ✓ Report of Com. on petition of Mrs. L. Sweatt

Report of Committee on Licenses

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor & Aldermen July 25 1882

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the petition of Mrs. L. Sweatt for a license to keep a billiard table at the corner of Laurel Street and Somerville Avenue recommend that the petitioner have leave to withdraw.

For the Committee J. F. Wellington Chairman

Report accepted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Report of Committee on Licenses
City of Somerville

In Committee on Licenses July 25, 1882
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Licenses to which was referred
the petition of Charles H. Roth and others, in aid
of the petition of Joseph Thurrell for a license to [illegible]
[illegible] reports that as action has been taken by this
board upon said petition of Joseph Thurrell and further
action is necessary upon this petition of Charles H. Roth
and others, and it is therefore recommended
that said Charles H. Roth and others be granted
leave to withdraw their petition

For the Committee
J. F. Wellington Chairman

Report accepted and adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Licenses
Report of Com
on petition of
C. H. Roth & others

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways July 25, 1882,
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to which was
referred the remonstrance of Louis E. Merry and
others against the laying of Horse Railroad tracks
through Dover Street as petitioned for by the Somerville
Horse Railroad Company (the Board of Al-
dermen having heard all parties interested in the
matter of said petition in accordance with the rec-
ommendation of this Committee) report recommending
that said railroad company be granted leave to
withdraw its petition for permission to lay tracks
through Dover Street.

By order of the Committee Geo. I. Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Horse Railroad
Report of Com
on remonstrance
of L. E. Merry & others
and of petition
of Somerville Horse
Railroad Co

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Sidewalk Pearl Street

Sidewalk Pearl Street Hearing

In accordance with an order passed June 13, 1882 a hearing was held in reference of the construction of a Sewer in Pearl Street from Cross Street 445 feet Northwestwardly to be covered with brick.

Officers Return on Order of Notice

City of Somerville

City of Somerville Middlesex, ss. July 11, 1882

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit:

John W. Brooks, Wm. H. Lincoln, Theodore P. Daniels, and by delivering in hand a true copy of the said order to the following named persons to wit:

Joseph P. Braimard

and the following named persons having no place of abode in this City, and no tenants or authorized agents therein known as such, or if resident in this City, not being known as such, I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this City a true and attested copy of said order. Benjamin Hadley said that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville called the Somerville Journal the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

Jairus Mann Constable of Somerville

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex, ss.

Somerville July 11. 1882

Then personally appeared the above named Jairus Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true before me George T. Vincent

Justice of the Peace

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The order and return having been read and no person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

approved July 25. 1882

Newman Burgin offered the following Resolve and Order.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

July 25. 1882.

Sidewalks Prospect Street under to construct

Resolved

That the common convenience requires that sidewalks be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed as hereinafter stated and it is therefore

Ordered: That sidewalks be graded and constructed and partially constructed sidewalks completed in the following named street of said city of Somerville, with edgestones and covered with gravel all as hereinafter specified.

Pearl Street

On the Northeasterly side thereof from Cross Street 445 feet northwestwardly to be covered with gravel and with edgestones and to be of the width of eight and 1/12 feet.

The grade of said sidewalks is to conform substantially to the grade of the street; the gutters are to be paved and all matters not herein particularly specified in regard to the construction of said sidewalks are to be determined by the Committee on Highways, to which committee full authority is hereby given for that purpose.

And the said Committee is hereby authorized and instructed to grade construct and complete said sidewalks as aforesaid and in the manner aforesaid and to report a schedule of the expense thereof and of the assessments therefor in the judgment of said committee proper to be made upon the owners on said sidewalks, to this board when said sidewalks shall have been completed.

Ba Burgin

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Approved July 25, 1882
John F. Cumming
Mayor

In Board of Aldermen
Resolve and order adopted
Receiving its first and second reading and final passage

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Telephone
Order granting
locations to
Suburban
Telephone Co

Alderman Durgin offered the following Order.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
July 25, 1882.

Ordered

That additional locations be and are hereby granted to the Suburban Telephone Company with liberty to erect and maintain lines of wire in this City as follows namely.

On the south side of Broadway from Temple Street to the Boston Line.

On the Northerly side of Heath Street from Temple Street to Brooks Street.

On the Southerly side of Main Street from Brooks Street to the Medford Line.

On the westerly side of School Street from Broadway to Somerville Avenue.

On the northerly side of Somerville Avenue from from Bonell Street to Union Square.

On the westerly side of Union Square from Somerville Avenue to Webster Avenue,

and on the westerly side of Webster Avenue from Union Square to the Cambridge Line, said locations being granted upon the same terms and conditions as specified in an order passed by this

July 25, 1882

Board June 27, 1882 granting locations and other privileges to said company.

Thos Sturgis

In Board of Aldermen July 26, 1882.

Order adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Approved July 25, 1882 John A. Cummings Mayor

In accordance with an order passed July 11, 1882 a hearing was held in reference to the assessments laid by this Board for the construction of a sewer in Newark Avenue. The order was read and no person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Sewers Newark Avenue Assessment Hearing

In accordance with an order passed July 11, 1882, a hearing was held in reference to the assessments laid by this Board for the construction of a sewer in Ellis Street. The order was read and no person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Sewers Ellis Street Assessment Hearing

In accordance with an order passed July 11, 1882, a hearing was held in reference to the assessments laid by this Board for the construction of a sewer in Cross Street (Western extension). The order was read and no person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Sewers Cross & Western Assessment Hearing

In accordance with an order passed July 11, 1882, a hearing was held in reference to the assessments laid by this Board for the construction of a sewer in Orchard Street. The order having been read the hearing was declared open. Charles [illegible] appeared in behalf of [illegible] and requested a continuance of the hearing until September 12th which was granted.

Sewers Orchard Street Hearing Continued

Adjourned to September 12th 1882

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

August 26. 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
Thursday 26. 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Nawrop, Wellington, Kiernan, Sage, Cook, Burns, Lurgin present.

Record of last meeting read and approved.

Catch Basin Bow St Place petition of C. S. Butler and others	Petition of Charles S. Butler and others that a catch Basin be constructed to connect with the sewer in Bow Street Place. Referred to the Committee on Sewers.
Sewers Catch Basin Union Square	Petition of Somerville Union Stable company for removal of Catch Basin in Union Square. Referred to Committee on Sewers.
Claims Petition of John Jordan	Petition of John Jordan in compensation for injury received in the construction of a sewer in Ken Street. Referred to the Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council September 14, 1882 Concurred in. Douglas Shazan Clerk.
Sewers Catch Basins Oxford Street	Petition of Robert Fiton that a sufficient number of Catch Basins be placed in Oxford Street to provide for the surface drainage. Referred to the Committee on Sewers. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
Intentions to build permits granted.	The following permits to build were granted:
	Daniel Ford — 854 Somerville Avenue
	F. B. Whatlock — Kenner Square
	William G. Law — Putnam Street
	G. S. Burnham — Trenton Street
	J. R. Conant — Sargent Avenue

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George H. Darby & Co. — Vernon Street	
Roland Street M. E. church — Park Avenue	
Mark Laighton — Austin Street	
" " — Sunnyside Avenue	
" " — Prospect Street	
Petition of H. S. Cooke for a driveway at his residence on Brook Street to be constructed at his expense. Referred to the Committee on Highways and not [illegible] Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council September 14. 1882 Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.	Driveway Brook Street petition of H. S. Cooke
Report of Chief of Police received and read for information	Police Report of Chief
Petition of C. H. Simpkins and others that edgestones and gravel sidewalks be laid on both sides of Austin Street. Referred to the Committee on Highways.	Sidewalks Austin Street petition for
Permit granted to remove a building from Union Square through Warren Avenue to Columbus Avenue under the direction of Alderman Hayes.	Permit to Philip Eberle to move building
James C. Bartlett and G. W. Peit were drawn as jurors to the Superior Court to be holden at Lowell on the first Monday in September next.	Jurors drawn
Petition of George H. Drabyford Company for permission to set, keep and maintain an engine of fifty horse power and boiler or boilers for same on land situate on Vernon Street between said street & Boston and Lowell Road near Central Street. Referred to the Committee on Fire Department.	Steam Boiler petition of George H. Drabyford Co.

August 26, 1882

Sewers
Boston Street
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville August 26, 1882
The Committee on Sewers August 3, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen
of Somerville
The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of M. F. Elliot and others for the extension of the sewer in Boston Street reports recommending that the petitioners have leave to withdraw
By order of the Committee
George Hemont Clerk
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers
Cottage Avenue
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville August 26, 1882.
In Committee on Sewers Aug 3, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of C. H. Kingsley and others for a sewer in Cottage Avenue reports recommending that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.
By order of the Committee
George Hemont Clerk
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers
Cottage Avenue
Order to construct

Alderman Norcross offered the following Order.
City of Somerville Aug 26. 1882
Ordered That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to construct a common sewer in Cottage Avenue from the sewer in Russell Street to a point near Chester Street and report to this board after the completion of said sewer the cost of the same together with a list of assessments such as in the judgment of said Committee shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited.
Order adopted receiving its first and second readings final passage.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

August 26, 1882

Report of Committee on Sewers — Sewers

City of Somerville August 26 1882 — Cottage avenue

In Committee on Sewers August 26 1882 — Proposals

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville — Report of Committee

The Committee on Sewers duly authorized by an order of this date, submit the following list of proposals which have been received to construct in Cottage Avenue from the sewer in Russell Street to a point near Chester Street about 500 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with 2 manholes; the tube furnished by the city.

Names of Bidders	Manholes each	Rock excavated per cu yd	Laying sewer per lin ft	Estimated aggregate
John J Dorey	41.00	5.00	38	$272.00
M Bullimer	30.00	5.00	34	230.00
Patrick Irving	39.00	4.25	43	293.00
Charles H Morgan	32.00	4.00	33	229.00
Richard Falvey	35.00	3.00	40	270.00
Dennis O Connell	45.00		75	465.00

and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to Charles H Morgan

By order of the Committee Wm P Mitchell Clerk

Report accepted and adopted

Charles E Gilman Clerk

Alderman Norcross offered the following Order — Sewers

City of Somerville — Cottage Avenue

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen Aug 26 1882 — Com to make Contract

Ordered

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized to make a contract with Charles H Morgan for the construction of a common sewer in Cottage Avenue at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said Committee report of this date.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E Gilman Clerk

August 26 1882

Fire & Street Lights
Report of Committee on petition of Gilman & Co

Report of Committee on Fire and Street Lights
City of Somerville August 26. 1882
In Committee on Fire and Street Lights Aug. 3. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Fire and Street Lights to which was referred the petition of Gilman & Co for permission to place an order box on the Lamp post on Summer Street opposite Spring Street recommends that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.
By order of the Committee
George I Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E Gilman Clerk

For Summer Commission Sept 1882
Concurred in
Douglas Thayer Clerk

Steam Boiler
Report of Committee on petition of Allen Bros.

Report of Committee on Fire Department
City of Somerville August 26. 1882
In Committee on Fire Department Aug. 3, 1882,
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.
The Committee on Fire Department to which was referred the petition of Allen Bros for permission to locate and use a Steam engine of fifteen horse power and a boiler in a building to be erected on land owned by the Eastern Rail road Co for manufacturing purposes report recommending the adoption of the accompanying order for a hearing
By order of the Committee George I Vincent Clerk.
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E Gilman Clerk

Steam Boilers
Order for hearing on petition of Allen Bros.

Alderman Page offered the following order.
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen August 26. 1882,
Ordered that Tuesday September 26. 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and aldermens room in the City Hall be assigned as the time and place for a hearing by this board of all persons interested either for against the petition of Allen & others for permission to locate and use a Steam engine of fifteen horse power and a boiler in a building to be

erected on land owned by the Eastern Railroad Company for name, relieving purposes and the City Clerk is hereby directed to cause a copy of this order to be published in the Commercial Journal at least fourteen days before the day of said hearing in accordance with section 41 of Chapter 102 of the Public Statutes.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and a first passage. — Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

Aldermen Burns offered the following order.

— City of Lawrence —

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

— August 26. 1882 —

Ordered

That for the purpose of providing for the payment of the current expenses of the City the Committee on Finance be and they are hereby authorized to borrow in anticipation of taxes for the current year not exceeding the sum of Fifty Thousand dollars, for a term not exceeding six months and the Treasurer is hereby authorized under the direction of said Committee to give a note or notes of the city therefor payable from the money collected for said taxes to be approved by the Mayor.

Order adopted receiving its first reading and its second reading and final passage by a yea and nay vote under a suspension of the rules and orders sent down for concurrence.

— Charles E. Gilman, Clerk —

(Adjourned)

— Charles E. Gilman —

Clerk

Finance — Com. to borrow in anticipation of taxes.

Order to borrow in anticipation of taxes.

In Common Council Sept. Tenth 1882.

Order adopted by receiving its first, reading and suspension of the rules and orders to second reading and final passage by a yea and nay vote.

Boyd, Sergeant Clerk

September 12, 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
September 12, 1882.
Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Norcross, Wellington, Houstone, Page, Clark, Burns, (Durgin) and Weld present

Record of last meeting read and approved.

Streets
Springfield St.
Petition of L. M. Carr
for driveway.

The petition of Lawrence M. Carr that a driveway may be constructed in front of his estate on Springfield Street was
Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council September 14, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Intention to build
G. W. Hadley

A permit was granted G. W. Hadley to build an addition to his Stable on Broadway.

Intentions to build
Permits granted.

The following permits to build were granted.

James Eson	Dickinson Street	
J. W. Jones	Boston	"
L. M. Carr	Springfield	"
Richard Fabrey	Nish	"
James Harriet	Prescott	"
J. H. White	Bow	"
W. J. Melvin	Gilman	"
Patrick Clark	Medford	"
John Dugan	Boston	"

Licenses Junk
permits granted

Henry Russell and Michael Eagan were granted licenses to collect old junk.

Intention to build
H. Aldrich

Notice of H. Aldrich intention to build on Gilman Street
Permit granted

Report of the Chief of Police received and read
Vice in Amation

Police ✓
Report of Chief

The Bond of Charles F. Palmer Drain Layer
was accepted and approved in the sum of
Five hundred dollars.

Sewers ✓
Bond Drain Layer

Petition of Isaac Kendall and others for the
construction of a sewer in that portion of Broadway
between Shore and Marshall Street,
Received for the Committee on Sewers.

Sewers ✓
Broadway
petition for

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville Sept 12, 1882
In Committee on Highways September 5, 1882,
To the City Council of Somerville:
The Committee on Highways to which was referred
the petition of John A Cummings and others for the
removal of the poles of the Gold and Stock Telephone
Company from Wallace Street, reports that the poles have
been removed by said Company.
By order of the Committee
George T Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council September 14, 1882
Concurred in Cougar Cuzzar Clerk

Street ✓
Telephone
Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville September 12, 1882
In Committee on Highways September 5, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville:
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the
petition of J. W. Guernsey for permission to build a driveway
at his stone mile corner of Concord Avenue and Webster
Avenue reports recommending that the petitioner be granted
leave to withdraw. By order of the Committee
George T Vincent Clerk

Streets ✓
Report of Com on
petition of
J. W. Guernsey.

September 12, 1882

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council September 14, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Street, Report of Com. on petition of J. W. Guernsey.

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville September 12, 1882
In Committee on Highways Sept 5, 1882,
To the City Council of Somerville:
The Committee on highways to which was referred the petition of J. W. Guernsey for permission to build a grain conveyor under and across Prospect Street and Webster Avenue and to erect a wire for power over said street and avenue reports recommending that the petitioner be granted leave to withdraw.
By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent, Clerk
Report accepted, adopted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council September 14, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Railroad Mass. Charles River R. Road Resolve requesting Mayor

(Alderman) Moreno offered the following order.
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen September 12, 1882.
Whereas this City is at present in great need of additional routes and facilities or public travel into Boston and Whereas the petition of the Charles River Street Railway Company now pending before the Board of Aldermen of the City of Boston for permission to run their cars to Bowdoin and Park Squares is one in which this City is therefore most deeply interested.
Ordered that His Honor the Mayor and the City Solicitor be and they are hereby requested to appear before the Board of Aldermen of the City of Boston in aid of said petition and to press upon that Honorable Board the importance to this community of their

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favorable action upon the same.

Order adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

[illegible] Council, September 11, 1882,

Concurred in. Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Petition of F. G. Hanes Trustee for drainage

Boston, September 7, 1882.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Somerville:

The estate corner of Temple and Heath Streets which I represent, has for years taken the surplus water from land higher up the hill and until recently said water has been wire tension under Temple Street through a culvert, the [illegible] natural causes said culvert has become filled up so that my estate has virtually become a catch basin and in the spring of the year it is nothing but a bond of water, which basis into the cellar of the house, endangering the health of the occupants & depreciating the value of the property.

I would respectfully petition your honorable body that you in some way devise a way to drain said estate & your petitioner will ever pray.

F. G. Hanes Trustee.

Referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Bremont Street Sewer Hearing

In accordance with an order passed July 25, 1881 a hearing was held in reference to the construction of a sewer in Bremont Street.

Officers return on order of notice.

City of Somerville.

City of Somerville, Middlesex ss. September 11, 1882.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is herein annexed, I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual.

Sewer petition F. G. Hanes Trustee Streets

Sewer Bremont Street Hearing

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places of abode of the following named persons, to wit:
William Barrett, Martin Robinson, Matthew Clifford,
Ephraim A. Hammond.
And by delivering a true copy of the said order to the
tenants or authorized agents of the following
named persons to wit:
Robert M. Shirley, Thos. & Wm. Kelley
and the following named persons having no place
of abode in this city, and no tenants or authorized
agents thereof, known to me, or residents in this city
not being known to me, I have given them and
all other persons and corporations interested, by posting
up in two public places in this city a true and attested
copy of said order, for Public, and that I caused
a true and attested copy of said order to be published
in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville
called the Somerville Journal, the last publication having
been fourteen days at least before said hearing, and
that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen
days before the day of hearing in said order named.

James Mann Constable of Somerville

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
Middlesex, ss.
Somerville September 11. 1882.
Then personally appeared the above named James
Mann and made oath that the above certificate by
him subscribed is true before me.

George I. Vincent Justice of the Peace

The order and the return thereon was read and
no person appearing to object against the construction
of said sewer, the hearing was closed.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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Alderman Bearers offered the following Resolve and Order.

Resolve and Order for laying out

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

September 12. 1882.

Resolved and adjudged that the public convenience and the public health require that a Main drain a Common Sewer should be laid, made, and maintained in Belmont Street, so called, a private way in said City from Summer Street to land of James T. Trimble and for that purpose it is necessary to take for said Main drain a Common Sewer.

A parcel of land belonging to William Barrett containing 2007 $^{4}/_{100}$ square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Joel Pettee containing 1960 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Avelyn P. Lamon containing 1810 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Robert M. Shirley containing 1810 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Nathan Tufts containing 1800 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Ephraim J. Manson containing 1820 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to the First Baptist Society of Somerville containing 3997 $^{55}/_{100}$ square feet more or less. Each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on plan drawn by George H. Kimball City Engineer dated July 25. 1882. entitled Belmont Street sewer taking of land and on file in the City Clerks office.

Sewer

Belmont Street

Resolve & Order for taking of land

September 12, 1882

and, whereas, the petition of George L. Damon, and others, asking for the laying, making and maintaining of such Sewers, and the matter of taking said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid were referred to the Committee on Sewers, and whereas as appears by its report hereto annexed, the said Committee was of opinion that the public convenience and necessity require that said Main Drain or Common Sewer, should be laid, made and maintained, and the said Committee, has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said parcels of land taken for the purposes aforesaid to be distinctly marked out in the premises by the City Engineer, and also upon a plan thereof, and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such taking shall be completed, and reported the names of all parties sustaining damage by such taking, with the amount of such damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, as fully appears in said report, and whereas said Report and Plan have remained in the City Clerks office for the term of seven days at least before the Mayor and Aldermen proceeded to act thereon; and whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein by the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said parcels of land for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer as by the Order of Notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and the return thereto annexed will fully appear, and whereas at the time and place in said Order of Notice appointed, the Mayor and Aldermen met and heard all parties interested, who claimed to be heard;

It is therefore ordered that the parcels of land before described be, and the same are hereby taken for the purposes of a Main Drain or Common Sewer of the said City, under the provisions of law, authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same, and of the charge not already assessed, of making and repairing other Main Drains and Common Sewers through which the same may discharge according to the plan of the same made by

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George A. Kimball City Engineer dated July 25. 1882, and deposited in the office of the City Clerk as aforesaid; that the said land taken as aforesaid and as shown and designated upon said plan be and the same is hereby taken and established as for a Main Drain or Common Sewer of the said City that the boundaries location and admeasurements of said land taken as aforesaid are all as shown upon said plan which is hereby made a part of the order, and as follows, to wit; said land is bounded Northwesterly by the estates of the abutters thereon three hundred and seventy nine and 75/100 feet; Northeasterly by land of James D. Prindle forty feet; Southeasterly by a line distant throughout forty feet from the first named line, three hundred and eighty two and 7/100 feet; and southwesterly by Summer Street forty and 26/100 feet; That the proprietors occupants or owners of the land taken as aforesaid are allowed until the first day of October next to take off their trees, fences and other property which may obstruct the laying of said Main or common Sewer and that the following is an estimate and award of the damages sustained by any persons in their property by the taking of said land namely,

William Barrett	———	Nothing
Joel Pettee	———	Nothing
Evelyn F. Damon	———	Nothing
Robert M. Shirley	———	Nothing
Nathan Tufts	———	Nothing
Ephraim L. Hanson	———	Nothing
First Baptist Society of Somerville		Nothing

Sewer
Summer Street
Damages awarded

On Board of Mayor and Aldermen ———

——— September 12. 1882 ———

Resolve and Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

——— Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

September 12. 1882

Sewers
Bedford St.
Hearing

Bedford Street Sewer:

In accordance with an order passed June 27, 1882, a hearing was held in reference to the construction of a Sewer in Bedford Street.

Sewers
Bedford S.
Officers Return

Officers return in order of notice

City of Somerville Sept. 12. 1882.

Middlesex, ss.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed, I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit: Patrick Hayes, Dora Crumpbell, Frank Kearney, Bridgett Foley, Patrick Foley, and the following named persons having no place of abode in this city, and no tenants or authorized agents therein known as such, or if resident in this city not being known as such, I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested, by posting up in two public places in this city a true and attested copy of said order.

Solomon G. Phipps, Peter Holohan, Hannah Ferris and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper, published in said Somerville, called the Somerville Journal the last publication having been fourteen days, at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

Jairus Mann, Constable of Somerville.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex, ss.

Somerville September 11. 1882.

Then personally appeared the above named Jairus Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true, before me. George I Vincent, Justice of the Peace.

The Order and Return thereon was read:

No reason appearing to object against the construction of said sewer the hearing was closed. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

September 12. 1882

Alderman Nescross offered the following order, Resolve and order for laying out City of Lawrence

Sewers ✓
Bedford St.
Resolve & Order

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen September 12. 1882.
Resolved and adjudged that the public convenience and the public health require that a Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid, made and maintained in Bedford street, so called, a private way in said city from South street to Cambridge Line and in certain private lands hereinafter described, and for that purpose it is necessary to take for said Main Drain or common sewer.

A parcel of land belonging to Solomon G. Phipps containing 806 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Peter Holchan containing 53[illegible] square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Patrick Hayes containing 450 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Hannah Morris containing 645 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Dora Campbell containing 615 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Frank Kearney containing 480 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Bridget Foley containing 670 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Patrick Foley containing 656 square feet more or less.
each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on plan drawn by George A. Kimball City Engineer dated June 27. 1882. entitled Bedford street sewer taking of lands and on file in the City Clerks office.

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and whereas the petition of [illegible] and others asking for the laying, making and maintaining of such sewer, and the matter of taking said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid were received to the Committee in Sewers and whereas as appears by its report hereto annexed, the said Committee was of opinion that the public convenience and necessity require that said Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid, made and maintained; and the said Committee has caused the admeasurement and boundaries of said parcels of land taken for the purposes aforesaid to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, and also upon a plan thereof, and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such taking shall be completed, and reported the names of all parties sustaining damage by such taking with the amount of such damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, as fully appears in said report, and whereas said report and plan have remained in the City Clerk's office for the term of seven days at least, before the Mayor and Aldermen proceeded to act thereon;

And whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said parcels of land for the purposes of said main drain or common sewer, as by the order of notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and the return thereto annexed is nice fully appear; and whereas at the time and place in said order of notice appointed the Mayor and Aldermen met and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard.

It is therefore ordered, that the parcels of land before described be, and the same are hereby taken for the purposes of a main drain or common sewer of the said City, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same, and of the charge not already assessed, of making and repairing other Main Drains and common sewers, through which the same discharges;

according to the plan of the same made by George A. Kimball City Engineer dated June 27, 1882 and deposited in the office of the City Clerk as aforesaid; that the said land taken as aforesaid

and as shown and designated upon said plan be and the same is hereby taken and established as for a main drain or common sewer of the said city; that the boundaries location and admeasurements of said land taken as aforesaid are all as shown upon said plan which is hereby made a part of this report, order and as follows to wit said land is bounded:

Easterly by land of the abutters thereon one hundred and sixty eight and 7/100 feet; Southerly by the Cambridge line thirty 7/100 feet; Westerly by a line thirty feet distant thereon hence from the first named line one hundred and fifty eight and 7/100 feet and Northerly by South Street thirty feet.

That the proprietors, occupants or owners of the land taken as aforesaid are entitled until the first day of October next to take off their trees, fences and other property which may obstruct the laying of said main drain or common sewer, and that the following is an estimate and award of the damages sustained by any persons in their property by the taking of said land, namely,

Solomon G. Phipps	Nothing	Sewer
[illegible]	Nothing	Bedford Street
Patrick Hayes	Nothing	Damages Awarded
[illegible]	Nothing	
[illegible]	Nothing	
[illegible]	Nothing	
Bridget [illegible]	Nothing	
Patrick [illegible]	Nothing	

Sr. Board of Mayor and Aldermen

September 12. 1882

[illegible] as [illegible]

Received its first and second reading and [illegible]

[illegible] Charles E. [illegible]

Clerk.

September 12, 1882

Sewer	Sewer
Passageway between Linwood St & Cooper St	Passageway between Linwood St. & Cooper Street. In accordance with an order passed June 27, 1882, a hearing was held in relation to the construction of a sewer in passageway between Linwood Place and Cooper Street.
Officer's return	Officer's return on Order of Notice. City of Somerville.

City of Somerville, Middlesex ss. September 11, 1882.
I hereby certify, That in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed, I have notified the parties therein named by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons, viz:
Timothy Moriarty, Michael J. Ireland,
Bridget Downey, Hugh Carden, Patrick Campbell,
Peter Scott, Jeremiah Sullivan, Michael Cummings,
and by delivering a true copy of the said order to the tenants or authorized agents for the following named persons, viz: Heirs of Mary Kelley, Catharine O'Leary,
and the following named owners having no place of abode in the city and no tenants or authorized agents therein, known as such, are residents in the city, and I have notified them and all other persons said to be interested, by posting in two public places in the city a true and attested copy of said order.
Heirs of William Leslie, Matilda & Mrs. Bridget A. Bennington
and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville, and the same was published the last publication being fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.
Joseph Warren, Constable of Somerville.
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex ss. Sept. 11. 1882
Then personally appeared the above named Joseph Warren and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true
Before me George I. Vincent Justice of the Peace

the Order and return having been read
Richard Canny Peter Scott & Timothy McCarty was
present and objected to the construction of said Sewer on
account of injury to their estates and that they had sufficient
drainage. No other person appearing the hearing was closed.

Alderman Sweeney offered the following Resolution and
order for carrying out and construction of said Sewer
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
September 12, 1882
Resolved and adjudged that the public convenience
and the public health require that a main drain or
common sewer should be laid made and maintained in
a passage way between Congress Place and Linwood Place
in said City from Linwood Street to the westerly end of
said passage way and for that purpose it is necessary to take
for said Main Drain or Common Sewer
A parcel of land belonging to Timothy McCarty
containing 37 m square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Michael J. Holtaran
containing 37 m feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to heirs of William Costello
containing 37 m square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Bridgett Downey
containing 37 m square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Hugh Carton
containing 37 m square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to heirs of Mary Flaherty
containing 37 m square feet more or less

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[illegible] Order
taking of land

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A parcel of land belonging to Patrick Campbell
Containing 50 7/10 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Peter Scott
Containing 79 7/10 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Catharine Haley
Containing 42 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Jeremiah Sullivan
Containing 42 5/10 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Matilda O'Allen
Containing 42 5/10 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Dwidgett W. M. Bennington
Containing 42 5/10 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Michael Cannery
Containing 42 5/10 square feet more or less.

Each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on plan drawn by [illegible] City Engineer dated [illegible] entitled "Sewer in Passageway between Congress Place and Linwood Place, Taking of Land" and on file in the City Clerk's office;

And whereas the petition of Hugh Carlin and others asking for the laying, making and maintaining [illegible] and the matter of taking said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid were referred to the committee on Sewers, and Whereas, as appears by its report hereto annexed, the said committee was of opinion that the public convenience and necessity require that said main drain a common sewer should be laid and maintained, and the said committee has caused the admeasurement and boundaries of said parcels of land taken for the purposes aforesaid to be distinctly marked

out on the premises by the City Engineer and also upon a plan thereof and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such taking shall be completed and reported the names of all parties sustaining damages by such taking, with the amount of such damage, proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, as fully appears in said report and whereas said report and plan have remained in the City Clerks office for the term of seven days at least before the Mayor and Aldermen proceeded to act thereon and whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said parcels of land for the purposes of said main drain or common sewer, as by the order of notice for hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and the return thereto annexed will fully appear and whereas at the time and place in said order of notice appointed the Mayor and Aldermen met and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard.

It is therefore ordered, that the parcels of land before described be, and the same are hereby taken for the purposes of a main drain or common sewer of the said city, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same, and of the charge not already assessed, of making and repairing other main drains and common sewers through which the same discharges according to the plans of the same made by George A. Kimball, City Engineer, dated June 27, 1882 and deposited in the office of the City Clerk as aforesaid, that the said land taken as aforesaid, and as shown and designated upon said plan be and the same is hereby taken and established as for a main drain or common sewer of the said city, that the boundaries, location, and admeasurements of said land taken as aforesaid, are all as shown upon said plan which is hereby made a part of this report and order and as follows, to wit: said land is bounded southeasterly by the lands of the abutters thereon, one hundred and nine and 7/10 feet, southwesterly by land of owner unknown five and 7/10 feet, northwesterly by a line

destroyed throughout five feet from the first named line the hundred and sixteen and 70 feet, and Northeasterly by hundred Street, five feet.

That the proprietors, occupants or owners of the land taken as aforesaid are allowed until the first day of October next to take off their trees, fences, and other property which may obstruct the laying of said main drain or common sewer and that the following is an estimate and award of the damages sustained by any persons in their property by the taking of said land namely:

Sewer Sacramento & Miller Street Hearing	Timothy McCarthy	Nothing
	Michael J. Sullivan	Nothing
	Heirs of William Costello	Nothing
	Bridgett Conway	Nothing
	Rush Carton	Nothing
	Heirs of Minn Kaherty	Nothing
	Patrick Campbell	Nothing
	Peter Scott	Nothing
	Catharine Haley	Nothing
	Jeremiah Sullivan	Nothing
	Matilda C. Miller	Nothing
	Bridgett W. T. Blessington	Nothing
	Michael Carney	Nothing

Resolve and order adopting receiving its first second reading & final passage.

Sewers. September 12, 1882.

Sewer Sacramento & Miller Street Hearing.

Sacramento & Miller Street, Hearing.

In accordance with an order passed June 27, 1882, a hearing was held in reference to the construction of a sewer in Sacramento and Miller Streets, the order and and return was read.

Officers return on Order of notice.

City of Somerville.

City of Somerville Middlesex, ss. September 11, 1882.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit: S. Adams Clark

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Lucy M. Knapp, Mary C. Clark, Heirs of Joseph Pierce & George A. Lomas,
and by delivering a true copy of the said order to the tenant, or authorized agents respectively of the following named persons to wit: Elias F. Harvey C. Miller, John M. Reitenbach, Frederick Reitenbach, and Louis Minh; Adino Page Guardian for Samuel A. Clark; Adino Page Guardian for Joseph M. Clark.
and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville, called the Somerville Journal. The last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

——— James Mann Constable of Somerville,
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex, ss.

——— Somerville September 11 1882.
then personally appeared the above named James Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true before me.

——— George Vincent Justice of the Peace.
the order and return thereon was read and no person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Alderman Warner offered the following Resolve & Order.

——— City of Somerville.

In Board of Aldermen September 12 1882.
Resolved and adjudged that the public convenience and the public health require that a main drain or common sewer should be laid, made and maintained in Sacramento and Miller Streets, so called private ways in said city from Bracon Street to a private way running northerly from Bracon Street and for that purpose it is necessary to take for said Main Drain or common sewer
A parcel of land belonging to S. Adams Clark
Containing 2005 square feet more or less.

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A parcel of land belonging to Adina Page Guardian for Joseph M. Clark containing 2546 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Adina Page Guardian for Samuel A. Clark containing 660 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Adina Page Guardian for Joseph M. Clark containing 660 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Lewis M. Knapp containing 1320 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Mary C. Clark containing 1441 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Louis & Henry C. Miller containing 3040 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Heirs of Joseph Bruce containing 673 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to George M. Lomas containing 1721 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to John M. Reitenbach, Frederick Reitenbach and Louis Mink containing 3651 square feet more or less.

Each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on plan drawn by George A. Kimball City Engineer Dated June 27 1882, entitled "Sacramento and Miller Street Sewer Taking of land" and on file in the City Clerk Office.

and whereas, the petitions of George S. Lowe and Miller Bishop & asking for the laying, making and maintaining of such sewer, and the matter of taking said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid were referred to the Committee on Sewers, and whereas as appears by a report herein annexed, the said Committee were of opinion that the public convenience and necessity require that said main drain a common sewer should be laid, made and maintained, and the said Committee has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said parcels of land taken for the purposes aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, and also upon a plan thereof, and to be described in the report, and has specified the manner in which such taking shall be completed and reported the names of all parties sustaining damage by such taking, with the amount of such damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, as fully appears in said report; and whereas said report and plan have remained in the City Clerk's office for the term of seven days at least before the Mayor and Aldermen proceeded to act thereon; and whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said parcels of land for the purposes of said main drain a common sewer as by the order of notice fixed hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and the return thereto annexed will fully appear, and whereas at the time and place in said order of notice appointed the Mayor and Aldermen met and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard.

It is therefore ordered, that the parcels of land before described be, and the same are hereby taken for the purposes of a main drain a common sewer of the said city under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same and of the charge not already assessed of making and repairing other main drains and common sewers through which the same discharges, according to the plan of the same made by

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George A. Kimball City Engineer dated June 27, 1882 and deposited in the office of the City Clerk as aforesaid that the said land taken as aforesaid and as shown and designated upon said plan, be and the same is hereby taken and established as for a main drain or Common sewer of the said city that the boundaries location and admeasurements of said land taken as aforesaid are all as shown upon said plan which is hereby made a part of this order, and as follows to wit: said land is bounded Southwesterly by Beacon Street forty two and 30/100 feet Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Sacramento Street one hundred and forty five and 00/100 feet Southwesterly by the southwesterly line of said Miller Street so called three hundred and twenty six and 00/100 feet Northwesterly by said private way running from Beacon Street thirty three and 00/100 feet Northeasterly by the northeasterly line of said Miller Street so called prolonged three hundred and sixty one and 00/100 feet and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of said Sacramento Street so called one hundred and eighty three and 00/100 feet that the proprietors, occupants or owners of the land taken as aforesaid are allowed until the first day of October next to take off their buildings and other property which may obstruct the laying of said main drain or Common sewer and that the following is an estimate and award of the damages sustained by any persons in their property by the taking of said land namely.

	W. Adams Clark	Nothing
Sacramento St. & Miller Street Damages awarded	Adams Page Guardian for Joseph M. Clark	Nothing
	Adams Page " for Barnard S. Clark	Nothing
	Adams Page " for Joseph M. Clark	Nothing
	Lucy M. Knapp	Nothing
	Mary C. Clark	Nothing
	Eli F. Henry C. Miller	Nothing
	Heirs of Joseph Tiner	Nothing
	George H. Lemas	Nothing
	George M. Reitenbach, Frederick Reitenbach & Louis Mack	Nothing

Resolve and order receiving its first & second readings & final passage.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

September 12. 1882

Alderman Norcross offered the following Order — Sewers ✓
City of Somerville — Bedford Street
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen Sept 12. 1882. — Order to construct

Ordered

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to construct a common sewer in Bedford Street from the sewer in South Street ten point near the Cambridge line, and report to this board, after the completion of said sewer the cost of the same, together with a list of assessments, such as in the judgment of said Committee, shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Alderman Norcross offered the following Order — Sewers ✓
City of Somerville — Belmont Street
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen — Order to construct
September 12. 1882.

Ordered

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to construct a common sewer in Belmont Street from the end of the present sewer near Summer St to a point near the northwesterly end of said Belmont Street and to report to this board, after the completion of said sewer, the cost of the same, together with a list of assessments such as in the judgment of said Committee shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited.

Order adopted.

Receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

September 12, 1882

Sewers
Linwood Place
Congress St.
Order to construct

Alderman Norcross offered the following Order.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

September 12, 1882.

Ordered

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to construct a common sewer in a passageway running westwardly from Linwood Street between Linwood Place and Congress Place said sewer to be laid from the sewer in Linwood Street to a point near the westerly end of said passageway and said committee is further instructed to report to this board after the completion of said sewer the cost of the same, together with a list of assessments such as in the judgment of said Committee shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited.

Order adopted

Receiving its first and second reading and final passage

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers
Sacramento &
Miller Streets
Order to construct

Alderman Norcross offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

September 12, 1882.

Ordered That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby instructed to construct a common sewer in Sacramento and Miller Streets from the sewer in Beacon Street to a point in Miller Street near a private way running Northeasterly from Beacon Street, and report to this board after the completion of said sewer, the cost of the same together with a list of assessments, such as in the judgment of said committee, shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

September 12. 1882

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville Sept 12. 1882.

Sewers
Bedford Street
Proposals
Report of Committee

In Committee on Sewers September 12. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers, duly authorized by an order of this date, submits the following list of proposals which have been received to construct in Bedford Street from the sewer in South Street Southwardly, about seven of 12 inch pipe sewer with 2 manholes, the pipe to be furnished by the City.

Names of Bidders	Manholes Each	Rock excavated per cu. ft.	Laying Sr. Tax per lin. ft.	Estimated Aggregate
J. K. Tike	$40.00		$0.90	$260.00
J. Corry	41.00		0.69	218.00
Maurice Bullimer	38.00	4.00	0.60	196.00
Richard Fairey	36.00		0.57	186.00
Maurice Ivory	38.00	6.00	0.50	176.00
Charles A. Morgan	32.00	4.00	0.50	164.00
Dennis C. Connell	38.00		0.43	162.00
Patrick Ivory	30.00		0.50	120.00

and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to Patrick Ivory.

Report accepted and adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

Sewers
Belmont Street
Proposals
Report of Com

In Committee on Sewers September 12. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers duly authorized by an order of this date submits the following list of proposals which have been received to construct in Belmont Street from the end of the present sewer near Summer Street Northwestwardly about 460 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with 2 manholes, the pipe to be furnished by the City.

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Names of Bidders	Quantity Each	Price Excavated per Cu. Yd.	Laying Sewer per Cu. Ft.	Estimated Aggregate
H. H. Tike	$40.00	--	$1.25	$550.00
Charles A. Mangan	40.00	4.00	0.75	386.00
John J. Doren	45.00		0.70	370.00
Maurice Dullmer	46.00	4.00	0.69	366.00
Dennis O'Connell	43.00		0.67	354.00
Maurice Serry	44.00	6.00	0.62	336.00
Richard Talvey	38.00	3.25	0.58	308.00
Patrick Serry	42.00	4.25	0.57	300.00

and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to Patrick Ferry.

By order of the Committee

George I. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and adopted

Charles C. Gilman Clerk

Sewer Sacramento & Miller Street, Intersection Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Sewers

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers, September 12, 1882

To the Board of Aldermen

of Somerville,

The Committee on Sewers, being authorized by an order of this date, submits the following lists of proposals which have been received to construct in Sacramento and Miller Streets from the sewer in Beacon Street to a point near a private way extending Northeastwardly from Beacon Street about 200 feet of 24 + 17 inch brick sewer and 300 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with 2 manholes 2.10 inch Inlets and 16 6 inch Inlets the pipe to be furnished by the City.

Names of Bidders	Quantity Each	Price Excavated per Cu. Yd.	17 + 24 inch Brick Sewer	Laying 12" pipe sewer	6" Inlets each	10" Inlets each	Estimated Aggregate
H. H. Tike	40.00		32.72	1.00	0.15	0.25	926.90
D. O'Connell	43.00		5.00	0.65	0.25	0.28	685.56
M. Serry	42.00	6.00	2.30	0.38			658.00
J. J. Doren	41.00		.174	0.70	0.25	0.25	644.50

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Richard Fairey	40.00		1.60	0.47	0.15	0.20	$543.80
Charles A Mangan	38.00	4.00	1.50	0.53			541.00
M Bellemer	38.00	4.00	1.35	0.49	0.10	0.15	494.90
Patrick Kerry	33.25	4.00	1.30	0.28	0.20	0.35	414.40

and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to Patrick Kerry.

By order of the Committee.

(George F Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Aldermen Newell offered the following Order

City of Somerville.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

September 12, 1882.

Ordered:

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized to make contracts with Patrick Kerry for the construction of Common Sewers in Belmont Street, Bedford Street and Sacramento and Miller Streets, at the prices named in his proposals submitted in said committee's reports of this date.

J L Newell

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman, Clerk

Sewers
Belmont Street ✓
Bedford Street ✓
Sacramento ✓
Miller Street ✓
Order to contract ✓
Mr. Pelaing ✓

Report of Committee on Sewers.

City of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers September 11, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of H. M. Leach and others for a common sewer in Shammut Street, Shammut Place and Alston Street, reports that a hearing has been by this committee to all persons interested and it is hereby recommended that the prayer of the petitioners be granted. By order of the Committee.

George F Vincent Clerk. Report accepted and adopted.

Charles E Gilman City Clerk

Sewers ✓
Shammut St.
Shammut Place
Alston Street
Report of Com.

September 12, 1882

Sewers
Shawmut Pl.
Alston St.
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Report of Committee on Sewers

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers, September 11, 1882,

To the Mayor and Aldermen

of the City of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of H. M. Leach and others for the laying, making and maintaining of a Main drain or Common Sewer in Shawmut Place and Alston Street private Streets or ways of said City report as follows, namely:

That in the judgment of said Committee, the common convenience and necessity require that such Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid, made, and maintained; and to that end that the land forming said private streets or ways should be taken as aforesaid; That the said Committee viewed the premises, and caused the admeasurements and boundaries of the said land, as proposed to be taken for the purpose of laying, making, and maintaining said Main Drain or Common Sewer as aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer; said admeasurements and boundaries, the manner in which said taking shall be completed; the names of all owners of land included therein, and in any wise sustaining damage by the said taking of said land, and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners being described and specified in the Resolve and order herewith transmitted, which is made a part of this report; and the Committee also reports the accompanying Order of notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen; and Resolve and Order for the taking of said land.

By order of the Committee

Attest: George T. Vincent Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen September 12, 1882.

Accepted and adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

September 12, 1882

Alderman Nurses offered the following Order:

City of Somerville.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen September 12, 1882.

Whereas, in the opinion of the Mayor and Aldermen the public Convenience and the public health require that a Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid in Shawmut Place and Alston street, so called private ways of said city from Shawmut Street to Cross Street and that the said private streets should be taken for the purposes of said main drain or Common Sewer and have ordered that said street shall be taken, it is therefore hereby ordered that due notice, in the manner provided by law, and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville be given to Sarah C. Leach, Estate of Paine, S. Higgins, Horace D. Gove, Sylden G. Abbott, Frederick A. Chandler, John W. Brooks, Lemuel R. Bragg, J. W. Odierne, W. Freeman & W. D. Prinald, Ellen M. Randall

and all other persons and corporations interested, that it is the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said streets for the purposes of said main drain or common sewer and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby, and also that due notice be given to all persons and parties owning or having any right in estates that will be benefited by the said proposed Main Drain or Common Sewer, that it is intended to assess a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same, and of the charge not already assessed of making and repairing other main drains and common sewers through which the same may discharge upon the estates benefited, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the cost of laying Main Drains or Common Sewers, and that Tuesday the 24th day of October A.D. 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen's room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue, are assigned as the time and place for the hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen of any objections which may be made thereto.

Attest. Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

order adopted receiving its first & second reading & final passage

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers
Shawmut Pl.
Alston Street
Order for hearing

September 12. 1882

Steam Boiler
Order for hearing
on petition of G. F. Derby

Report of Committee on Fire Department
City of Somerville

In Committee on Fire Department, September 7 1882

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Fire Department to which was referred the petition of George F. Derby and Company for permission to set, keep and maintain an engine of fifty horse power and boiler or boilers for same together with necessary brick buildings and chimney for same on their land on Vernon Street between said Street and the Boston and Lowell Rail Road near Central Street reports recommending that the accompanying order of notice for a hearing before the Board of Aldermen be adopted.

By order of the Committee
George F. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Alderman Tage offered the following order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen September 12. 1882.

Ordered

That Tuesday October 10. 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen room in the City Hall be assigned as the time and place for a hearing by this board of all persons interested either for or against the petition of George F. Derby & Co. for permission to set, keep and maintain an engine of fifty horse power and a boiler or boilers for the same together with the necessary brick buildings and chimney on their land on Vernon Street between said Street and the Boston and Lowell Rail road near Central Street and the City Clerk is hereby directed to cause a copy of this order to be published in the Somerville Journal at least fourteen days before the day of said hearing in accordance with section 41 of Chapter 102 of the Public Statutes.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

September 12, 1882

In accordance with an order passed July 11, 1882, a hearing was held in reference to the petition of F. Carl for permission to use a three horse power engine with a four horse boiler in rear of dwelling number 517 Somerville Ave.

Return of City Clerk on order of notice:

This is to certify that I have caused a copy of the within order to be published in the Somerville Journal a newspaper published in said Somerville.

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

The order and return having been read and no person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Alderman Page offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen Sept 12, 1882.

Ordered:

That a License be granted to F. Carl to use a three horse power engine with a four horse power boiler in rear of dwelling number 517 Somerville Avenue, as prayed for in his petition dated June 19th, 1882.

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Steam Boiler Order to grant permit to F. Carl

Report of Committee on Fire Department

City of Somerville Sept 12, 1882

In Committee on Fire Department

September 11, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Fire Department, to which was referred the petition of Samuel Walker & Co for a License to store barrel and ship petroleum oil and its products at their place of business on Somerville Avenue, reports recommending that the prayer of the petitioners be granted on condition that the ditch now on their premises be made two feet wide at the bottom (the sides to remain sloping) as at present and extended to the wall at the Southwest corner of

License Report of Committee on petition of S. Walker & Co

September 12, 1882

of the building, the same to be done under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department.

By order of the Committee

George Stewart Clerk

Report accepted and sent down on concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

The Common Council September 14, 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Licence Petroleum Order to grant Rescind

Alderman Page offered the following order.

City of Somerville

In Board of Aldermen September 11, 1882.

Ordered.

That a licence be granted to Samuel Walker & Co to store barrel and ship petroleum and its products at their place on Somerville Avenue, on condition that the ditch now on their premises be made two feet wide at the bottom (the sides to remain sloping as at present) and extended to the wall at the southwest corner of the building, and that the same be done under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department.

Adoption of the order, revised.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewer Ashland Street Hearing on Assessments for Construction

On motion of Alderman Held

The hearing opened July 25, 1882, for all persons desiring to object to the assessment levied by the Aldermen for the construction of sewer on Ashland Street was resumed.

Charles Lincoln Esq appeared in behalf of Lemmon and objected to the amount assessed upon the Elev. of Lemmon.

It being too large in proportion to the cost of the sewer, and that the assessment was unjust and unequal.

No other person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

September 12, 1882

On motion of Alderman Weld the Resolve and order for the taking of land for the construction of a sewer in Grant Sewall Street also the order for the construction of a sewer in Grant Sewall and Temple Street was taken from the table.

The adoption of the Resolves and order for the taking of land for sewer in Grant & Sewall Street notwithstanding the Mayors objections was refused by a Yea and Nay vote.

Aldermen Nuevo, Wellington, Routstone, Desagier and Weld voting in the affirmative

Aldermen Page, Clark and Burns in the Negative

The adoption of the order for the construction of a sewer in Grant, Sewall and Temple Street notwithstanding the Mayors objections was refused by a yea & nay vote

Aldermen Nuevo, Wellington, Routstone, Desagier & Weld voting in the affirmative

Aldermen Page, Clark and Burns in the negative

Adjourned

Charles E. Gilman

Clerk

September 26. 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen.

September 26. 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen present Norcross, Wellington, Houlston, Page Clark, Burns, Durgin, and Weld present.

Clerk pro tem Election of

In the absence of the City Clerk the Mayor appointed Aldermen Norcross, and Weld a Committee to receive assort and count the votes for clerk pro tem.

and a ballot being taken the Committee reported

Whole number of Ballots 8.

Necessary for a Choice 5.

George Vincent had 8 and was elected.

The clerk pro tem was duly sworn to the faithful performance of his duties, the oath being administered by his Honor the Mayor.

The records of the last meeting was read and approved.

Steam Engine &c Hearing on Petition of Allen Bros

On the order passed August 26th for a hearing at this S. P. M. & all persons interested either for or against, the petition of Allen Brothers for permission to locate and use a Steam engine and boiler in a building to be erected on land named by the Eastern Railway Company for manufacturing purposes and directing the City Clerk to cause said order to be published according to law, the City Clerk made the following return.

Somerville September 22. 1882.

This is to certify that I have caused a copy of the within order to be published in the Somerville Journal a newspaper published in said Somerville as directed

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

A hearing was accordingly given as above recited. No person interested appearing the hearing was closed.

September 26, 1882

A Communication was received from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department recommending that appointments be made as follows — Fire Dep. — Firemen appointed

Frank A. Lewis to be assistant Foreman of Hose Company no One in place of Charles P. Hartin resigned

Oscar J. Lingley to be a member of Hook and Ladder Company no One to fill a vacancy.

The appointments as recommended were made by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Communication from Selectmen of Medford — Town Lines

Perambulation of Lines — Communication from Selectmen of Medford

Medford September 15, 1882.

To the Mayor and Aldermen of Somerville

Gentlemen

The Selectmen of Medford have appointed the 30th day of September, inst. for the purpose of perambulating the town lines, and will meet you at the boundary line on Mystic Avenue at 2 o'clock for that purpose. The Selectmen of Medford have appointed Aldermen Dingen and Wellington a Committee with the City Clerk and City Engineer to meet the selectmen of Medford at the time and place above mentioned in this communication for the purpose of perambulating the boundary lines between the town of Medford and this City.

Charles J. Gilman Clerk

Notices of Intention to Build were received as follows — Intentions to Build permits granted

Henry C. Hathaway — dwelling house — Pembroke Street

Wm. Reading — addition to stable — Broadway

Joseph N. Sidney — to dwelling house — Medford St.

George W. Lake — Two dwelling houses — Hawkins Street

Thomas Keane — Ovoise building — Somerville Ave.

Wm. B. Holmes — Two dwelling houses — Homer Square

George W. Lake — two-double dwelling houses — Hawkins Street

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Wm Smith .. Four brick houses Chauncey Ave
Wm Smith Two " " " "
all of the above notices having been approved by the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department the permits were granted.

Horse Railroads
Louis E Merry et al
petition of

The petition of Louis E Merry and others that this board will take such action as will stop the running of cars by the Union Railroad Company through that portion of Louis Street where there is no tracks and where the location of tracks was recently refused by this Board.
Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk ———
In Board of Common Council September 28, 1882.
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Removal of Trees
Orchard Street
Petition of A. A. Smith

Petition of A. A. Smith for the removal of trees on Orchard Street and liberty to set out others.
Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
——— George I Vincent Clerk pro tem.
In Common Council September 28, 1882.
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets
Belmont Street
petition for acceptance

Petition of George I. Damon and others for the laying out of Belmont Street from Summer Street to Highland Avenue.
Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
——— George I Vincent Clerk pro tem.
In Common Council September 28
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk

September 26, 1882.

Petition of J. G. Smith & others for a Sewer in Jaques Street and Chauncey Avenue. Referred to the Committee on Sewers. — George Vincent Clerk pro tem.	Sewer. Jaques & Chauncey St. petition for
Petition of Jos. W. Guernsey for permission to repair his mill recently burned on the corner of Concord Avenue and Wister Avenue. Referred to the chairman of Committee on Fire Department and Highways. — George Vincent Clerk pro tem.	J. W. Guernsey. Petition for permit to repair mill.
Petition of John O. Brien & others for a hearing to remonstrate against rebuilding of the Somerville Power Mill on the corner of Prospect Street and Wister Avenue. Referred to the Chairman of the Committee on Fire Department and Highways. — George Vincent Clerk pro tem.	Remonstrance of J. O. Brien & others against petition of J. W. Guernsey and asking for a hearing.
Petition of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Company for leave to close up Cross Street or Walnut Street or both while rebuilding the bridges over their railroad at these points. Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. — George Vincent Clerk pro tem. In Common Council September 28 1882. Concurred in. — Douglas Frazar Clerk.	Railroad. Petition of B. & L. Road for permit to close Cross Walnut Street.
Petition of J. Richardson and others for the acceptance of Lowell Street, North of Summer Street and Boston Ave. as public highways. Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. — George Vincent Clerk pro tem. In Common Council September 28 1882. Concurred in. — Douglas Frazar Clerk.	Streets. Lowell Street petition for acceptance

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Sewers Catch Basins (Vinal) Avenue Petitions for	Petition of Fairey & Vinal and others that catch basins be constructed on both sides of Vinal Avenue. Referred to the Committee on Sewers.
Sewer Irving Place	Petition of Daniel F. Sanborn and another that a sewer may be constructed in Irving Place. Referred to the Committee on Sewers.
Sewer assessments Petition of L. Lemmon for abatement	The petition of Daniel L. Lemmon for an abatement of a sewer tax assessed upon his estate for the construction of a sewer on Highland Street. Referred to the Committee on Sewers.
Remonstrance of James Gaillety against Locke & Co. exciting stable	The remonstrance of James Gaillety against erection of a stable by Locke & Co. against two of his dwelling houses. Referred to the Chairman of the Committee on Fire Department and Highways.
Telephone Petition of Suburban Telephone Com. To erect Poles	Petition of Suburban Telephone Company. To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of Somerville. The undersigned respectfully pray that they may be allowed to erect poles for carrying wires on Medford Street from Marshall Street to Central Street, on Central Street to Highland Avenue on Highland Avenue to West Somerville. Suburban Telephone Company. J. B. Goodwin, General Supt. Referred to the Committee on Highways. George Thorndike Clerk pro tem.
Telephone Petition of Suburban Telephone Company for permit to erect poles	Petition of Suburban Telephone Company. Boston, September 26, 1882. To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of Somerville, the "Suburban Telephone Company" a corporation organized under the laws of Mass. respectfully request permission to set a line of poles for Telephone purposes from School

Street on Highland Avenue to Belmont Street, thence on Belmont Street to Summer Street, thence on Summer Street to W. Somerville Elm Street.
Where there are fire alarm poles, in the proposed route the petitioners will set new and larger poles reserving the top arm for fire alarm purposes.
Sincerely Telephone Company
J. B. Gardner, General Superintendent
Referred to the Committee on Highways
George Thurcent Clerk pro tem.

The Mayor appointed C. T. Ko and to be a measurer of Grains, and the appointment was confirmed by the Board of Aldermen. — Public Weigher appointment of

Alderman Page offered the following order:
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
September 26, 1882.

Ordered:
That permission be given to Allen Brothers to locate and use a Steam Engine of fifteen horse power, and a boiler in a building on land of the Eastern Hair Hood Company to be used for manufacturing purposes.
Order adopted. George Thurcent Clerk pro tem. — Steam Boiler permit to Allen Bros. to locate & use

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways Sept. 13, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Michael Cannaford and others for the acceptance of Norfolk Street reports that the petitioners have failed to file with the City a plan and agreement as required by ordinance and therefore recommend that they be granted leave to withdraw. By order of the Committee
George Thurcent Clerk. — Streets Norfolk Street acceptance of Report of Committee

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In Common Council 6 pt. 24. 1882 Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Report accepted and adopted and sent down for Concurrence — George I. Vincent — Clerk pro tem.

Claims
Report of Com on petition of John Lorden

Report of Committee on Claims.
September 21. 1882.
In Committee on Claims September 23. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Claims, to which it was referred the petition of John Lorden a compensation for injuries received by the caving of the embankment of a sewer trench in which he was at work in Allen Street on the seventh of July last recommend that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.
By order of the Committee.
George I. Vincent Clerk.
Accepted adopted and sent down for concurrence
George I. Vincent Clerk pro tem.
In Common Council September 28. 1882.
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Ordinances
Say Pistol
Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Ordinances.
City of Somerville
In Committee on Ordinances. September 26. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Ordinances, which was instructed by an order dated in Common Council July 25. 1882, to report to the City Council an ordinance prohibiting the sale and use of the "Say Pistol" so called with penalty for violation of same reports and recommends for adoption the accompanying draft of an Ordinance.
By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent Clerk
Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
George I. Vincent Clerk pro tem.
In Common Council September 28. 1882.
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

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Ordinance No. 33.
Toy Pistol

Ordinance No. 33. Toy Pistol

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Somerville as follows:

Section 1.

No person shall hereafter, within the limits of this City, manufacture, sell, expose for sale, give away, use or discharge or permit any child, minor or ward over whom he has control to use or discharge, the toy cartridge pistol or any blank cartridge made of explosive compounds other than gunpowder.

Section 2.

Any person who shall violate the foregoing section shall be liable to a fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

In Board of Aldermen September 26, 1882.

Received its first and second reading and passage to be ordered, and sent down in concurrence.

George Vincent Clerk pro tem.

In Common Council September 28, 1882.

Received its first and second reading and passage to be ordered in concurrence.

Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Report of Committee on Highways

Report of Committee on petition of H. B. Selion & others

City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways September 13, 1882.

To the City Council of Somerville.

The Committee on Highways, to which was referred the petition of H. B. Selion and others that permission be granted to the

Willow Bridge Evangelical Mission to place a Chapel on the City's land on Broadway near the corner of Cedar Street reports that this Committee gave the desired permission but the petition is did not await themselves of it but placed their chapel on other land it is therefore hereby recommended that they be granted leave to withdraw.

By order of the Committee, George Vincent Clerk

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Report accepted and adopted and sent down for concurrence. — George I. Vincent Clerk pro tem.
In Common Council September 28, 1882.
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Streets Crossing Perkins St. Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville.
In Committee on Highways September 15, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on highways to which was referred the petition of John F. Hughes and others for a street crossing on Perkins Street at the easterly terminus of Myrtle Street recommends that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.
By order of the Committee.
George I. Vincent Clerk.
Accepted and adopted and sent down for concurrence.
George I. Vincent Clerk pro tem.
In Common Council September 28, 1882.
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Streets Street Crossings Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville.
In Committee on Highways September 16, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on highways to which were referred the the following named petitions for street crossings, reports that the crossings have been laid as prayed for:
Petition of Leda F. Mayo and others for a crossing across Washington Street near Linwood Street and Medford Street.
Petition of W. J. Taylor and others for a crossing across Somerville Avenue opposite Loring Street.
Petition of Richard Dowd and others for a crossing across Washington Street at the foot of Florence Street.
Petition of C. Williams Jr. and others for a crossing across across Lincoln Street opposite Arlington Street.

Petition of C. W. Kingsley and others for a crossing across Orchard Street on the West side of Chester Street
(Petition of Fort Howes and others for crossing across Chester Avenue opposite Everett Street)
— By order of the Committee —
— George I. Vincent Clerk —
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence
— George I. Vincent —
— Clerk pro Tem. —
In Common Council September 28, 1882.
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Report of Committee on Highways
— City of Somerville —
In Committee on Highways September 15, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville —
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of J. F. Hilmer and others for street crossings on the easterly side of Day Street at its junction with Orchard and Sherwin Streets and across the head of Day Street on Elm Street reports that the crossings have been laid at Sherwin Street and on Elm Street as prayed for and recommends on the petition for a crossing at Orchard Street that the petitioners have leave to withdraw. George I. Vincent Clerk.
Accepted adopted and sent down for concurrence
— George I. Vincent Clerk pro tem —
In Common Council September 28, 1882 —
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Streets
Crossings.
Report of Committee on Petition of J. F. Hilmer et al

Report of Committee on Highways —
— City of Somerville —
In Committee on Highways September 15, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville —
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of James Crean and others that Lincoln Street be repaired and a sidewalk made on the northerly side

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Lincoln Street
Report of Com.

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Thereof reports that the repairs and sidewalks have been made as prayed for.

By order of the Committee

George Vincent Clerk

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.

George Vincent Clerk pro tem

In Common Council Sept. 25, 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets
Driveways
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways

City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways September 15 1882

To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which were referred the following named petitions for driveways reports that the driveways have been constructed as prayed for at costs as stated below to be paid for by the petitioners to wit:

Petition of Herman M. Spaulding for a driveway at his residence on Everett Avenue — cost $6.00

Petition of Michael Moran for a driveway at his residence on Brown & Spring Streets — cost $3.00

Petition of E. A. Morrison for a driveway at his residence on Dover Street — Cost $5.50

Petition of George Wilder for the repairing of a driveway at his stable on Cutler Street — Cost $5.34

Petition of J. Armstrong & Co. for a driveway on Somerville Avenue between Samuel Walker & Co. premises and the Boston and Albany Railroad — Cost $20.71

By order of the Committee

George Vincent Clerk

accepted and sent down for concurrence

George Vincent Clerk pro tem

In Common Council September 28 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

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Report of Committee on Highways
—— City of Somerville ——
In Committee on Highways Sept 15. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville:
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of J. Frank Miles, and M. E. Hawes for the removal of certain shade trees opposite their residences on Marshall Street reports that the trees have been removed as prayed &c.
—— By order of the Committee ——
—— (Geo. Vincent Clerk) ——
Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
—— Geo. Vincent Clerk ——
In Common Council, September 25. 1882.
Concurred in —— (Douglas Frazar Clerk)

Streets
Shade Trees
removal of
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways.
—— City of Somerville ——
In Committee on Highways September 15. 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville:
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of John Hines for the repairing of the brick sidewalks adjoining his premises on Harvard and Summer streets reports that the repairs prayed for have been made.
—— By order of the Committee Geo. Vincent Clerk.
Upon Accepted —— Geo. Vincent Clerk pro tem

Sidewalks
Harvard Summer &c
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways ——
—— City of Somerville ——
In Committee on Highways September 15. 1882. ——
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville. ——
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of John Redina for a brick sidewalk at his premises corner of Broadway and Cross Street reports that instead of a brick sidewalk, edgestones have been furnished by the petitioner and set by this committee and the walk has been covered with gravel, and it is therefore recommended that the petitioner be

Sidewalks
Broadway & Cross St
Report of Committee

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granted leave to withdraw his petition for a brick sidewalk

By order of the Committee

George I. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted and adopted

George I. Vincent Clerk pro tem.

Sidewalks Washington Street Report of Committee on petition of S. A. Butler & others

Report of Committee on Highways

City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways, September 15, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville:

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of S. A. Butler and others for edgestones and a brick or gravel sidewalk on Washington Street Street between Sinwood and Jay Streets recommends that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw

By Order of the Committee

(George I. Vincent Clerk)

Report accepted and adopted

George I. Vincent Clerk pro tem.

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Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen.
October 10. 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Mercer, Wellington, Rowlstone, Clark, Burns, Burgin, & Weil present.

Record of last meeting read and approved.

Petition of R. L. Stevens for Street Lamp on Day Street referred to Committee on Street Lights and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council October 12. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Street Lights petition of R. L. Stevens

Petition of Jerrish & James for permission to render grease and make soap in Building on Columbia Street. Referred to the Committee on Licenses.

Licenses petition of J. K. James for [illegible] to render grease

Petition of Richard Talley for a driveway on Rush Street referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for Concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council October 12, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Meets petition of Talley for driveway

Report of Chief of Police.
Received and read for information

Police Report of Chief

Notice of Jerrish & James Intention to build on Columbia Street Received to the Chairman of Committee on Fire Department and Highways

Notice of J. K. James Intention to Build

Notice of Boeder & Cutler Intention to erect Four Dwelling on Boston Avenue
Referred to the Chairman of Committee on Fire Department and Highways

Intention to Build notice of Boeder

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Intention to Build Permits granted	Notice of Intention to build permits granted Michael Garvin — Tapiar Street ✓ John C. Ellis — Corner of Webster & Cross Street ✓ P. Stickerson — Broadway ✓ H. B. Bowden — Quincy Street ✓
Street Lights Petition of Wm Reazie	Petition of William Reazie for a Street Lamp on Hunnewell Side Avenue. Referred to the Committee on Street Lights with full powers sent down for concurrence Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council October 12, 1882 Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.
Street Lights Petition of Wm Cummings for removal Lamp	Petition of John P. Cummings for removal of a Street Lamp in front of his estate on Wallace Street Referred to Committee on Street Lights and sent down for concurrence — Charles E. Gilman Clerk In Common Council October 12, 1882. Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk
Street Lights Petition of E. Walker for Street Lamp on Pleasant Avenue	Petition of Elijah Walker and others for a Street Lamp on Pleasant Avenue Referred to Committee on Street Lights and sent down for concurrence — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
Streets Petition for discontinuance of Driveways	Petition of John C. Ellis for the discontinuance of a driveway front of his estate corner of Cross and Webster Streets Referred to the Committee on Driveways and sent down for concurrence — Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council October 12 1882. Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk.
Notice of L. F. Hulsman Intention to Build	Notice of L. F. Hulsman Intention to build on Mount Vernon Street — Permit granted

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Notice of George Whitcher claim for damages

Claims notice of G. Whitcher

I George W. Whitcher of Boston in the County of Suffolk do hereby give notice that on the first day of September 1882 at about 7 o'clock in the afternoon received injuries to my person and property on Washington street at or near the Boston and Lowell Hard Bridge over said Washington Street that said injuries were caused by an accident (or defect in and upon said street, the defect being an embankment, obstruction and other defects in said street, but I claim damages from said city therefor and this notice is filed with the purpose of claiming such damages and in accordance with the law in such cases made and provided. George W. Whitcher

Received to the Committee on Claims and sent down for Concurrence _____ Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

In Common Council October 12, 1882.

Concurred in _____ Douglas Frazar, Clerk.

Preambulation of boundary lines between Medford and Somerville.

Street Lines Preambulation of between Somerville and Medford

With the Assessors, Street Men of Medford and a Committee of the City of Somerville, have this day according to appointment preambulated the lines between the said Medford and Somerville which are described as follows.

Beginning at a point in the Centre of Mystic River said point being on a line with two stone monuments hereinafter mentioned, marked M.S.1 and M.S.3 respectively, thence south-west to a stone monument marked M.S. Bitty Line standing on the Northerly side of Mystic Avenue, thence in the same course to a stone monument marked M.S.1, standing on the Southerly side of the former site of the Mystic Canal, thence in the same course to a stone monument marked M.S.2. standing on the northerly side of Main street, thence in the same course to a stone monument marked M.S.3. standing on the northerly side of Broadway formerly known as the Winter Hill Road said stone monument being 111 rods

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from the stone monument marked M.S.1 herein before mentioned; thence North 57° West to a stone monument marked M.S.2 standing at the intersection of Medford and Tufts Street; thence in the same course to a stone monument marked M.S.3 standing on the easterly side of a street known as Cobbins Street in Medford; thence in the same course to a stone monument marked M.S.4 standing in the "Cattle Yards" on land of the heirs of Charles Tufts said stone monument being 224 rods distant from the stone monument marked M.S.3 herein before mentioned; thence North 47° West 25 rods to a stone monument marked M.S.5 standing near an Elm tree on land of said Tufts heirs; thence North 25° West 22 rods to a stone monument marked M.S.6 standing on the easterly side of a street known in the Town of Medford as Harvard Street, and in the City of Somerville as Elm Street; thence North 22° West 20½ rods to a stone monument marked M.S.7 standing in a lane of land of the said Tufts heirs; thence North 8° East 4.9 rods to a stone monument marked M.S.8 standing on land of said Tufts heirs; thence North 57° West to a stone monument marked M.S.9 standing on the easterly side of College (Avenue); thence in the same course to a stone monument marked M.S.9 standing in the grounds of Tufts College and on the southerly side of College (Hill) said stone monument being 10½ rods distant from monument M.S.8; thence South 33½ West 5 rods to a stone monument marked M.S.10 standing in said college grounds; thence North 57° West 41 rods to a stone monument marked M.S.11 standing in said College Grounds on the Westerly side of Packard Street; thence North 27° East 8 rods to a stone monument marked M.S.12 standing in said college grounds on the Westerly side of said Packard Street; thence North 56° West 44 rods to a stone monument marked M.S.13 standing in said college grounds on the Easterly side of Curtis Street; thence North 35° East 23 rods to a stone monument marked M.S.14 standing on the easterly side of a street known in the Town of Medford as South Street and in the City of Somerville as Curtis Street; thence North 47° West 43½ rods to a stone monument marked M.S.15

standing in the northwesterly corner of land of Samuel Seel thence North 33° West 17½ rods to a stone monument marked M.S. standing in the easterly corner of the estate of William O. Russell; thence north 38° West 44 rods to a stone monument marked M.S. 17. Standing on the easterly side of a street or way known in the town of Medford as West Street and in the City of Somerville as North Street thence north 35½ East following the easterly side of said street 39½ rods to a stone monument marked M.S. 18. thence North 57° West 33 rods to a stone monument marked M.S. 19. Standing in the wall on the westerly corner of land of Thomas Martin thence North 44° East to a stone monument marked M.S. 19. Standing in the northerly side of Boston Avenue; thence in the same course to a stone monument marked M.S. 20. said stone monument being 70 rods distant from the stone monument marked M.S. 19 and within 14 rods of the outside wall of the northeasterly track of the Boston and Lowell Railroad; thence in the same course crossing said Railroad to the centre of the said Mystic River.

John H. Cooper, Joshua S. Foster, Thomas B. Dill
For Town of Medford.

W. H. Durgin, J. F. Wellington, G. F. Kimball
Medford Sep. 30. 1882. For City of Somerville.

Received and read for information
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

John H. T. Stevens, and Charles B. Wyatt were drawn as jurors to the Superior Court to be holden at Lowell on third Monday of October 1882. — Jurors ✓

Report of Committee on Fire Department — Fire Dept ✓
In Committee on Fire Department October 4. 1882. — Report of Com. Fire alarm.
To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Fire Department, to which was referred the petition of Nicholas Fleming and others that a fire alarm box be erected at the corner of Kent street and Beacon street, reports that a fire alarm box has been erected as

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prayed for in said petition.

By order of the Committee

George Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council October 12, 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Printing: Petition of Ordinance Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Printing

City of Somerville

In Committee on Printing October 4 1882.

To the City Council of Somerville:

The Committee on Printing, to which was referred the petition of the Inspector of Buildings that the Building Ordinance of the City of Somerville be printed in pamphlet form for distribution to mechanics, report that five hundred copies of Ordinances number 19 and 20 entitled, respectively "Construction of Buildings" and "Inspection of Buildings", have been printed at a cost of fifteen dollars, and placed in the City Hall for distribution.

By order of the Committee

George Vincent Clerk

Report accepted sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Ordinances: Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Ordinances.

City of Somerville

In Committee on Printing October 4 1882.

To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Printing which was instructed by an order dated in Board of Aldermen March 14 1882, to have printed a suitable number of the Ordinances of this City together with the City Charter and acts in amendment thereof, reports that 676 copies of the Ordinances numbered from 1 to 31 inclusive have been printed together with the City

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Charter and other acts of the Legislature relating to this city, and the rules and orders of the City Government at a cost of three hundred and twenty five and 22/100 dollars ($325.22/100)

By order of the Committee

George T. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council October 19, 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Report of Committee on Sewers — Sewers

City of Somerville — Report of Committee on petition of R. J. Parker Trustee

In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882.

To the Board of Mitigation of Somerville:

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of R. J. Parker Trustee of the State of Sewer Sewers against the continued discharge of the Canal Street Sewer: when his land, reports that in the judgment of this Committee it is inexpedient to take any action in the matter.

By order of the Committee

George T. Vincent Clerk

In Board of Mitigation Report accepted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Report of Committee on Sewers — Sewers

City of Somerville — Contracts

In Committee Sewers October 4, 1882. — Report of Committee

The Committee on Sewers reports that in accordance with orders dated respectively June 27, July 25, August 21, and September 12, contracts for the construction of common sewers have been made as follows.

With Richard Sainey for Sewers in Mount Vernon Street, John Leroy Jaques and Bond Street, Patrick Henry Joy and Washington Street, Charles P. Mangan College Avenue, Patrick Henry Belmont Street, Bedford Street and Sacramento and Miller Streets. By order of the Committee

George T. Vincent Clerk

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In Board of Aldermen Report accepted
Charles E. Gilman, Clerk

Sewers
Catch Basin in Somerville Ave
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville.

In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville;
The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of J. C. Barnes to give a catch Basin in Somerville Avenue near the North Cambridge line, reports that a catch Basin has been constructed as prayed for at a cost of $74.29/100.

By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent, Clerk.

Report accepted. Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

Sewers
Catch Basin Berkeley Street
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers.
City of Somerville.

In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.
The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Mary E. Barnes and others for a catch Basin in Berkeley Street reports that a catch Basin has been constructed as prayed for at a cost of $58.52/100.

By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent, Clerk.

Report accepted. Charles E. Gilman, Clerk

Sewers
Report of Committee on petition of F. C. Reed

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville.

In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.
The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of F. C. Reed and others for the discontinuance of the discharge of sewerage upon their land in Mystic Avenue opposite Winthrop Avenue reports that in the judgment of this Committee it is inexpedient to take any

petition in the matter

By order of the Committee

(Geo. T. Vincent Clerk)

In Board of Aldermen Report accepted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Report of Committee on Sewers — Sewers

(City of Somerville) — Report of Committee on petition of Union Hall Company

In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of the Somerville Union Hall Co. that the Catch Basin at the corner of Union Square and Washington street, in front of said Company's building be moved to a more suitable location recommends that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw

By order of the Committee

(Geo. T. Vincent Clerk)

Report accepted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Report of Committee on Sewers — Sewers

(City of Somerville) — Report of Com. on Petition of S. Dennison

In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of Daniel S. Dennison for an abatement of his assessment for the sewer in Ashland Street Reports that in the judgment of this Committee no abatement should be made from said assessment and it is hereby recommended that the petitioner be granted leave to withdraw

By order of the Committee

(Geo. T. Vincent Clerk)

In Board of Aldermen Report accepted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

October 10, 1882

Sewers
Report of Com. on petition of A. Fitch for catch basin on Office Street

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of A. Fitch for Catch Basin in Office Street recommend that the petitioner be granted leave to withdraw.

By order of the Committee
George Vincent Clerk

Report accepted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers
Canal Street
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of George W. Burrows and others for the extension of the Canal Street sewer for the purpose of abating a nuisance at its outlet report that the ditch at the outlet of said sewer has been cleaned, and in the opinion of this Committee the nuisance complained of has been abated, and it is therefore recommended that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw

By order of the Committee
George Vincent Clerk

Report accepted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

October 10, 1882

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen
of Somerville
The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of Charles S. Morgan and others for a Sewer in Porter Street and Braston Avenue that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.
By order of the Committee
George J. Vincent Clerk.
Report accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers
Report of Committee on petition of C. Morgan and others.

Report of Committee on Sewers.
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Wm. E. Hawes and others for a sewer in "Winthrop Avenue" recommends that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.
By order of the Committee
George J. Vincent Clerk.
Report accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers
Winthrop Ave
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers.
In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Patrick Kearney and others for a catch basin in Allen Street recommends that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.
By order of the Committee
George J. Vincent Clerk.
Report accepted.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers
Catch Basin
Report of Committee on petition of Kearney

October 10, 1882

Sewers
Jaques Street
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers.
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen
of Somerville
The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Theophilus G. Smith, and others for a common sewer in Jaques Street from Wheatland Street to Chauncey Avenue thence in Chauncey Avenue in a southwesterly direction 230 feet recommends that the prayer of the petition be granted
By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent Clerk.
Report accepted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers
Crescent Street
Report of Com

Report of Committee on Sewers.
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Sewers, to which was referred the petition of S. D. Kelly and others, for a common sewer in Crescent Street reports that a sewer to drain said street must be laid from the main sewer in Washington street Somerville through Cambridge street and Crescent street in the City of Boston, and Crescent Street in this City and as such a sewer cannot be laid legally without a special act of the Legislature it is hereby recommended that his honor the Mayor be instructed to petition the next Legislature for the passage of such an act.
By Order of the Committee
George I. Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and adopted.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

October 10, 1882

Alderman Reeves offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
October 10, 1882.

Order
Mayor to Petition
Legislature for
special act to lay
sewer in Crescent St.

Ordered

That his honor the Mayor be and is hereby instructed, to petition the next Legislature for the passage of an act, authorizing the Board of Aldermen of the city of Somerville, to construct and maintain a common sewer from the main sewer in Washington street in this City, thence in Cambridge and Crescent streets, in the City of Boston, and in Crescent street in this city and to lay assessments for the construction of said sewer upon the estates in Somerville benefited thereby.

J. L. Reeves

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council October 17, 1882.

Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.

Douglas Frazar Clerk

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

Telephone Co.
Report of Committee

In Committee on Highways October 7, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of the Suburban Telephone Co. for permission to set telephone poles from Marshall street, thence on Medford street, Central street and Highland Avenue, to West Somerville, recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.

By order of the Committee

George T. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

October 10, 1882

Telephone
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways October 7, 1882,
To the Board of Aldermen
of Somerville:
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of the Suburban Telephone Co. for permission to set telephone poles from Sohn street, thence in Highland Avenue, Belmont Street, and Summer street to Elm Street, recommends that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.
By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent Clerk.
Report accepted.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Streets
Report of Committee
petition of Boston & Lowell Rail Road Co

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways October 7, 1882,
To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of the Boston and Lowell Railroad Co. for leave to close Cross street or Walnut street, or both, to public travel during the rebuilding of the bridges over their railroad at these points, report that in the judgment of this Committee it is inexpedient to grant the petition, until the railroad Company shall have filed with this City a plan of said proposed building of bridges
By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent Clerk,
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council October 12, 1882,
Concurred in
Douglas Frazar Clerk

October 10, 1882

Alderman Lunger offered the following Order — Telephone Order granting Locations

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen October 10 1882.

Ordered

That additional locations be granted to the Suburban Telephone Company as follows.

On the northerly side of Medford street from Marshall street to Central street.

On the westerly side of Central street from Medford street to Highland Avenue, and

On the northerly side of Highland Avenue from Central street to Davis Square.

Said locations being granted upon the same terms and conditions as stipulated in an order passed by this board June 27th 1882, granting locations to said Company.

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Petition of L. F. Huisman for permit to set the end of a building now being erected by him on Mount Vernon Street on the line of the Street. — Streets — Petition of L. F. Huisman

was referred to the committee on Intentions to build.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Report of Committee on Intentions to build — Intentions to Build — Report of Committee on petition of L. F. Huisman

In Committee on Intentions to Build October 10 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Intentions to build to which was referred the petition of Lewis F. Huisman for a permit to set the end of a building now being erected by him on Mount Vernon Street on the line of the street, recommends that a permit be granted with a provision that no part of the building shall project into or over the street.

George Clement Clerk for the Committee

In Board of Aldermen

Acceptance of order refused.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

October 10, 1882

Streets
Line Street
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways
To the City Council of Somerville.
In Committee on Highways, September 13, 1881
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of James Delaney and others that Line Street be repaired and a sidewalk made on the northerly side thereof reports that the repairs and sidewalk have been made as prayed for.
By order of the Committee.
George F. Vincent Clerk.
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council October 13, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Fire Department
Report of Chief

Report of Chief Engineer of Fire Department for the months of July August and September was received and read for information and sent down to Council Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council October 12, 1882.
Received and read for information
Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Fire Department
Discharge of Firemen

Communication from Chief Engineer of Fire Department. Discharge of Firemen
To his honor the Mayor and Aldermen
Gentlemen
I respectfully recommend that Daniel Brooks and Robert C. Selden be discharged from Hose Co. No. 5, by their own request. James R. Hopkins
Chief of Fire Department.
Received and discharge granted.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

October 10, 1882

Report of City Treasurer on the issue of Bonds 1882.
—— City of Tomorrow October 10, 1882.
To the Honorable the Mayor and City Council
of the City of Tomorrow.

Treasurer V
Treasurer's Report

Gentlemen

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Ordinance No. 4, the undersigned hereunto submits the following report of bonds issued October 2, 1882, in pursuance of an order of the City Council passed the 13th day of Jan. 1882.

City Loan Bond No. 462 &c. —— $7,000 ——
payable April 1st 1883, with interest at 5% per annum payable April 1st and October 1st Coupons No. 1 to 3 inclusive $105.00 each

City Loan Bond No. 463 &c. —— 45,000 ——
payable April 1st 1893 with interest at 5% per annum payable April 1st and October 1st Coupons No. 1 to 25 inclusive $1125.00 each

City Loan Bond No. 464 &c. —— 9,000 ——
payable April 1st 1893 with interest at 5% per annum payable April 1st and October 1st Coupons No. 1 to 25 inclusive $50.00 each

Water Loan Bond No. 157 &c. —— 6,500 ——
payable April 1st 1903 with interest at 5% per annum payable April 1st and October 1st Coupons No. 1 to 45 inclusive $102.50 each.

Water Loan Bond No. 158 &c. —— 4,000 ——
payable April 1st 1903 with interest at 5% per annum payable April 1st and October 1st Coupons No. 1 to 45 inclusive $25.00 each.

October 10, 1882

Total amount issued October 2, 1882 — $61,500.00

" " " July 1, 1882, for current expenses 121,000

Making the total amounts issued in 1882, authorized by the order of June 15th 1882, $132,500

The above mentioned bonds being issued for the purpose of providing for the payment of the following maturities of 1882.

City Loan Bond	No. 1	17,500
do	No. 3-4	10,000
do	No. 5-6	20,000
Water Loan Bond	No. 12	50,000
do	No. 13	40,000
City Loan Bonds	No. 8-10	20,000
do	No. 9	5,000
do	No. 11-12	10,000
Sidewalk Loan Bond	No. 10	10,000
Total		$182,000

Respectfully submitted

John F. Cole Treasurer

Received, read and sent down for information

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council October 12, 1882

Received and read for information

Douglas Frazar Clerk

Railroads Communication from Boston & L.R.R. Co

Communication from the Boston & Lowell R.R. Company

To the City Government

of Somerville

The Boston and Lowell Railroad Corporation desire to secure their rights to be allowed to cross the public travel Cross Street, a Walnut Street at Lime where they rebuild the bridges over their Railroad at these points and respectfully ask a speedy reply in view of the approaching lateness of the season for such work. Boston & Lowell R.R. Corporation

By L. Sherman Manager

Referred to the Committee on Highways sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

October 10, 1882

In Common Council October 12, 1882,
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

In accordance with an order passed Sept 12, 1882, a hearing was held of all persons interested either for or against the petition of George H. Forbyrle for permission to set keep and maintain an Engine of fifty horse power and a boiler or boilers for the same on their land on Bernon Street. No person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Steam Engine hearing on petition of G. H. Forbyrle

Aldermen Hill Stone offered the following order
——— City of Somerville ———
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen ———
——— October 10, 1882.

Ordered that permission be given to George H. Forbyrle and Company to set, keep, and maintain an engine of fifty horse power and a boiler or boilers for the same, at their premises on Bernon Street near Central Street in this City ——— Thomas H. Hill Stone

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted ———
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Steam Engine in order granting permit to G. H. Forbyrle

Aldermen Wilmington offered the following order
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
——— October 10, 1882, ———

Ordered
That that part of Cross Street Extending from Medford Street to Rush Street the same hearing been laid out, by an order of the City Council passed September 27, 1881, be hereafter called and is hereby named Thorpe Hill Avenue.
Order adopted and sent down for concurrence.

——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk ———

Starts
Order to change name of Cross Extension

October 10, 1882

Unfinding of Bridge petition of H. Huisman

Petition of H. F. Huisman

Somerville October 10, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen

of the City of Somerville

The undersigned respectfully petitions your Honorable body that he may be allowed to construct the foundation of a building, to be erected by him at the corner of Perkins and Mt. Vernon Street, so that said foundation shall project under the sidewalk on said Mt. Vernon Street to the distance of two inches, and to construct the cornice of said building so that the same shall project over the line of the sidewalk of said Mt. Vernon Street not more than eight inches the wall of said building to be on the line of said street. H. F. Huisman

In Board of Aldermen petition granted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers

James Street

Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers.

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers October 4, 1882.

To the Mayor and Aldermen

of the City of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of H. J. Smith and others for the laying out, making and maintaining one or more main drains or common sewers in Jaques Street or private street or way of said city, which is a second manner.

That in the judgment of said Committee, the common convenience and necessity require that such main drain or common sewer should be laid, made and maintained; and to that end the land lying said private street or way should be taken as aforesaid; that the said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurements and boundaries of the said land as proposed to be taken for the purpose of laying, making and maintaining said main drain or common sewer as aforesaid to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer said admeasurements and boundaries the manner in which said taking has been committed, the names of all owners of land included therein and in any wise sustaining damage.

by the said taking of said land, and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, being described and specified in the Resolve and Order herewith transmitted, which is made a part of this Report; and the Committee also reports the accompanying Order of notice for hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and Resolve and Order for the taking of said land.

Brewster of the Committee.

Attest, Grace Stimpson.

Clerk of Committee.

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Alderman Newness offered the following Order.

City of Somerville.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

October 10, 1882.

Whereas, in the opinion of the Mayor and Aldermen the public convenience and the public health require that a main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid in Jaques Street, so called (a private way of said city) from Wheatland Street to Chauncey Avenue and that the said private street should be taken for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer and have entered that said street shall be taken, it is therefore hereby ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville be given to Hannah Bennett, Irwin M. Bennett, Josiah L. Bennett and all other persons and corporations interested, that it is the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said street for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common Sewer, and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby and also that due notice be given to all persons and parties owning or having any rights in estates that will be benefited by the said proposed Main Drain or Common Sewer, that it is the intention to assess a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same and of the charge not already assessed of making and repairing the Main Drains or Common Sewers through which the same may

Grovers

Jaques Street

Order for hearing

October 10, 1882

[illegible] upon the [illegible] benefited under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the cost of laying Main Drains & Common Sewers and that Tuesday the 14th day of November A.D. 1882 at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue are assigned as the time and place for the hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen of every [illegible] which may be made thereto.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

Order adopted [illegible] its first and second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Adjourned

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

October 14 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
October 14 1882.
Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Warren, Wellington Mowlstone, Clark, Burns
Darwin and Weld present.

Petition of Michael E. Flynn for a license to lay private drains to connect with the City Sewers Referred to the Committee on Sewers. Charles E. Gilman Clerk	Sewers petition M. E. Flynn for permit to lay private drains
Notice of Charles E. Giles Intention to build additions to building on 33 Webster Street permit granted	Intention Build C. E. Giles
Petition of W. F. Lane that a Driveway may be constructed in front of his estate 63 Lutman Street Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk In Common Council October 26, 1882 Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk	Streets petition a Driveway [illegible]
Petition of Dane Freyes, that he may have three shade trees removed from the side walk on Medford Street opposite his residence. Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk In Common Council October 26 1882 Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk	Streets petition of A. Keen [illegible] [illegible] Medford St.
Alderman Warren offered the following Order City of Somerville In Board of Mayor and Aldermen October 14 1882 Ordered That the four accompanying Warrants for the election of State and other officers on the twenty-day of November next be adopted and that said Warrants respectively be served by any Constable of the	Elections Order adopting Warrants,

October 14 1882

City by posting copies of the same respectively in no less than ten public places in each Ward and by publishing the same in the Somerville Journal a newspaper published in this City October 28 and November 4th, such posting of said notices, to be made seven days at least before the time of holding such meeting and said Constables respectively to return the said warrants respectively to the Wardens of said several Wards with the doings of said Constables thereon.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage. — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Citizens Warrant Ward One

Warrant Ward One

City of Somerville October 14, 1882.

To any Constable of the City of Somerville, Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward Number one qualified to vote as the law directs, to assemble at the Ward Room in the Prescott School Building, Pearl Street

Tuesday November 7, 1882

at seven o'clock in the Forenoon and from that time until four o'clock and forty five minutes in the afternoon then and there to give in their ballots for a Governor, Lieut. Governor, Secretary, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor, Attorney General, of the Commonwealth, a Councillor for Councillor District number Three One Senator for the First Middlesex Senatorial District

also for a Representative to the General Court for the Fourth Middlesex Representative District

also for a Representative of said Commonwealth in the Congress of the United States for the Fifth Congressional District

also for one County Commissioner for the County of Middlesex for the term of three years.

also to elect a County Commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Harrison Harwood for the remainder of the term for which he was elected.

also for a Treasurer for the County of Middlesex
also a Register of Deeds for the Southern District of Middlesex County.
All the foregoing are to be voted from one bullet.
The polls for the choice of all the several officers aforesaid will be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the fore noon, and closed at four o'clock and forty five minutes in the afternoon.
Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, at the time and place above mentioned.
Witness John A. Cummings, Mayor of our said City of Somerville, on this the fourteenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.
To Ordered the Mayor and Aldermen
Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Warrant Ward Inc.
City of Somerville
Somerville October 14, 1882.
To any Constable of the City of Somerville Greeting in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward Number Two qualified to vote as the law directs to assemble at the Ward Room in the Police Building Bow Street Tuesday November 7 1882, at seven o'clock in the Forenoon and from that time until four o'clock and forty five minutes in the afternoon, then and there to vote in their bodies for Governor, Lieut Governor, Secretary, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor, Attorney General of the Commonwealth, A Councillor for Council or District Governor Three, one Senator, for the first Middlesex Senatorial District; also for a Representative to the General Court for the Fifth Middlesex Representative District.
Also for a Representative of said Commonwealth in the Congress of the United States for the fifth Congressional District.

Elections Warrant Ward Inc.

October 14 1882

Also to one County Commissioner for the County of Middlesex for the term of three years.

Also to elect a County Commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Harrison Harwood for the remainder of the term for which he was elected:

Also a Treasurer for the County of Middlesex

Also a Register of Deeds for the Southern District of Middlesex County

All the foregoing are to be voted for on one ballot.

The polls for the choice of all the several officers aforesaid will be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at four o'clock and forty five minutes in the afternoon.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon, at the time and place above mentioned.

Witness John A. Cummings Mayor of our said City of Somerville, on this the fourteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

Election Warrant Ward Three

Warrant Ward Three

City of Somerville

Somerville October 14 1882

To any Constable of the City of Somerville Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward number three qualified to vote as the law directs to assemble at the Hall in Foster Sewer Building, Sycamore Street.

Tuesday November 7 1882, at seven o'clock in the forenoon and from that time until four o'clock and forty five minutes in the afternoon, then and there to give in their ballots for a Governor, Lieut Governor, Secretary, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor, Attorney General of the Commonwealth, a Councillor for Councillor District number three, One Senator for the First Middlesex Senatorial District

also for a Representative to the General Court for the
Sixth Middlesex Representative District —
Also for a Representative of said Commonwealth
in the Congress of the United States for the Fifth Con-
gressional District —
Also for one County Commissioner for the County of
Middlesex for the term of three years
Also for one County Commissioner to fill the vacancy
caused by the death of Henry Hayward for the remainder
of the term for which he was elected.
Also a Treasurer for the County of Middlesex
Also a Register of Deeds for the Southern District of Mid-
dlesex County —
All the foregoing to be voted for on one ballot.
The polls for the above election of the officers aforesaid
will be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the forenoon
and close at four o'clock and forty five minutes in the after-
noon.
Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with
your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned.
Witness John A. Cummings, Mayor of our said City of Somer-
ville, on this the fourteenth day of October, one thousand eight
hundred and eighty two.
By order of the Mayor and Aldermen
Attest Charles S. Gilman City Clerk

Warrant Ward Three | Election ✓ Warrant — Ward Three
City of Somerville, October 14, 1882
To one of the Constables of the City of Somerville, Greeting
In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward number
Three qualified to vote as the law directs to assemble at the
Ward Room in Masonic Building, Summer Street —
Tuesday, November 7, 1882, at seven o'clock in the
forenoon and from that time until four o'clock and forty five
minutes in the afternoon, then and there to give in their
votes for a Governor — Lieut-Governor — Secretary — Treasurer

October 14. 1882

and Receiver General, Auditor, Attorney General of the Commonwealth, a Committee for Commissioner District Number Three.

One Senator for the First Middlesex Senatorial District.

Also for a Representative to the General Court for the Sixth Middlesex Representative District.

Also for a Representative of said Commonwealth in the Congress of the United States for the Fifth Congressional District.

Also for one County Commissioner for the County of Middlesex for the term of three years.

Also to elect a County Commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Harrison Hammond for the remainder of the term for which he was elected.

Also a Treasurer to the County of Middlesex.

Also a Register of Deeds for the Southern District of Middlesex County.

All the foregoing are to be voted for on one ballot.

The Polls for the choice of all the several officers aforesaid will be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at four o'clock and forty five minutes in the afternoon.

Here of fail not and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned.

Witness John Blemmings, Mayor of our said City of Somerville, on this the fourteenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Elections Order adopting Register of Voters.

Alderman Wellington offered the following order.

City of Somerville October 14. 1882.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

Ordered That the Register of Voters submitted to this Board of Aldermen this evening, board the same is hereby adopted as the Register of Voters of the City of Somerville in accordance with the provisions of Law.

Order Adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Alderman Weld offered the following Order — Elections ✓
City of Somerville — Order com instructing
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen October 14, 1882. — to print Check Lists

Ordered

That the Committee on Printing be and they are hereby authorized to have a suitable number of voting lists printed the same to be charged to Miscellaneous account. Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Alderman Bowers offered the following Order — Elections ✓
City of Somerville — Order designating
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen — evenings for Registration
October 14, 1882. — of Voters

Ordered

That the Board of Aldermen be in session at their room at the City Hall on Wednesday October 25th and Saturday the 28th and Tuesday the 31st at 7½ o'clock P.M. for the purpose of receiving evidence of qualifications and placing names of voters upon the Register and the City Clerk be authorized to publish notice of said meetings in the Somerville Journal a newspaper published in this city in addition to the other notices required by law and the Committee on Printing are authorized and instructed to have the notices printed and posted. Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

October 24, 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
October 24, 1882.
Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Present — Aldermen Nurse, Wellington, Kingstone, Page Clark, Brown, Lewis and Weld present.

Record of last meeting approved.

Intentions to Build — Permits to build were granted to
Mrs. A. D. [illegible] — Somerville Avenue
Thomas [illegible] — Broadway
M. Fairbanks — Broadway
Jerry O'Brien — Bonair Street
P. B. [illegible] — Boston Street

Sewers Adrian Street Petition for — Petition of Whisks & Tenes for the construction of a Sewer in Adrian Street.
Referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Rail Road Boston & L. R. R. Petition of — Communication from Boston and Lowell Rail Road in reference to the closing of Walnut and Cross Street was Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down in concurrence. — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council October 26, 1882.
Concurred in — Douglas Cedar Clerk

Somerville Horse Rail Road notice to President to Legislature — Notice of the Sewall President of Somerville Horse Rail Road Company.
To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in Common Court assembled.
The Somerville Horse Rail Road Company respectfully prays that to prevent doubts you will pass an act removing the limitation of the term of its existence to fifty years October 18, 1882. Somerville Horse Rail Road Co.
By J. E. Sewall President

October 24. 1882

To the City of Somerville

The above is the copy of a petition to be presented to the Legislature of Massachusetts at its next session October 18. 1882.

P. E. Sewall President Somerville H. R. R. Co.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence — Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council — October 24. 1882

Concurred in — Douglas Frazer Clerk.

Alderman Wm. Lington offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen October 24. 1882

Ordered

That the Mayor be authorized to contract with the Suburban Telephone Company for the use of Two Blake Transmitters, Four Bell Magneto Telephones and three Bell Telephones in the City Council Chamber and Police Station and Engine houses for one year from Sept. 1. 1882 and to pay the ordinary bills for the same at one hundred dollars per year. The same to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Order adopted, receiving its first and second reading and final passage sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Order adopted, receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence — Douglas Frazer Clerk

Communication from Chief Engineer of Fire Department

City of Somerville October 24. 1882

To his honor the Mayor and Board of Aldermen

Respectfully recommend that Theodore Jordan and David H. Crocker be discharged from Hose Co. No. 4 at their own request. I also recommend that Fred. Du Bellet and Edward Thrasher be appointed members of Hose Co. No. 4 and H. Miller a member of Hose Co. No. 3 to fill vacancies of R. T. Hopkins. The discharge was granted, and the appointments confirmed.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Suburban Telephone Co. Order Mayor to contract with

The Department discharge and appointment of members

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Intentions to Build
Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Intentions to build
City of Somerville

In Committee on Intentions to build Oct 24, 1882,
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Intentions to build, to which was referred the notice of Dr. William Bochers and letter of intention to build two wooden buildings each 50 x 30 with an office and coal shed, and a brick chimney to cost high on Boston Avenue recommends that a permit be granted to build in accordance with said notice.

By order of the Committee
George Fitzmont Clerk
Report accepted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Memorial Day Expenses
Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Accounts.
City of Somerville.

In Committee on Accounts October 11, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.

The Committee on Accounts, which was authorized by an order, dated April 18, 1882, to approve in Tax Roll of Miscellaneous Account, bills contracted by Post 739 G.A.R. for the observance of Memorial Day certified by the Commander of proper Committee of said Post and not to exceed in the aggregate the sum of three hundred dollars, Reports that bills to the amount of Two hundred and seventy eight and 00/100 dollars have been approved as authorized by said order.

By order of the Committee
George Fitzmont Clerk.
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council October 24, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

October 24 1882

Petition of W. L. Dodge and others that Bow and Summer Streets be widened at their junction in accordance with a plan submitted herewith. Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council October 26 1882. Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.	Streets ✓ Bow & Summer St.
Petition of Abram P. Bowers and others for the construction of a sewer in Bond Street. Referred to the Committee on Sewers.	Sewers ✓ Bond Street Petition for
Petition of Alexander Foster and others for the construction of a sidewalk on Laurel Street. Referred to the Committee on Highways.	Sidewalks ✓ Laurel Street petition for
Petition of Suburban Telephone Company that they may be allowed to erect poles for carrying wires on Summer from School to Elm Street. Suburban Telephone Company. J. B. Gardner Supt. by George E. Thomson. Referred to the Committee on Highways. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.	Suburban Telephone Co. Petition of
Aldermen Lunger Chief the following Order. City of Charlesville. In Board of Mayor and Aldermen October 24 1882. Ordered that the sum of [illegible] and [illegible] dollars from an assessment of [illegible] and [illegible] dollars assessed to Eliza Thorpe as a betterment according to Newstate by the construction of a granite sidewalk with [illegible] on the Southeasterly side of Walnut Street from Highland Avenue to Boston Street be abated to her and reassessed to Jerome Thorpe said sum of [illegible] and [illegible] dollars lien upon an estate owned by said Jerome Thorpe having a frontage of [illegible] feet and on said Southeasterly	Sidewalk ✓ Walnut Street assessment abated and reassessed

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side of Walnut Street between land of Sarah E. Humphrey and land of said Elisa Thorpe.
In Board of Aldermen Order adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Charles River R.R. Co. Catch Basin Petition for

Petition of Charles River Nail Road Company
To the Honorable Mayor & Board of Aldermen of the City of Somerville
The undersigned respectfully petition your Honorable Board that a Catch Basin be placed on the northerly side of Beacon Street between Park & Bow Streets
Charles River Street Railway Company
By its President Charles E. Raymond
Referred to the Committee on Sewers
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Licenses Report of Committee on petition of J. E. James

Report of Committee on Licenses
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers October 24, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Licenses to which was referred the petition of Joseph E. James for permission to carry on the grease rendering and soap making business on Columbia Street recommends that the petitioner be granted leave to withdraw
J. F. Wellington Chairman
In Board of Aldermen Report accepted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers Catch Basin Bow Street Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Sewers.
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers October 23, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Charles S. Butler and others for a Catch Basin on Bow Street place recommends that the petition be granted leave to withdraw By order of the Committee Grace Hanson Clerk
Report accepted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

October 24 1882

Ordinance No. 33. Sky Pistol

Ordinance 33 Sky Pistol

sent to the Common Council September 26. 1882. was returned endorsed as follows.

In Common Council September 25. 1882. Received its first and second reading and passage to be enrolled in concurrence.

Douglas Frazar Clerk

In Committee on Enrolled Ordinances October 17. 1882. We the undersigned members of the Committee on Enrolled Ordinances, have compared the within draft of an ordinance with its enrolment by the Clerk of the Council on page 206 of the records of the Council and find it correctly enrolled. F. M. Stadler - Henry M. Beals.

In Common Council October 12. 1882.

Passed to be ordained.

Moses H. Perry President

Mr. Douglas Frazar Clerk

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen Oct 24. 1882. Referred to the Committee on Enrolled Ordinances.

Report of Committee on Enrolled Ordinances

In Committee on Enrolled Ordinances Oct 24 1882. We the undersigned members of the Committee on Enrolled ordinances, have compared the within ordinance with the records and find it truly and correctly enrolled.

E. Clark, C. P. Page

Committee on Enrolled Ordinances

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen October 24 1882.

Passed to be ordained

John D. P. Cummings Mayor

Attest

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

October 24, 1882

Order hearing on Petition of W. Guernsey

Alderman Page offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

October 24, 1882.

Ordered that Tuesday the 14th day of November 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen room in the City hall, be assigned as the time and place for a hearing by this Board of all persons interested in the matter of the petition of W. Guernsey for permission to repair his Flour mill, at the junction of Concord Avenue Prospect Street and Webster Avenue, and the petition of John O'Brien and others for a hearing to remonstrate against the granting of a permit to rebuild said Flour Mill and the City Clerk is hereby directed to cause a copy of this order to be published in the Somerville Journal of October 28 and to mail copies of this order to the said W. W. Guernsey and John O'Brien.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers Broadway Petition for Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers October 23, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen

of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Isaac Kendall and others for a sewer in Broadway from Marshall Street to Sewell Street recommends that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.

By order of the Committee

George T. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

October 24 1882

The Common Council adopted the following Order

City of Schenectady

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen October 24 1882.

Ordered

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized to construct a Common Sewer in Broadway from Summit Street to a point near [illegible] Street, and that this Board [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] assessments [illegible] [illegible] Committee, shall be [illegible] [illegible] upon estates benefited.

Unanimously adopted, [illegible] dispensed and second reading and [illegible] [illegible].

Charles E. [illegible] Clerk.

Sewers
Order to construct in Broadway.

Report of Committee on Sewers

City of Schenectady

The Committee on Sewers October 23 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Schenectady

The Committee on Sewers in accordance with [illegible] dated [illegible] 1882 has constructed in Park Street [illegible] the [illegible] in [illegible] Street [illegible] Brook [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

By order of the Committee

George [illegible] Clerk

Report accepted [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and Order adopted

Charles E. [illegible] Clerk.

Sewers
Park Street
completion of
Report of Committee

Common Sewer Assessment

Park Street

Schedule of Assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen [illegible] [illegible] [illegible], the cost of constructing a common sewer in the City of Schenectady in Park Street and [illegible] from the sewer in [illegible] Street to a point 87 feet [illegible] from Brook Street.

Sewers
Park Street
assessment list

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Owners of estates benefited	number per grant	valuation	rate per cent of assessment	Assessment	
Ephraim Stone	704	264.00	4½%	11	88
Emeline J. Greenough	2256	685.50	"	30	86
Frank J. Mason & Martha A. Mason	684	256.50	"	11	54
Warren A. Crosby	6720	1,344.00	"	60	48
Elijah C. Clark	3000	1,000.00	"	45	00
Of Butler Thomas Robinson for William Stearns	832	277.33	"	12	47
		$3,827.63		$172	23

For a description of the estates benefited see plan drawn by Geo. A. Kimball City Engineer dated June 22, 1882, entitled "Rush Street Sewer" and herewith submitted

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Sewer Rush Street Warrant

To John T. Cox — Middlesex, ss.

Treasurer and collector of taxes of the City of Somerville in said County — Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, we are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you, of each one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said tax to wit —

One hundred seventy two and 23/100 dollars.

Being the whole amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said city, to defray in part the cost of constructing a Common Sewer in said City of Somerville, in Rush Street and extending from the sewer in Webster Street to a point 8 feet southwesterly from Broad Street the same having been ascertained assessed, and certified hereby, you are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums and pay the same into the Treasury of said City on or before the first day of March next ensuing the date hereof, and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums, we are to exercise the powers conferred by the statutes of said Commonwealth and to be governed thereby. Witness John T. Cummings, Mayor of our said city of Somerville on this 24th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand

[illegible] hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

October 24, 1882.

Sewer ✓
Stock Street
Assessment
Order to collect

Ordered that the cost of constructing the common sewer within named to amounting to $[illegible] and after deducting the proportion thereof namely $[illegible] to be paid by the City, the remaining $[illegible] is assessed upon persons benefited the persons named in the within schedule being benefited as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names, as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer, and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant as within stated be attested and issued.

Attest Charles E. Gilman, City Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen October 24, 1882.

Assessment List Warrant and Order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Report of Committee on Sewers.

Sewer ✓
Mt. Vernon Street
Contraction of

In Committee on Sewers October 23, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers in accordance with an order dated June 13, 1880, have constructed on Mt. Vernon Street from a point 32 feet Southwesterly from Broadway to a point 70 feet northeasterly from Perkins Street 4[illegible] inch pipe sewer with 2 manholes at a cost of $[illegible] and recommends for adoption the accompanying the list of assessments Warrant and order.

By order of the Committee George Tremont Clerk

Report accepted assessment list Warrant and Order adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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Sewers

Mt. Vernon Street assessment list

Common Sewer Assessment

Schedule of assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in the City of Somerville in Mt. Vernon Street and extending from a point 32 feet northwesterly from Broadway to a point 90 feet northeasterly from Perkins Street.

Owners of Estates benefited	number of land	valuation	rate per cent assessment	assessment	
Heirs of Paine S. Higgins	2900	510.00	3 3/4%	30	45
Eleanor Davis	5000	1000.00	"	37	50
Henry Howard	5000	1000.00	"	37	50
John R. Hutchins	7050	1410.00	"	52	85
Charles H. Schmidt	3950	790.00	"	29	63
Edward H. Cutler	4500	900.00	"	33	75
Samuel Cutler	9500	1900.00	"	71	13
Geo. F. Swift	4660	932.00	"	34	95
Amos Hayes	13071	2614.20	"	2003 2000 75	03
Charles E. Roberts	5230	1046.00	"	39	25
Charlotte T. Smith	5700	1140.00	"	42	75
Edward H. Cutler	12075	2415.00	"	90	56
Emeline L. Marta	3900	750.00	"	29	25
Arthur Hathaway	3530	766.00	"	28	73
		$17,503.00		$636	46

[illegible]

[illegible]

The description of estates benefited in plan drawn by George F. Kimball City Engineer dated July 31 1882, entitled "Mt. Vernon Street Sewer and herewith submitted

October 24. 1882

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

To John F. Cox Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville, in said County.

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, aforesaid, you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you, of each one his proportion thereof, particularly set down of the sum total of said list, to wit: Six hundred thirty six and 40/100 dollars being the [illegible] amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said, to defray in part the cost of constructing a Common Sewer in said city of Somerville in Mt Vernon Street and extending from a point 32 feet southwesterly from Broadway to a point 90 feet northeasterly from Perkins Street the same having been ascertained and certified hereby.

You are to complete and make upon account of the collection of said sums, and pay the same into the Treasury of said City, on or before the first day of March my, ensuing to date hereof and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums, you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth and to be governed thereby.

Witness John A. Cummings, Mayor of our said City, in Somerville on this 24th day of October in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor & Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

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Mt Vernon Street

Warrant

to collect assessments

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Sewers
All between Street
assessment
Order to collect

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
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Ordered that the cost of constructing the common sewer within referred to amounting to $775.92, and after deducting the proportion thereof namely $139.46 to be paid by the City there, remaining $636.46 to be assessed upon persons benefited, the persons named in the schedule being benefited as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names, as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer, and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant, as within stated be adopted and issued.

Attest, Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers
Jaques Street
Completion of
Report of Com

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers October 23, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers in accordance with an order dated June 13, 1882 has constructed in Jaques street from the sewer in Wheatland Street to the manhole near the Centre of Temple Street 227 5/10 feet of thirty inch brick sewer 799 feet of fifteen inch pipe sewer and nine feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with 5 manholes at a cost of $244.15/100 and recommends for adoption the accompanying list of assessments warrant and order.

By order of the Committee
George Lincoln Clerk

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Common Sewer Assessment

Sewer Jaques Street Completion of Assessment list

Schedule of assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in the city of Somerville in Jaques Street, and extending from the sewer in Wheatland Street to the manhole near the centre of Tempie Street:

Owners of estates benefited	Number of sq. ft.	Valuation	Rate per sq. ft.	Assessment	
Samuel E. Sewall	10,000	$2,000.00	4½%	90	00
Samuel E. Sewall	57,500	11,500.00	"	517	50
Walter Sumner Pettigrew	5,100	6,000.00	"	45	00
William Jaques	10,000	2,440.00	"	109	80
William Jaques	10,000	2,000.00	"	90	00
Samuel B. Chandler	5,000	1,000.00	"	45	00
William Jaques	10,000	2,000.00	"	90	00
Maurice M. Hammond	5,000	1,000.00	"	45	00
Amelia A. Davis	5,000	1,000.00	"	45	00
William Jaques	25,000	5,000.00	"	225	00
Samuel E. Sewall	9,000	1,800.00	"	81	00
		$30,740.00		$1,358	20

For the description of estates benefited see plan drawn by Bruce W. Kimball City Engineer dated Aug 5 1882 entitled Jaques Street Sewer and herewith submitted.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

Sewer Jaques Street Assessment Warrant to Treasurer

To Gen. [illegible] Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville, in said County Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the [illegible] herewith committed to you, of each one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list to wit:

One thousand three hundred and eighty four and 20/100 dollars being the [illegible] amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said City to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in said City of Somerville

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in Jaques Street and extending from the sewer in Whitland Street to the manhole near the center of Temple Street, the same having been examined, assessed and certified hereby.

You are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums and pay the same into the Treasury of said city on or before the first day of March next ensuing the date hereof and in making collections and enforcing the payment of said sums, you are to exercise the powers conferred by the statutes of said Common wealth and to be governed thereby.

Witness John R. Cummings, Mayor of our said City of Somerville, on this 24th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen.

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Sewer ✓ Jaques Street Assessment Order to collect

City of Somerville.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

October 24, 1882.

Ordered that the cost of constructing the common sewer within referred to amounting to $2446.17/100 and after deducting the proportion thereof amounting $1061.57/100 to be paid by the city therein amounting $1384.87/100 to be assessed upon persons benefited the persons named in the within schedule being benefited as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names, as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer, and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the assessment as within stated be adopted and issued.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list and Warrant and order adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Report of Committee on Sewers — Sewers ✓

In Committee on Sewers October 23, 1882. — Cottage Avenue

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville, — Completion of

The Committee on Sewers, in accordance with — Report of Committee

an order dated August 26, 1882, has constructed in Cottage Avenue from the sewer in Russell street to a point 107 feet southeasterly from Chester Street 171 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer, with 2 manholes, at a cost of $1073.7 and recommends for adoption the accompanying list of assessments warrant and order.

By order of the Committee.

George Thorndike Clerk

Reports accepted assessment list warrant list and order now adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Common Sewer assessment — Sewers ✓

Schedule of assessments made by the Board of Aldermen to defray in part the cost of constructing a Common Sewer in the city of Somerville in Cottage Avenue street, and extending from the sewer in Russell street to a point 107 feet southeasterly from Chester Street — Cottage Avenue Assessment list,

Owners of Estates benefited	number of land	valuation	rate per cent	valuation	
Heirs of Sarah McIntire	1984	553.52	3%	16	67
Mary A. Whiskin	6700	1340.00	"	40	2.0
Heirs of Lydia B. Glover	6700	1340.00	"	40	2.0
Heirs of Nancy Bisbanger	6700	1340.00	"	40	2.0
John E. Mansfield	6700	1340.00	"	40	2.0
Fred S. Mayer	4642	1067.66	"	32	0.2
Chester W. Kimsley	4900	980.00	"	29	4.0
Franklin B. Tree	13400	2680.00	"	80	4.0
Heirs of William Childs	6700	1340.00	"	40	2.0
Heirs of Richard Stevens	9900	1980.00	"	59	4.0
		$13763.18		418	89

For a description of estates benefited see plan drawn by George A. Kimball, City Engineer dated Sept. 1882 entitled Cottage Avenue Sewer and herewith submitted.

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Sewers
Cottage Avenue
Assessment
Warrant to Treasurer

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
Middlesex, ss.

To John F. Cole Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville, in said County Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby requested to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you, of each one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list to wit:

Four hundred and eighteen and 89/100 dollars, being the whole amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said City, to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in said City of Somerville, in Cottage avenue and extending from the sewer in Hamlet Street to a point 107 feet southeasterly from Chester Street, the same having been ascertained, assessed, and certified hereby.

You are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums, and pay the same into the treasury of said City, on or before the first day of March next ensuing the date hereof; and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth and to be governed thereby.

Witness John A. Cummings of our said City of Somerville on this 24th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen.
Charles E. Oplman City Clerk

Sewers
Cottage Ave
Assessment
Order to collect

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen October 24, 1882.

Ordered that the cost of constructing the common sewer within referred to amounting to $493.01, and after deducting the proportion thereof namely $-2.12 to be paid by the city, there remaining $418.89, to be assessed upon persons in the persons named in the within schedule being

Premises as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged, and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names, as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer, and the same is certified and within stated, and notice thereof be ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid thereby interested, and be it ordered that the warrant as within stated be adopted and issued.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted — C. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Report of Committee on Sewers — Sewers / Bedford Street / completion

City of Cambridge.

In Committee on Sewers, October [illegible] 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Cambridge

The Committee on Sewers, in accordance with an order dated [illegible] have constructed a sewer in Bedford Street and the sewer in [illegible] Street to a point fourteen feet [illegible] from the Cambridge line 136 feet of [illegible] at a cost of $173.[illegible] [illegible] and recommend the adoption of the accompanying list of assessments, warrant and order.

By order of the Committee

George [illegible] Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Commonwealth Sewer Assessment — Sewers / Bedford Street / assessments

Bedford Street

A valuation of assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, for defraying the part thereof of constructing a common sewer in the City of Cambridge in Bedford Street extending from the sewer in [illegible] Street to a point 14 feet westerly from the Cambridge line.

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Owners of Estate Benefited	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Heirs of Solomon G. Phipps	1180	354.00	4%	14	16
Peter Kolohane	2641	528.00	"	21	12
Patrick Hayes	2700	540.00	"	21	60
Hannah Ferris	1400	478.00	"	19	92
Sarah Campbell	2300	575.00	"	23	00
Frank Tracey	2700	540.00	"	21	60
Bridget Foley	2413	577.11	"	23	11
		$3564.32		$142	57

For a description of estates benefited see plan drawn by Geo. A. Kimball, City Engineer dated Sept. 25, 1882. Entitled "Bedford Street Sewer" and herewith submitted.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

Sewer
Bedford Street
Hazard to Lawrence

To John F. Cole Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville in said County Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you, of such one his proportion therein particularly so down & the sum total of said list to wit

One hundred sixty five and 57/100 dollars,

being the whole amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said City to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in said City of Somerville in Bedford street, and extending from the sewer in South Street to a point 19 feet northerly from the Cambridge line. The same having been ascertained assessed and certified hereby, you are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums and pay the same into the treasury of said city on or before the first day of March next ensuing the date hereof and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums, you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth and to be governed thereby. Witness John A. Cummings Mayor of our said City of Somerville on this 24th day of October in the year your

Sold one thousand eight hundred and eighty two — Sewers

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen — Sewers

October 24 1882 — Bedford Street

Ordered, that the cost of constructing the common sewer within referred to amounting to $183.90 and after deducting the proportion thereof, namely $41.33 to be paid by the City there remaining $142.57 to be assessed upon persons benefited the persons named in the within schedule being benefited as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant as within stated be adopted and issued.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Alderman Newcomb offered the following Order — Sewers ✓

City of Somerville — assessment

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen October 24 1882 — order for hearing on

Ordered — Lake St. and Lake St.

That Tuesday November 14, 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. and Jaques St. Bedford St.

the Mayor and Aldermen now City Hall be assigned and Cottage Avenue

as the time and place, for a hearing by this board of all persons desiring to object to their assessment for common sewers in Lake Street, Mt. Vernon Street, Jaques Street, Bedford Street and Cottage Avenue.

Order adopted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Sewers
Shoemaker Place & Alpine Street
Hearings

In accordance with an order passed September 19, 1882 a hearing was held in reference to the construction of sewers in Shoemaker Place and Alpine Street.
The order and return thereon was read, no person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Officer's Return on Order of Notice
City of Somerville, Middlesex.
October 10, 1882.

Sewers
Shoemaker Place & Alpine Street
Hearing
Return of Officer

I hereby certify, that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed, I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit — Sarah E. Leach, Estate of Paine S. Higgins, Friedrich A. Chandler, John H. Boerh, Lieutenant R. Bragg;
and the following named persons having no place of abode in this city, and no tenants, or authorized agents therein known as such, or if resident in this city, not being known as such, or if resident in this city, not being known as such, I have duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested, by posting up in two public places in this city a true and attested copy of said order —
Marion L. Gore, Silden G. Abbott, J. H. Edmond, W. F. Freeman and W. E. Fernald, Eleen M. Randall
and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper, published in said Somerville, called the Somerville Journal, the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

Hairies Mann, Constable of Somerville
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex.
Somerville October 10, 1882

Then personally appeared the above named Hairies Mann and made oath that the above named certificate by him subscribed is true, before me. — George T. Vincent, Justice of the Peace.

October 24, 1882

Resolve and order Sharomet Place & Alston Street — Sewer

City of Somerville — Sharomet Place & Alston Street

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen October 24, 1882 — Resolve and order

Resolved and adjudged, that the public convenience — taking of land

and the public health require that a Main Drain or Common

Sewer should be laid, made and maintained in Sharomet

Place and Alston Street, so called, & private ways in

said City, from Sharomet street to Cross Street and do that

perform it is necessary to take for said Main Drain or Common Sewer

A parcel of land belonging to Sarah E. Leach containing

1087 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to estate of Pierce S. Higgins

containing 949 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Horace T. Give containing

1636 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Wilden G. Nebitt containing

880 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Frederick P. Chandler

containing 820 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to estate of Pierce S. Higgins

containing 800 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to estate of Pierce S. Higgins

containing 4800 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Llewellyn R. Bragg

containing 800 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to estate of Pierce S. Higgins

1405 square feet more or less.

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A parcel of land belonging to J. W. Odiorne, W. Freeman & W. A. Fernald, containing 1125.71 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to estate of Jaime J. Higgins containing 1393 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Allen M. Randall containing 1915 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to John W. Brooks containing 1800 square feet more or less.

Each of said parcels of land being bounded and described as shown on plan made by George R. Kimball, City Engineer, dated September 13, 1882, entitled "Shawmut Ave and Alston Street Sewer, and on file in the city clerk's office,

and whereas the petition of S. K. Leach and others asking for the laying, making and maintaining of such sewer, and the matter of taking said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid were referred to the Committee on Sewerage and whereas, as appears by its report, he determined the said Committee was of opinion, that the public convenience and necessity require that said Main Drain or Common Sewer should be laid, made and maintained, and the said Committee has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said parcels of land, taken for the purposes aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, and also upon a plan thereof, and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such taking shall be committed, and reported the names of all parties sustaining damage by such taking, with the amount of such damage, proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners, as fully appears in said Report; and whereas said Report and Plan have remained in the City Clerk's office for the term of seven days at least before the Mayor and Aldermen proceeded to act

to act thereon; and whereas due notice was thereupon given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said parcel [illegible] for the purpose of said main drain or common sewer, as [illegible] the order of notice for a hearing, by the Mayor and Aldermen, and the return thereon made will fully appear; and whereas at the time and place in said order of notice appointed, the Mayor and Aldermen met and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard.

It is therefore ordered, that the parcel of land before described be and the same are hereby taken for the purpose of a main drain or common sewer of the said City, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same, and of the charges not already assessed, of making and repairing other main drains and common sewers through which the same may discharge; according to the plan of the same made by George A. Kimball, City Engineer, dated September 17, 1882, and deposited in the office of the City Clerk aforesaid; that the said land taken, as aforesaid, and shown and designated upon said plan, be and the same is hereby taken and established for a Main Drain or common sewer of the said city. That the boundaries, location, and admeasurements of said land taken as aforesaid are all as shown upon said plan, which is hereby made a part of this Order, and are as follows, to wit, said land is bounded:

Southwesterly by [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] feet. Northwesterly by the [illegible] line of said [illegible] [illegible] one hundred and twenty [illegible] and [illegible] feet; Northeasterly by the south-westerly line of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] hundred and twenty five [illegible]; [illegible] by [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] feet; Northeasterly by the [illegible] line of said [illegible] [illegible] one hundred and ninety eight and [illegible] feet; and Southeasterly by the southwesterly line of said [illegible] [illegible] two hundred and thirty [illegible] and [illegible] feet. That the proprietors or occupants of the land taken as aforesaid are allowed until the first day of November next, to take off their trees, fences, and other property which may obstruct the laying of said Main Drain or common sewer.

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and that the following is an estimate and award of the damages sustained by and persons in their property by the taking of said land

Sarah E. [illegible]	———	Remaining
Estate of Jaime S. Higgins	———	"
[illegible]	———	"
[illegible]	———	"
Frederick [illegible]	———	"
Estate of Jaime S. Higgins	———	"
[illegible]	———	"
Estate of Jaime S. Higgins	———	"
[illegible]	———	"
Estate of Jaime S. Higgins	———	"
[illegible]	———	"
Estate of Jaime S. Higgins	———	"
Ellen [illegible]	———	"

Receive and order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

——— Charles E. Gilman, City Clerk

Sewers
Shawmut Street
Shawmut Place
Alston Street
Order to construct

Mr. Norcross offered the following Order

——— City of Lawrence ———

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen October 24 1882.

Ordered that the committee on sewers be and is hereby instructed to construct a common sewer in Shawmut Street, Shawmut Place and Alston Street from the Lawrence Street Sewer near the center of Washington Street to a point near Cross Street and report to this board after the completion of said sewer the [illegible] to [illegible] the [illegible] in which said committee shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon the estates benefited. J. S. Norcross.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk ———

October 24, 1882

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers October 24, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville:

The Committee on Sewers duly authorized by an order dated this day, submit the following list of proposals which have been received to construct in Shawmut Street, Shawmut Place and Alston Street from the sewer in Linwood Street at the Centre of Washington Street, about 1000 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer, with 6 manholes; the pipe to be furnished by the city and there being about fifty cubic yards of rock to be excavated.

Names of bidders	manholes each	rock excavation per cubic yd.	laying sewer per lin. ft.	estimated aggregate
Charles A. Morgan	$49.00	$4.00	$0.80	1252.00
Patrick Tracy	48.00	3.85	0.67	1130.00
Henry L. Tike	110.00	5.00	0.65	1140.00
Maurice Tracy	46.00	4.50	0.62	1124.00
Richard Reilly	35.70	3.50	0.55	767.20

and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to Richard Reilly.

By order of the committee.

George I. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers
Proposals in construction of sewers in Shawmut Street, Shawmut Place and Alston Street.

Aldermen Sewers asked the following order.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen October 24, 1882.

Ordered

That the Committee on Sewers Sound is hereby authorized to make a contract with Richard Reilly for the construction of a common sewer in Shawmut Street, Shawmut Place, and Alston Street at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said Committee's report of this date. J. S. Norcross.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers order to make contract with R. Reilly for constructing sewer in Shawmut Street, Shawmut Place and Alston Street.

October 24, 1882

Notice — Session for Registration

On motion of Alderman Burgin voted that the Board of Aldermen hold a session on Tuesday afternoon October 31 from 3 to 5/30 o'clock for the purpose of adding names to the Register of Voters.

Adjourned
Charles E. Gilman
Clerk.

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen October 28, 1882.
Mayor Crimmings presiding
Aldermen Reuser, Wellington, Houlstone, Clark, Burns (Burgin), & Field present

Intention to build Cor. N Towne

Petition of Cor. N Towne, October 27, 1882.
To his honor the Mayor and Aldermen
The undersigned respectfully request permission to build a dwelling house on their land on Thickney Street with permission to use the side walls white building
Dimensions of house — 22 x 30 feet
" of Ell — 16 x 19 "
Material wood, owners of land Cor. N Towne.
We also request permission to blast the rock on the same lot with which to build the cellar walls.
Cor N Towne.
Permit granted on condition that he give a bond satisfactory to the City Solicitor to indemnify and save harmless the city for all loss damage expenses by reason of said blasting.

Names added to the Register

Number of persons added to the Register,

Ward One	64	
" Two	39	
" Three	41	
" Four	32	
Total		166.

Adjourned Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

October 31, 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen

October 31, 1882

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Norcross, Wellington, Paulstine, Page, Clark, Burns, Burgin and Weld present.

Aldermen present

Petition of Kenneth E. Stile that a pipe sewer may be laid in Cross Street near Medford Street and connect with the proposed sewer in Austin Street. Referred to the Committee on Sewers

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers Cross Street Petition for

Petition of Charles K. Tompkins and others for a street lamp at the corner of Austin Street and Broadway. Referred to the Committee on Street Lights and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

The Common Council November 14, 1882 concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Street Lights Broadway Petition for

The following permits to build were granted:

Maria L. Robinson - 1 house Quincy Street

Mark Leighton 2 houses Cross Street

E. S. Spearman 1 " Highland Avenue

Intentions to build Permits Granted.

Report of Committee on Intentions to Build City of Somerville

In Committee on Intentions to build October 31, 1882

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Intentions to build, to which was referred the remonstrance of Jones Gatelly against the building of a stable to stock to be maintained Gatelly's dwelling house situated on Washington Street and Washington Avenue, reports that immediately after receiving said remonstrance your committee visited the premises and found said stable substantially completed, and in the judgment of your Committee no-

Intentions to build Report of Committee

October 31, 1882

further action is necessary

By order of the Committee

George I. Bimont Clerk

Report accepted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers Broadway Proposals Report of Com

Report of Committee on Sewers.

City of Somerville.

In Committee on Sewers October 31, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers duly authorized by an order dated October 24, 1881, submits the following list of proposals which have been received to construct in Broadway from Marshall Street to a point near School Street, about 400 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with 2 manholes, and to excavate about 50 cubic yards of ledge the pipe to be furnished by the city

Names of Bidders	manholes each	[illegible] per cubic yard	[illegible] per lineal foot	estimated aggregate
Maurice Berry	$ 45.00	$ 4.10	$ 0.62	$ 544.00
Patrick Berry	4[illegible].00	4.00	0.64	540.00
John J. Dorey	45.00	4.50	0.55	530.00
Maurice Buttimer	3[illegible].00	2.00	0.65	534.00

and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to Maurice Buttimer.

By order of the Committee George I. Bimont Clerk

Report accepted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers Broadway from Marshall St. to School Street order to construct

Alderman Newcomb offered the following order

City of Somerville.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen October 31, 1882.

Ordered that the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized to enter a contract with Maurice Buttimer for the construction of a common sewer in Broadway from Marshall Street to a point near School Street at the price named in his proposal submitted in said Committee of this date

Order adopted receiving its [illegible] and second reading and final passage. — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Number of persons whose name was added to the Register

Names added to Register

Ward One	109
Ward Two	106
Ward Three	78
Ward Four	69
Total	362

Adjourned

Charles E. Gilman

Clerk

November 7, 1882

Elections Returns of Ward Officers

Returns from the several Wards in reference to the election of State and County officers held November 7, 1882.

City of Somerville

Return of Ward One November 7, 1882.

Copy of Warrant.

Somerville October 14, 1882,

To any Constable of the City of Somerville

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward number one qualified to vote as the law directs, to assemble at the Ward Rooms in the Prescott School Building, Pearl Street, Tuesday November 7, 1882 at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and from that time until four o'clock and forty five minutes in the afternoon, then and there to give in their ballots for a Governor, Lieut. Governor, Secretary, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor, Attorney General, of the Commonwealth, a Councillor for Councillor District number three, and Senator for the first Middlesex Senatorial District.

Also for a Representative to the General Court for the Fourth Middlesex Representative District.

Also for a Representative of said Commonwealth in the Congress of the United States for the Fifth Congressional District.

Also for one County Commissioner for the County of Middlesex for the term of three years,

Also to elect a County Commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Harrison Harwood for the remainder of the term for which he was elected.

Also a Treasurer for the County of Middlesex.

Also a Register of Deeds for the Southern District of Middlesex County.

All the foregoing are to be voted for on one ballot the poll for the choice of all the several officers aforesaid

will be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at four o'clock and forty five minutes in the afternoon

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned

Witness John A Cummings, Mayor of our said City of Somerville on this the fourteenth day of October One thousand eight hundred and eighty two

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Attest Charles E Gilman City Clerk

A true copy of Warrant

Attest John A T Stevens Ward Clerk

Copy officers Return Thereon

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss.

City of Somerville November 7 1882

This is to certify that I have warned and notified the citizens of Ward Two One in the City of Somerville, qualified to vote as the law directs according to the within Warrant by posting a true copy of the Warrant in not less than two public places in said Ward near the place of meeting as specified in said Warrant such copies having been posted by me as aforesaid seven days at least before the time of holding the meeting specified in said Warrant and cause said notice to be published in the Somerville Journal October 28th and Nov 4 a newspaper published in said Somerville,

Attest Jeremy Mann Constable of Somerville

A true copy of Officers Return

Attest John A T Stevens Ward Clerk

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the citizens of Ward Two Qualified to vote as the law directs assembled at the time and place and for the purposes therein expressed.

November 7. 1882

the warrant calling the meeting and the officers return thereon, was thereupon read by the Warden who then called upon the inhabitants of said Ward, qualified by law to vote, to give in their votes by ballot for the purposes expressed in said Warrant.

At 4.45 o'clock P.M. the polls were closed, and the whole number of ballots given in, having been received, sorted and counted in open ward meeting by the Warden and Inspectors of Elections in the manner provided by law, the result was as follows namely:

Whole number of votes last Nine hundred and sixty one.

Elections Return of Ward One

For Governor

Robert R. Bishop	of Weston	had	513
Benjamin F. Butler	of Lowell	"	444

Lieut. Governor

Oliver Ames	of Easton	had	663
Samuel W. Bowerman	of Tillsfield	"	302
George Dutton	of Springfield	"	1

Secretary of the Commonwealth

Henry B. Pierce	of Abington	had	667
David A. Phillips	of Manchester	"	303
[illegible]	of Manchester	"	1

For Treasurer and Receiver General

Daniel H. Gleason	of Medford	had	665
William R. Hodges	of Quincy	"	302
George Foster	of Lynn	"	1

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For Auditor

Charles R. Sadd — of Springfield — had 664
[illegible] — of Lawrence — " 297
Augustus L. Merchant — of Lowell — " 1

For Attorney General

Edgar J. Sherman — of Lawrence — had 665
Orchard F. Berry — of Worcester — " 297
Elmer A. Snow — of Athol — " 1

For County Commissioner

Daniel G. Walton — of Wakefield — had 646
James P. Crane — of Everett — " 224

For Representative to Congress Fifth District

William Z. Bowman — of Somerville — had 607
Leopold Morse — of Boston — " 321

For County Treasurer

James Stone — of Everett — had 641
Thomas A. Mill — of Woburn — " 302

For County Commissioner unexpired term

William S. Frost — of Marlboro — had 562
Benjamin S. Manson — of Framingham — " 311
Louis T. Stone — of — " 74

For Register of Deeds

Charles B. Stevens — of Cambridge — had 648
James W. McDonald — of Marlboro — " 297

For Councillor Third District

William W. Sowen — of Lexington — had 662
Joseph W. Stowen — of Newton — " 303

November 7, 1882

For Senator First Middlesex District

George D. Bruce — of Somerville — Lond 655
Charles F. Atwood — of Everett — " 306

For Representative to the General Court

Elijah C. Clark — of Somerville had 509 vis. elected
Charles M. Guild — of Somerville " 385
Jerry E. Swords — of Somerville " 74

The declaration was thereupon made in open ward meeting by the Warden of the State of the ballots as voted and counted as aforesaid and the state of the ballots as aforesaid was likewise duly recorded in open ward meeting. The Warden thereupon caused all ballots which had been given in as aforesaid to be received in an envelope in open ward meetings and sealed with a seal provided for the purpose and the Warden, Clerk, and Inspectors indorsed upon said envelope the statement and certificate required by law, all in open ward meeting. The Warden also caused the check list used at said election to be enclosed and sealed in an envelope in open ward meeting and the and the Warden, Clerk and Inspectors certified on such envelope to the identity of the check list so enclosed all in the manner provided by law.

The meeting then dissolved.

A true record.

John A. L. Stevens Ward Clerk.

November 7. 1882.

Return of Ward number Inc.

Elections
Return of
Ward Inc

—— City of Somerville. ——

Record of meeting held in Ward Inc. on the seventh day of November A.D. 1882.

—— Copy of Warrant. ——

—— Somerville October 14. 1882.

City of Somerville ——

To any Constable of the City of Somerville

—— Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward number Inc. qualified to vote as the law directs to assemble at the Ward Room in the Police Building, on Bow Street on Tuesday the Seventh day of November 1882 at Seven o'clock in the forenoon and from that time until Seven o'clock and Forty five minutes in the afternoon then and there to give in their ballots, for a Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor, Attorney General, & the Commonwealth, a Councillor for Councillor District Number Three One Senator for the First Middlesex Senatorial District One County Commissioner for the County of Middlesex for the term of three years also one County Commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Harrison Bamford, for the remainder of the term for which he was elected also five Treasurer for the County of Middlesex, also a Register of Deeds for the South Middlesex County, also five Representatives of said Commonwealth in the Congress of the United States for the Fifth Congressional District, also five Representatives to the General Court for the Fifth Middlesex Representative District, all the foregoing to be filled upon one ballot.

The foregoing chair shall the several officers aforesaid will be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at four o'clock and forty five minutes in the afternoon. Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned.

November 7 1882

Elections Ward Inc.

Witness John A. Cummings Mayor of our said City of Somerville on this the fourteenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Attest, Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

A true Copy of Warrant

Attest George R. Pratt Ward Clerk

A true copy of Warrant

Attest James Mann Constable of Somerville

Copy of Officers Return

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex, ss.

City of Somerville November 7. 1882.

This is to certify that I have warned and notified the citizens of Ward number two in the City of Somerville qualified to vote as the law directs, according to the within warrant by posting a true copy of Warrant in not less than two public places in said Ward near the place of the meeting as specified in the within warrant such copies having been posted by me as aforesaid, I ten days at least before the time of holding the meeting specified in said Warrant, and causing said notice to be published in the Somerville Journal October 28th and November 4th a newspaper published in said city of Somerville

Attest James Mann Constable of Somerville

A true copy of Officers Return

Attest George R. Pratt Ward Clerk.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the citizens of Ward number two qualified to vote as the law directs assembled at the time and place and for the purposes therein expressed Jeremiah Harden, George R. Pratt Clerk, Mark J. Hamilton, James McCoy, Inspectors were severally sworn for the faithful performance of duty by Thomas Cunningham Justice of the Peace.

In the absence of William R. Flaherty Inspector of Tayores Maxwell was balloted for and elected Inspector Pro Tem and duly qualified by Thomas Cunningham Justice of the Peace.

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The warrant calling the meeting and the officers return thereon, was then open read by the Warden who then called upon the inhabitants of said Ward, qualified by law to vote, to give in their votes by ballot for the purposes expressed in said warrant.

At four o'clock and forty five minutes P.M. the poll was closed, and the whole number of ballots given in having been received, sorted and counted in open ward meeting by the Warden and Inspectors of Elections in the manner provided by law the result was as follows namely,

Whole number of votes cast seven hundred and forty nine.

For Governor

Robert R. Bishop	of Newton	had	447
Benjamin F. Butler	of Lowell	"	591
Charles Almy	of New Bedford	"	2

Elections
Return of
Ward Inc

For Lieutenant Governor

Oliver Ames	of Easton	had	687
Samuel W. Dinsmore	of Pittsfield	"	366
John Brackner	of Springfield	"	1

For Secretary of the Commonwealth

[illegible] B. [illegible]	of Worcester	had	606
David A. [illegible]	of Winchester	"	440
[illegible]	of Douglas	"	1

For Treasurer and Receiver General

[illegible] H. Greenwood	of Medford	had	602
William H. [illegible]	of Quincy	"	443
Thomas J. [illegible]	of Saunders	"	1
Charles [illegible]	of Somerville	"	1

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For Auditor

Charles R. Ladd	of Springfield	had	603
John P. Sweeney	of Lawrence	"	441
Jonathan Buck	of Harwich	"	1

For Attorney General

Edgar J. Sherman	of Lawrence	had	672
George Fibery	of Worcester	"	354
Samuel M. Fairfield	of Malden	"	1

For Representative for Congress Fifth District

Selwyn Z. Bowman	of Somerville	had	518
Leopold Morse	of Boston	"	506
Scattering		"	1

For County Treasurer

James Stone	of Everett	had	591
Thomas H. Elite	of Woburn	"	442

For County Commissioner for unexpired term

William S. Frost	of Marlborough	had	477
Benjamin T. Manson	of Framingham	"	442

For County Commissioner for one year

W. S. Frost	of Marlborough	had	126

For Commissioner for three years

Daniel G. Walton	of Wakefield	had	603
Lewis P. Trull	of Everett	"	443
Scattering		"	1

For Register of Deeds South Middlesex District

Charles B. Stevens	of Cambridge	had	587
James W. McDonald	of Marlborough	"	434

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For Councillor Third District

William W. Oliver of Lexington had 603
Joseph W. Oliver of Newton " 443

For Senator First Middlesex District

George A. Bruce of Somerville had 566
Charles F. Atwood of Everett " 433
Eben Jackson of Somerville " 30
L. R. Wood " 1

For Representative to the General Court
Fifth Middlesex District

Charles S. Lincoln of Somerville had 558 is elected
John Kennedy of Somerville had 475
Scattering " 1

Public declaration was thereupon made in open ward meeting by the Warden of the state of the ballots as sorted and counted as aforesaid, and the state of the ballots as aforesaid was likely duly recorded in open ward meeting. The Warden thereupon caused all ballots which had been given in as aforesaid to be secured in an envelope in open ward meeting and sealed with a seal provided for the purpose and the Warden, Clerk and Inspectors indorsed upon said envelope the statement and certificate required by law, all in open ward meeting. The Warden also caused the check list used at said election to be enclosed and sealed in an envelope in open ward meeting, and the Warden, Clerk and Inspectors certified on such envelope to the identity of the check list so enclosed all in the manner provided by law.

The meeting then dissolved.

A true record.

George W. Tuttle Ward Clerk.

November 7. 1882

Elections Ward Three

Record of meeting held in Ward Three on the Seventh day of November A.D. 1882.

To any Constable of the City of Somerville

Greeting

Somerville October 14. 1882.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to warn the Adjoining Ward number three qualified to vote, as the law directs to assemble at the Hall in the Foster School Building, Sycamore Street Tuesday November 7 1882, at seven o'clock in the forenoon and from that time until four o'clock and forty five minutes in the afternoon, then and there to give in their ballots, for a Governor, Lieut Governor, Secretary, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor, Attorney General of the Commonwealth, a Councillor of Councillor District number three, one Senator for the First Middlesex Senatorial District, also for a Representative to the General Court for the Sixth Middlesex Representative District, also for a Representative of said Commonwealth in the Congress of the United States for the Fifth Congressional District, also for one County Commissioner for the County of Middlesex for the term of three years also to vote a County Commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Harrison Tarrant for the remainder of the term for which he was elected, also for a Treasurer for the County of Middlesex, also for a Register of Deeds for the Southern District of Middlesex County, all the foregoing are to be voted for on a Paper, the polls for the choice of all the several officers aforesaid are to be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at four o'clock and forty five minutes in the afternoon, Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned.

Witness John P. Cummings Mayor of our said city of Somerville on the fourteenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By Order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

November 7, 1882

(A) True copy of Warrant

Attest Gardner W. King Ward Clerk

Copy of Officers Return Thereon

Somerville November 7, 1882

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex ss.

This is to certify that I have warned and notified the citizens of Ward number three in the City of Somerville qualified as the law directs, according to the within by posting a true copy of the warrant in not less than ten public places in said ward near the place of meeting as specified in said warrant such copies having been posted by me as aforesaid seven days at least before the time of holding the meeting specified in said warrant and causing said notices to be published in the Somerville Journal October 28th and November 4th a newspaper published in said Somerville.

Attest Clarence Mason Constable of Somerville

(A) True copy of Officers Return

Attest Gardner W. King Ward Clerk

Pursuant to the accompanying warrant the citizens of ward number three qualified to vote as the law directs assembled at the time and place and for the purpose therein expressed.

Their being a war ancy in board of inspectors the citizens proceeded to ballot whole number of ballots seven (7) P.B. May Kew had seven and was declared elected after which the customary oath was administered to him.

The warrant calling the meeting and the officers return thereon was thereupon read by the Warden who then called upon the inhabitants of said Ward qualified by law to vote to give in their votes by ballot for the purposes expressed in said warrant.

At four o'clock and forty five minutes P.M. the polls were closed, and the whole number of ballots given in having been received sorted and counted in open ward meeting by the Warden and Inspectors of Elections in the manner provided by law the result was as follows namely Whole number of votes cast Six hundred and thirty six

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Elections
Returns of
Ward Three

For Governor

Robert R. Bishop	of Newton	had	367
Benjamin F. Butler	of Lowell	"	459
Charles Almy	of New Bedford	"	3
Henry Hall		"	1

For Lieutenant Governor

Oliver Ames	of Easton	had	439
Samuel W. Bowman	of Pittsfield	"	188
John Blackmer	of Springfield	"	3

For Secretary of the Commonwealth

Henry R. Price	of Abington	had	457
David W. Shillings	of Winchester	"	189
Solomon F. Root	of Douglas	"	3

For Treasurer and Receiver General

Daniel H. Gleason	of Medford	had	440
William A. Hodges	of Quincy	"	189
Thomas J. Lothrop	of Dawson	"	3

For Auditor

Charles R. Ladd	of Springfield	had	441
John H. Sweeney	of Lawrence	"	188
Jonathan Buck	of Warwick	"	3

Attorney General

George F. Berry	of Worcester	had	188
Edgar J. Sherman	of Lawrence	"	440
Samuel M. Fairfield	of Malden	"	3

For Representative to Congress Fifth Congressional District

Selwyn G. Bowman	of Somerville	had	449
Leopold Morse	of Boston	"	189
Peter Cummings	of Woburn	"	1

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For County Treasurer

J. Dines Stone	of Everett	had	419
Thomas A. Hill	of Woburn	"	192
Ammi Butler	of Stoneham	"	3

For County Commissioner for unexpired term

William S. Frost	of Marlborough	had	436
Benjamin G. Manson	of Framingham	"	188
Isaac Fellows	of Natick	"	3

County Commissioner for Three Years

Daniel G. Walton	of Wakefield	had	435
Lewis P. True	of Everett	"	187

For Register of Deeds South Middlesex District

Charles B. Stevens of	of Cambridge	had	420
James M. McDonald	of Marlborough	"	185

For Councillor Third District

William H. Lower	of Lexington	had	425
Joseph H. Stover	of Newton	"	194
James H. Roberts	of Cambridge	"	3

For Senator First Middlesex District

George W. Brown	of Somerville	had	444
Charles F. Atwood	of Everett	"	182

For Representative to the General Court
Sixth Middlesex District

Edward Glines	of Somerville	had	406
Edward Forte	of Somerville	"	161
Franklin N. Poor	of Somerville	"	61
John Seaber	of Somerville	"	1

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Public declaration was thereupon made in open ward meeting by the Warden, of the state of the ballots, as sorted and counted as aforesaid; and the state of the ballots, as aforesaid was likewise duly recorded in open ward meeting. The Warden thereupon caused all ballots which had been given in as aforesaid was to be secured in an envelope in open ward meeting and sealed with a seal provided for the purpose, and the Warden Clerk and Inspectors indorsed upon said envelope the statement and certificate required by law, all in open ward meeting. The Warden also caused the check list used at said election to be enclosed and sealed in an envelope in open ward meeting, and the Warden Clerk and Inspectors certified on such envelope to the identity of the check list, so enclosed, all in the manner provided by law.

The meeting then dissolved.

(True record)

(Gardner, W. Ring) Ward Clerk.

Election Ward Four.

Ward Four.

Record of meeting held in Ward Four on the seventh day of November A.D. 1882.

Copy of Warrant

City of Somerville October 14. 1882.

To any Constable of the City of Somerville.

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward Number Four qualified as the law directs, to assemble at the Ward Room in Morse School Building, Summer Street Tuesday November 7 1882, at seven o'clock in the forenoon and from that time until four o'clock and forty five minutes in the afternoon then and there to give in their ballots for a Governor, Lieutenant Governor Secretary Treasurer and Receiver General, auditor Attorney General of the Commonwealth, A Councillor for Councillor District number Three, One Senator for the Fifth Senatorial District.

also for a Representative to the General Court for the Sixth Middlesex Representative District —
also for a Representative to the General Court for the Sixth Middlesex Representative District —
also for a Representative of said Commonwealth in the Congress of the United States for the fifth Congressional District —
also for a County Commissioner for the County of Middlesex for the term of three years —
also to elect a County Commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Harrison Harwood for the remainder of the term for which he was elected —
also for a Treasurer for the County of Middlesex —
also a Register of Deeds for the Southern District of Middlesex County —
All the foregoing are to be voted for on one ballot —
The polls for the choice of all the several officers aforesaid will be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and close at four o'clock and forty five minutes in the afternoon. Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned —
Witness John H. Cummings, Mayor of our said City of Somerville, on this the fourteenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and eighty two —
— By order of the Mayor and Aldermen —
Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk —
A true Copy of Warrant Attest —
Louis Blom Ward Clerk pro Tem —
— Copy of Officers Return thereon —
— Somerville November 7, 1882 —
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex, ss.
This is to certify that I have warned and notified the citizens of Ward number four in the City of Somerville qualified to vote as the law directs according to the within warrant by posting a true copy of the within warrant in not less than ten public places in said ward near the place

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of meeting in said Ward as specified in said warrant such copies having been posted by me as aforesaid seven days at least before the time of holding the meeting specified in said warrant, and causing said notice to be published in the Somerville Journal October 28th and November 4th a newspaper published in said Somerville.

Attest, Jarvis Mann, Constable of Somerville.

A true copy of Officers return.

Attest Louis B. Carr Ward Clerk Pro tem.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the citizens of ward number four qualified to vote as the law directs assembled at the time and place and for the purposes therein expressed. In the absence of the Ward Clerk, Louis B. Carr was duly chosen ward clerk pro tem and was qualified by the Warden, in the absence of the Inspectors F. H. Fiske and Lewis C. Flanagan were chosen Inspectors pro tem, and were duly qualified by the Warden;

The warrant calling the meeting and the officers return thereon, was thereupon read by the Warden who then called upon the inhabitants of said Ward, qualified by law to vote, to give in their votes by ballot for the purposes expressed in said Warrant;

At four o'clock thirty five minutes P. M. the polls were closed, and the whole number of ballots given in having been received, sorted and counted in open ward meeting by the Warden and Inspectors of Elections in the manner provided by law, the result was as follows namely,

Whole number of votes cast was Five hundred and fifty five.

Elections. Returns of Ward Clerk

For Governor

Robert R. Bishop	of Arnden	had	3.11
Benjamin F. Butler	of Lowell	"	2.38
Charles Almy	of New Bedford	"	[illegible]

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For Lieutenant Governor

Oliver Ames	of Easton	had	368	✓
James W. Bowerman	of Pittsfield	"	186	✓
George Fuller	of Springfield	"	3	✓
John Blackmer	of Springfield	"	3	✓

For Secretary of State

Henry D. Pierce	of Abington	had	370	✓
David H. Hastings	of Winchester	"	181	✓
John Hayes	of Worcester	"	3	✓
Seymour Flint	of Douglas	"	3	✓

For Treasurer and Receiver General

Daniel W. Gleason	of Medford	had	365	✓
William H. Hodges	of Quincy	"	181	✓
George Foster	of Lynn	"	3	✓
Thomas J. Lothrop	of Taunton	"	3	✓

For Auditor

Charles R. Ladd	of Springfield	had	370	✓
John P. Sweeney	of Lawrence	"	179	✓
Augustus L. Merchant	of Lowell	"	3	✓
Jonathan Birch	of Warwick	"	3	✓

For Attorney General

Edward J. Sherman	of Lawrence	had	369	✓
George F. Henry	of Worcester	"	180	✓
[illegible]	of Athol	"	3	✓
[illegible]	of Malden	"	3	✓

For Representative to Congress Fifth District

Selwyn Z. Bowman	of Somerville	had	302	✓
Leopold Morse	of Boston	"	231	✓
Nathaniel [illegible]	of Boston	"	2	✓
[illegible]	of Woburn	"	1	✓

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For County Treasurer

Thomas Stone	of Everett	had	322
Thomas S. Hill	of Melrose	"	175
Amos Cutler	of Stoneham	"	3

For County Commissioner unspecified term

William S. Frost	of Marlborough	had	369
Benjamin P. Manson	of Framingham	"	173

For County Commissioner for Three Years

Daniel G. Walton	of Wakefield	had	367
James F. Price	of Everett	"	175

For Register of Deeds South Middlesex District

Charles B. Stevens	of Cambridge	had	324
James H. MacDonald	of Marlborough	"	179

For Councillor Third District

William H. Power	of Lexington	had	369
Joseph W. Stover	of Newton	"	180
James S. Roberts	of Cambridge	"	3

For Senator First Middlesex District

George W. Bruce	of Somerville	had	372
Charles A. Atwood	of Everett	"	177

For Representatives to the General Court
Sixth Middlesex District

Edward Glines	of Somerville	had	350
Edward Fitz	of Somerville	"	157
Franklin N. Lee	of Somerville	"	65

For County Commissioner no time specified

Isaac M. Allen	of Natick	had	3
William S. Frost	of Marlborough	"	3

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Public declaration was thereupon made in open ward meeting by the warden, of the state of the ballots as sorted and counted as aforesaid and the state of the ballots as aforesaid was likewise duly recorded in open ward meeting, the Warden thereupon caused all ballots which had been given in as aforesaid to be secured in an envelope in open ward meeting and sealed with a seal provided for the purpose, and the Wardens, Clerk and Inspectors indorsed upon said envelope the Statement and Certificate required by law, all in open ward meeting. The Warden also caused the check list sent at said election to be enclosed and sealed in an envelope in open ward meeting, and the Warden, Clerk and Inspectors certified on said envelope to the identity of the check list so enclosed, all in the manner provided by law.

The meeting then dissolved.

Attest: Lewis B. Lane

Ward Clerk pro tem.

Return of Clerks of the Sixth Middlesex Representative District

City of Somerville, November 8, 1882.

To the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

Minor Certificate Witnesseth that at a legal meeting of the inhabitants of City of Somerville for Representative District number 12 in the County of Middlesex qualified to vote for Civil Officers holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty two, for the purpose of giving in their for Representative in the General Court, for said District, all the ballots given in therefor were sorted counted and recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed and were for the following persons namely.

Edward Glines of Somerville had seven hundred eighty six

Edward Forte of Somerville had two hundred & seventy eight

Frank Sinclair of Somerville had one hundred & twenty six

John Herbert of Somerville had one.

Elections

Return of Clerks of Sixth Middlesex Representative District

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Edward L. Glines having received the largest number of votes was declared elected Representative to the General Court from the Sixth Middlesex Representative District.

Gardner W. King Clerk of Ward Three
Lewis D. Law Clerk pro tem Ward Four.

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

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Meeting No. 24. B.S.

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen November 14 1882.
Mayor Cummings presiding.

Aldermen Ward, Wellington, Rowlstone, Page, Clark, Burns, Durgin & Weld present.

Record of last meeting approved.

Licenses Junk permits granted

John Hoar, Sawyer Lawrence, Frank Nash and David Levin were granted licenses to collect junk

Intention to Build Permits granted

Notice of Intention to Build Permits Granted
J. Hill, Bond Street; R. D. Kinney, Colleen Street
J. F. Tarrey, Highland Avenue; Mrs Spruce, Tom Avenue
Margaret Elston, Springfield Street; Mary Scanlan
Fitchburg Street; George W. Burke's School Street.

Police Report of Chief

Report of Chief of Police received and read for inscription.

Street Lights Park Avenue petition of

Petition of L. W. Jones and others for a Street Lamp on Park Avenue was referred to the Committee on Street Lights with full powers sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council November 14 1882
Concurred in Douglas Freeman Clerk

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Report of Committee on Street Lights
City of Somerville
In Committee on Street Lights Nov 3. 1882,
To the City Council of Somerville,
The Committee on Fuel and Street Lights to which was referred the petition of Jesse H. Cummings for the moving of a street lamp on Wallace street reports that the lamp has been moved as prayed for at a cost of $10 00/100 and a bill rendered therefor.
By order of the Committee
George S. Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council November 16. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Street Lights
Report of Committee on petition of J. H. Cummings

Report of Committee on Fuel and Street Lights
City of Somerville
In Committee on Fuel and Street Lights Nov 3. 1882,
To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Fuel and Street Lights to which was referred the communication from the School Committee calling on the annual supply of School Fuel reports that the Fuel has been provided as per contract with Walter M. Hadley.
By order of the Committee
George S. Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council November 16. 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Fuel & Street Lights
Report of Committee on School Fuel

The Report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department was received read and sent down for information.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council November 16. 1882
Concurred received and read for information
Douglas Frazar Clerk

Fire Department
Report of Chief.

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Sewers ✓
Cat. Basin
Clarendon Ave.
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers November 6, 1882
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville,
The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Henry Emerson for a catch basin on Clarendon Avenue, respectfully recommending that the petitioner have leave to withdraw.
By order of the Committee
George Vincent Clark
Report Accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers ✓
Contracts made
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers November 14, 1882,
To the Board of Aldermen
of Somerville,
The Committee on Sewers reports that in accordance with orders dated respectively October 4th and Oct 31 1882 contracts in the construction of common sewers have been made as follows: with Richard Fairbay for sewer in Shawmut Street, Shawmut Place and Arthur Street and with Maurice Bullivan for sewer in Broadway.
By order of the Committee
George Vincent Clark
Report Accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Aldermen ✓
Sewers
Communication from Lucius Tuttle

Communication from Lucius Tuttle
To His Honor the Mayor
and the Board of Aldermen
of the City of Somerville Greeting
The undersigned occupant by lease of the premises [illegible] Main Avenue Street in the City of Somerville
Respectfully represents that during the months of October just past, defects were discovered in the sewer drainage from said premises and the sewers were extended to accordingly the Foreman and [illegible] $20.10

[illegible] Pumping $30.00. Total $50.40...
that after these expenditures were made it was found that there were no defects in the drainage pipes upon said premises but that the trouble arose from the sewer pipe from said premises in Mt Vernon Street which was formerly connected with the Mt Vernon Street Sewer having been disconnected by direction of an officer of the City of Somerville early in the year 1881 and that this was done without said officer having taken due care to ascertain whether the pipe so disconnected was necessary to the drainage of said premises and without proper notice either to the undersigned or to the owner of said premises. In reason of the above facts the undersigned believes that he should not be forced to bear the aforesaid expenses which he believes to have been made necessary which through the lack of proper care of an officer of said City, and respectfully petitions hereby that he be reimbursed by the said City of Somerville in the sum of 50 [illegible] dollars, and that if it shall be deemed necessary a hearing shall be appointed at which he may appear and further present his case.

Leroy Sutter.

60 [illegible] Street Somerville, Mass

Referred to the Committee on Sewers

Charles E. [illegible] Clerk.

The petition of [illegible] for permission to move building from [illegible] Avenue to [illegible] Square was granted.

Petition for permit to move building granted

Petition of Joseph H. James for a hearing in reference to his petition [illegible] was referred to the Committee on Licenses

Licenses. Petition of Joseph H. James for a hearing.

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Sewer Dover Street Petition for	Petition of E. S. Spaulding and others for a sewer in Dover Street. Referred to the Committee on Sewers.
Sewer Highland Ave Petition for	Petition of B. P. Lovejoy and others for a sewer in Highland Avenue Ward. Referred to the Committee on Sewers.
Sidewalk Linwood Street petition for	Petition of George McLaughlin and others for a sidewalk on Linwood Street. Referred to the Committee on Highways.
Petition of G. Barry to move building granted	Petition of Garrett Barry for permit to move Buildings. Permit granted.
Street Driveway Spaulding St Petition for	Petition of James E. Whitaker for a Driveway in front of his premises on Spaulding Street. Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council November 16 1882. Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.
Street Light Hall Street Petition for	Petition of Isaac S. Winslow for a Street Lamp on Hall Street. Referred to the Committee on Street Lights with four powers and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council November 16. 1882. Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.
Street Lights Columbus Ave Petition for	Petition of William H. Bonner for a Street Lamp on Columbus Avenue referred to the Committee on Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Charles E. Gilman Clerk. In Common Council November 16. 1882. Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

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Petition of [illegible] for a Street Lamp at the corner of [illegible] Street and Tennessee Avenue
Referred to the Committee on Street Lights with [illegible] and sent down for concurrence
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council ——— November 14. 1882.
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Street Lights
[illegible] Lexington [illegible]
Petition [illegible]

Petition of [illegible] for the enlargement of the [illegible] Lane and Wigglesworth Street in [illegible]
Referred to the Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence ——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council ——— November 14. 1882.
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Streets
Highway
petition of [illegible]

Report of Committee on Highways ———
——— City of Somerville ———
In Committee on Highways November 6, 1882,
To the City Council of Somerville ———
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petitions of John [illegible] and others, for the grading and accordance of Boston Street from Washington to Walnut Streets" reports that the petitioners have not presented a plan and requirement as required by Ordinance, although note [illegible] the requirement, and it is hereby recommended that they be granted leave to withdraw.
——— By Order of the Committee ———
——— George [illegible] Clerk ———
[illegible] and sent down for concurrence
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council ——— November 16. 1882.
Concurred in ———
——— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets
Report of Com on petition of John [illegible]

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Streets
Report of Committee on petition of C. J. North and others.

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville.

In Committee on Highways November 6, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Charles J. North and others for the acceptance of Boston and Rush Streets at the southerly end of the Jersey as far as the estate of Mrs. George C. Strong Crosby and at the latter as far as the estate of Charles J. North reports that the petitioners have failed to present a plan and agreement as required by ordinance and recommends that they be granted leave to withdraw.

By order of the Committee
George Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council November 16, 1882
Concurred in
Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Streets
Report of Committee on petition of John C. Woods and others.

Report of Committee on Highways.
In Committee on Highways November 6, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of John M. Woods of E. Mattie and others that Short Street between Highland Avenue and Summer Street be graded, edgestones set and gutters paved, recommends that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.

By order of the Committee
George Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council November 16, 1882
Concurred in
Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Report of Committee on Highways

In Committee on Highways November 6, 1882

To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the communications from the Boston and Lowell Railroad, commencing its petition for leave to cross lines and Walnut streets while rebuilding its bridges at these points and the communication from the same company requesting prodyaction on said petition reports that said company has presented a plan and communication shewing the manner in which it proposes to rebuild said bridges and as its plans are not satisfactory to this Committee it is hereby recommended that it be granted leave to withdraw.

By order of the Committee

George Tibbinson Clerk

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council November 14 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets

Report of Committee on petition of Boston & Lowell R.R. Co.

Report of Committee on Highways

City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways November 6, 1882

To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of George T. Williamson and others for a crossing on the northerly side of the Hamilton Street across Bracon street report recommending that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw

By order of the Committee

George Tibbinson Clerk

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council November 14 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets

Report of Committee on petition of G. T. Williamson & others

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Street, Report of Committee on Highways
Removal of trees on Orchard Street

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways November 6, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of A. G. Smith for the removal of your balm of Gilead Trees in front of his estate on Orchard Street corner of Chester Street, and for permission to replace them with "Maple Trees" reports that the trees have been removed and permission granted to set out them as prayed for.
By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council November 14, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Street, Report of Committee on Highways
Removal of trees on Franklin Street

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways November 6, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Edward Watkins for the removal of some of the trees in front of his estate on Franklin Street, reports that the trees have been removed to the satisfaction of the petitioner.
By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council November 14, 1882
Concurred in
Douglas Frazar Clerk.

November 14. 1882

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville.
To the City Council of Somerville:
The Committee on Highways, to which was referred the petition of Louis E. Merry and others that the running of cars by the Union Railway Co. through that part of Dover street where there are no tracks be stopped, reports that the running of cars, as stated in the petition has been discontinued.
By order of the Committee
George T. Vincent Clerk.
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council November 14. 1882
Concurred. Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Street
Report of Committee on petition of Louis E. Merry and others
Cars in Dover St.

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville.
In Committee on Highways November 6. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Richard Tracy for a driveway in front of his estate" is [illegible] reports that the driveway prayed for has been constructed at a cost of $5.00 and the bill therefor sent to the Treasurer for collection.
By order of the Committee
Geo. T. Vincent Clerk.
Report accepted, and sent down for Concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council November 16. 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Facets
Report of Committee
Driveway Nov. 1882

The Communication of Edwards in reference to the construction of a sewer in Winthrop Square
Referred to the Committee on Sewers

Sewers
Winthrop Ave
Communication from M. E. Lowe

November 14, 1882

Street Driveway Cross Street Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways November 6, 1882,
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of John C. Ellis that the driveway in front of his estate on Bristol Street corner of Cross Street be discontinued and a brick sidewalk be laid in its place reports that the work has been done as prayed for at a cost of $10 00/100, and the bill therefor sent to the Treasurer for collection.

By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Public Property Repair of School houses Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Public Property
City of Somerville

In Committee on Public Property Nov 14, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Public Property to which was referred the communication from the School Committee calling for the annual repairs of School Property reports that the needed repairs have been made.

By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council November 14, 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Sewers Dover Street Order to extend

Aldermen Newcomb offered the following Order
City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen Nov 14, 1882.
Ordered That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized to extend the sewer in Dover street about one hundred feet in a Southwesterly direction and

report to this board after the completion of said extension of sewer, the cost thereof with a list of assessments upon estates benefited. J. L. Norcross

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Alderman Rowstone offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen Nov 14, 1882 Ordered

That the Committee on Soldiers' Relief be and is hereby authorized to expend a sum not to exceed one hundred and fifty dollars for thanksgiving Turkeys to be furnished by said Committee to needy soldiers and families of soldiers of the late war, the sum so expended to be charged to miscellaneous account.

Thos E. Rowstone

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council November 16, 1881

Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence. Douglas Frazar Clerk

Soldiers' Relief, Order to purchase turkeys for soldiers

Report of Committee on Highways

City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways November 6, 1882

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Alexander Foster Forster and others for a brick sidewalk on the easterly side of Laurel Street recommend that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.

By order of the Committee Grace Vincent Clerk

Report accepted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sidewalks Laurel Street Report of Committee

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Street Sidewalks Glen Street Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways November 6, 1882
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Cyrus Cusby and others for edgestones and sidewalks in Glen Street between Hinds and Prairie Streets recommends that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.
By order of the Committee
George Tibbetts Clerk.
Report accepted — Charles E. Pilman Clerk.

Sewers Catch Basin Beacon Street Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers November 14, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.
The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of the Charles River Street Railway Co. that a catch basin be placed on the northerly side of Beacon Street between Park and Vine Street recommends that a catch basin be built as prayed for if the petitioners will pay one half of the cost.
By order of the Committee
George Tibbetts Clerk.

Sewers Beacon Street Catch Basin Order to Construct

Alderman Norcross offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Aldermen November 14, 1882.
Ordered
That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized to construct a catch basin on the northerly side of Beacon Street between Park and Vine Street as prayed for by the Charles River Street Railway Co. if said Railway Company shall agree to pay one half of the cost of the expenses to the City to be charged to Sewer account.
Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.
Charles E. Pilman Clerk

November 14, 1882

Report of Committee on Sewers

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers November 11, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers reports that in accordance with an order dated June 13, 1882, there has been constructed in Bond Street, from the terminus of the Jaques Street Sewer near the centre of Temple Street, thence southwestward by 194½ ft. of 12 in. pipe sewer, with three manholes at a cost of $[illegible], and presents a list of assessments with a warrant and order for their collection.

By order of the Committee

George Stringent Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list, Warrant and order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Common Sewer Assessment

Schedule of assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, to defray, in part, the cost of constructing a common sewer in the City of Somerville in Bond Street, and extending from the Jaques Street Sewer near the centre of Temple Street, withwestward by 194½ feet.

Sewers

Bond Street

Completion of Report of Committee

Sewers

Bond Street

Assessment list

Owners of estates benefited	Number of feet of land	Valuation	Rate per cent of assessment	Assessment	
Est of Samuel Littlefield	10,500	$2,100.00	4½%	$ 94	50
Defer D. Bowman	10,000	2,000.00	"	90	00
John B. Dearborn	10,000	2,000.00	"	90	00
George R. Smith	5,000	1,000.00	"	45	00
Heirs of Eugene L. Norton	5,000	1,000.00	"	45	00
Heirs of Samuel L. Tucker	5,000	1,000.00	"	45	00
Mary E. Hawes	5,000	1,000.00	"	45	00
John W. Brooks	4,000	800.00	"	36	00
John W. Brooks	4,000	800.00	"	36	00
John W. Brooks	4,000	800.00	"	36	00
Susan L. Johnson	4,000	800.00	"	36	00
Geoffrey S. McCalentyne	4,000	800.00	"	36	00
City of Somerville	10,000	2,000.00	"	90	00

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John W. Brooks	4,000	$ 800.00	4½%	$ 36	00
John W. Brooks	4,000	800.00	"	36	00
Joseph E. Beauham	4,000	800.00	"	36	00
Anna J. Ward	4,000	800.00	"	36	00
John W. Brooks	4,000	800.00	"	36	00
John W. Brooks	4,000	800.00	"	36	00
First Parish Charlestown	4,000	800.00	"	36	00
Thomas E. Cowen	4,000	800.00	"	36	00
Mark & Elsworth Fisk	5,000	1,000.00	"	45	00
Sarah E. & Frederick A. Fisk	5,000	1,000.00	"	45	00
Emma A. Fisk	5,000	1,000.00	"	45	00
Mary S. Bement	4,505	901.00	"	40	55
William Neal	4,300	860.00	"	38	70
Jeremiah McCarty	4,500	900.00	"	40	50
Cornelius Murphy	5,800	1,160.00	"	52	20
Wm. Neal	4,300	860.00	"	38	70
Martin Tracy	3,300	660.00	"	29	70
Warren Inst. for savings	5,900	1180.00	"	53	10
		$32,021.00		$1440	95

For a description of the estates benefited see plan drawn by George H. Kimball City Engineer, dated September 20, 1882 entitled "Bond sheet sewer" and herewith submitted

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

Sewer Bond sheet the Warrant

To John S. Coe, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the city of Somerville in said County — (Greeting)

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you of each one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list to wit:

Fourteen hundred and forty and ninety five 100 dollars being the whole amount of assessments made by the Mayor and aldermen of said city, to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in said City of Somerville.

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in Bond Street and extending from the Jaques Street sewer near the centre of Temple Street northwestwardly 794½ feet the same having been ascertained, assessed and certified hereby

You are to complete and make upon account of the collection of said sums, and pay the same into the Treasury of said City, on or before the 1st day of April next ensuing the date hereof, and in making collection and ensuring the payment of said sums you are to exercise the power conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth, and to be governed thereby.

Witness John Adamsings Mayor for said City of Somerville on the 14th day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

November 14, 1882.

Ordered,

That the cost of constructing the common sewer within referred to amounting to $2,807.14/100, and after deducting the proportion thereof, namely, $1,366.19/100 to be paid by the City, there remaining $1,140.95/100, to be assessed upon persons benefited the persons named in the within schedule being benefited as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer, and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant as within stated be adopted and issued. Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list, warrant and order adopted. Charles E. Gilman

Clerk.

Sewer ✓
Bond Street
assessment order

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Sewers
Joy & Washington St.
Completion of
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers November 11, 1882

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers, reports that in accordance with an order dated July 25, 1882, there has been constructed in Joy and Washington Streets from the terminus of the sewer in Joy Street built in 1879 to a point in Washington Street 120 feet easterly from the northeasterly line of Linnwood Street 749½ feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with 4 manholes, at a cost of $1,152.39 ½ m and presents a list of assessments with a warrant and order for their collection

By order of the Committee

George I Vincent Clerk

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewer
Joy & Washington St.
Assessment List

Common Sewer Assessment
Joy and Washington Streets

Schedule of assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen to defray in part the cost of constructing a Common Sewer in the City of Somerville in Joy and Washington Streets and extending from the sewer built in 1879 in Joy Street to a point in Washington Street 120 feet easterly from the northeasterly line of Linnwood Street.

Owner of Estate benefited	Number of feet of Land	Valuation	Rate per cent of assess.	Assessment	
Rufus Litchfield	14,250	$2,921.25	3½%	$102	24
James R. White	5,700	1,168.50	"	40	90
Michael A. Kelley	2,850	584.25	"	20	45
John Walsh	2,850	584.25	"	20	45
Charlestown Sd. Savings Bank	3990	817.95	"	28	63
George Mulliken	7750	1,588.75	"	55	61
Arthur M. Clement	6000	1,230.00	"	43	05
Joanna Kinsley	1610	536.67	"	18	78

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[illegible]	2,630	789.00	3½%	27	62
[illegible]	2,900	550.00	"	20	30
William [illegible]	3,000	600.00	"	21	00
[illegible]	4,500	900.00	"	31	50
[illegible]	3,450	690.00	"	24	15
[illegible]	16,900	2816.67	"	98	58
[illegible]	2,520	787.40	"	27	56
James [illegible]	3,280	684.80	"	24	11
[illegible]	4,050	850.50	"	29	77
William [illegible]	5,400	1,134.00	"	39	69
[illegible]	2,700	567.00	"	19	85
City of [illegible]	2,960	592.00	"	20	72
John [illegible]	3,000	600.00	"	21	00
Michael [illegible]	5,000	1000.00	"	35	00
[illegible]	4,000	800.00	"	28	00
[illegible]	4,500	900.00	"	31	50
[illegible]	3,500	700.00	"	24	50
[illegible]	4,000	800.00	"	28	00
		25,216.99		$882	96

[illegible] by George W. [illegible] City Engineer, dated August 28, 1882 [illegible] and Washington Streets Sewer and herewith submitted.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

To [illegible] Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of [illegible] in said County Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to levy and to collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you, of each on his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list to wit:

Eight hundred eighty two & 96/100 dollars, being the sum of assessments made by the Mayor and aldermen of said city to defray in part the cost of

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Boys Washington St
and Warrant

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Constructing a common sewer in said city of Somerville, in Joy and Washington Street, and extending from the sewer built in 1879 in Joy Street to a point in Washington Street 100 feet easterly from the northeasterly line of Linwood Street; the same having been ascertained, assessed and certified hereby. You are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums, and pay the same into the treasury of said city, on or before the first day of April next ensuing the date hereof, and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth and to be governed thereby. Witness John A. Cummings Mayor of our said city of Somerville on this 14th day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty two

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

Sewers
Joy - Washington St
Amount order

City of Somerville,

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

November 14, 1882.

Ordered, That the cost of constructing the common sewer, within referred to amounting to $1132.37 and after deducting the proportion thereof namely $269.43 to be paid by the city, there remaining $862.96 to be assessed upon persons benefited, the persons named in the within schedule being benefited as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names, as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer, and the same is certified as within stated and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant, as within stated be adopted and issued. Attest, Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

Report accepted assessment list Warrant and order adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Report of Committee on Highways

City of Somerville

The Committee on Highways November 6, 1882,

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Highways reports that in accordance with an order dated Mar. 23, 1882, a brick sidewalk with edgestones has been constructed in the easterly side of Day Street from Elm Street to the Cambridge line at a cost of $1,254.[illegible] and presents a list, of assessments for one half of the cost of said sidewalk with a warrant and order for their collection.

By order of the Committee

George I Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list, Warrant & order adopted;

Sidewalk Assessment Day Street;

To [illegible] the cost of grading and constructing sidewalks in the City of Somerville in Day Street in said city and on the easterly side thereof and extending from Elm Street to the Cambridge line with edgestones and covered with brick;

Abutters on said Sidewalks	Cost of sidewalk		Deduction [illegible]	
[illegible]	309	56	154	[illegible]
[illegible] Congregational Society	121	24	60	62
[illegible]	53	25	26	27
[illegible]	115	61	57	[illegible]
Joseph [illegible]	11[illegible]	00	5[illegible]	00
[illegible]	111	41	55	71
[illegible]	105	55	5[illegible]	42
[illegible]	125	06	62	5[illegible]
[illegible]	112	05	56	03
[illegible]	64	55	32	27
[illegible]	10	02	5	01

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex, ss.

In [illegible] Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of the City of Somerville (Greeting)

Sidewalks ✓ Day Street construction ✓

Sidewalks ✓ Day Street Ass't List

Sidewalk ✓ Day Street [illegible]

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In the [illegible] of the Commonwealth [illegible] said [illegible] [illegible] to [illegible] and [illegible] of the several persons named in the [illegible] [illegible] committed to you, [illegible] his proportion thereof [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of the same [illegible] of said [illegible] to [illegible] ——

—— Six hundred and twenty seven and [illegible] [illegible] being the amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said City to defray in part the cost of grading and constructing sidewalks in said city of Somerville in Bay Street in said city and on the easterly side thereof and extending from [illegible] street to the Cambridge line with [illegible] and covered with brick, the same having been ascertained, assessed and certified, hereby.

Now are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums and pay the same into the Treasury of said City on or before the [illegible] day of April next ensuing the date hereof; and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums, you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth, and to be governed thereby.

Witness John P. Cummings Mayor of our said city of Somerville, on this the 14th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

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Bay Street
Assessment order to collect

Ordered, that the cost of grading and constructing the sidewalks within referred to amounting respectively to the sums specified in the within schedule and after deducting the proportion thereof namely one half to be paid by the city there remaining the sums specified in the within schedule being one half of such cost to be assessed upon the abutters the persons named in the within schedule being abutters on such sidewalk, as aforesaid be and they are hereby charged and assessed with with the sums therein set to their respective names

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as their just proportional part of the expense of the said side-walk and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenant, or lessee, and it is ordered that the warrant as within stated be adopted and issued.

Attest Charles E. Gilman, City Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

Report of Committee on Sewers.

City of Somerville.

In Committee on Sewers November 14 1882

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers reports that in accordance with an order dated September 12, 1882 there has been constructed in a Passageway running westwardly from Linwood Street between Congress place and Linwood place, 96 feet of 10 inch pipe sewer at a cost of $128.13 and presents a list of assessments with a warrant and order for their collection.

By order of the Committee

George T. Vincent, Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

Sewers. Passage way between Congress Pl. & Linwood Pl.

Common Sewer Assessment.

The duties of assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in the city of Somerville in a passage way leading westwardly from Linwood Street between Congress Place and Linwood Place.

Sewers. Congress & Linwood Pl. assessment list.

Owners of Estates benefited	number of feet	valuation	rate per cent	assessment	
Michael J. Gilleran	600	$120.00	6%	7	20
Heirs of William Costello	600	120.00	"	7	20
Burdett (Lenny)	600	120.00	"	7	20
Hugh Carton	600	120.00	"	7	20

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Heirs of Mary Flaherty	600	120.00	6%	7	20
Patrick Campbell	710	142.00	"	8	52
Peter Field	1330	266.00	"	15	96
Catherine Haley	660	132.00	"	7	92
Jeremiah Sullivan	680	136.00	"	8	16
Matilda C. Allen	680	136.00	"	8	16
Bradford H. H. Blessington	680	136.00	"	8	16
		$1,548.00		$91	88

The description of the estates benefited as given above is of George Kimball City Engineer, dated October 23, 1882. Entitled "Sewer in passage way between Congress Place and Linwood Place and herewith submitted."

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

Sewer Commissioners Harrant

To John Field Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville in said County — Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to levy and to collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you of each one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list to wit:

Ninety two and 88/100 dollars

being the whole amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said city to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in said city of Somerville in a passage way leading westwardly from Linwood Street between Congress Place and Linwood Place, the same having been ascertained, assessed and certified hereby.

You are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums and pay the same into the Treasury of said city on or before the first day of April next ensuing the date hereof and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth and to be governed thereby.

Witness John A Cummings Mayor of our said city of Somerville on this 14th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E Gilman City Clerk

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

November 14, 1882,

Ordered, that the cost of constructing the common sewer, within referred to, amounting to $108.13 and after deducting the proportion thereof namely $15.25 to be paid by the city, there remaining $92.88 to be assessed upon persons benefited the persons named in the within schedule being benefited as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names, as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer, and the same is certified as within stated and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant, as within stated be adopted and issued

Attest Charles E Gilman City Clerk

Report accepted assessment list Warrant and order adopted

Charles E Gilman Clerk

Report of Committee on Sewers

City of Somerville

Sewers Belmont Street Completion of

In Committee on Sewers November 14, 1882

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers report that in accordance with an order dated September 12, 1882, there has been constructed in Belmont Street from the terminus of the sewer built in Belmont Street in 1881 thence northeastwardly 45 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with 2 manholes at a cost of $596.95 and presents a list of assessments with a warrant and order for their collection

By order of Committee Geo I Vincent Clerk

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Robert accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted. Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

Common Sewer assessment. Belmont Street. Schedule of Assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer, in the City of Somerville, in Belmont Street and extending from the terminus of the sewer built in Belmont Street in 1881, to a point 37 feet southwesterly from Summer Street thence northeastwardly in Belmont Street 437 feet.

Sewer Belmont Street Assessment List

Owners of Estates benefited	number of feet of land	valuation	Rate per cent assess.	assessment	
William Barrett	9300	1860.00	3⅓%	62	00
Joel Pettee	9800	1960.00	"	65	33
Carolyn P. Damon	9050	1810.00	"	60	33
Robert M. Thirley	9050	1810.00	"	60	33
Nathan Tufts	9000	1800.00	"	60	00
Ephraim L. Manson	9100	1820.00	"	60	67
First Baptist Society of Somerville	9000	1800.00	"	60	00
First Baptist Society of Somerville	11700	2340.00	"	78	00
		$15,200.00		$506	66

For description of the estates benefited see plan drawn by George H. Kimball, City Engineer dated September 26, 1882 entitled "Belmont Street Sewer" and herewith submitted.

Sewer Belmont Street Assessment

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex, ss.

To John S. Cole, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville in said County Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you, of each one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list to wit:

Five hundred and six and 66/100 dollars,

being the whole amount of assessments made by the Mayor and aldermen of said city to defray in part the cost of constructing a Common Sewer in said City of Somerville in Belmont Street

and extending from the terminus of the sewer built in 1881 at a point 37 feet Southwesterly from Summer Street thence northeastwardly in Belmont Street 437 feet the same having been ascertained, assessed and certified hereby you are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums, and pay the same into the treasury of said city, on or before the 1st day of April next ensuing the date hereof, and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums, you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth and to be governed thereby.

Witness John H. Cummings Mayor of our said city of Somerville on this 14th day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen November 14, 1882.

Ordered

That the cost of constructing the common sewer, within referred to amounting to $596.98, and after deducting the proportion thereof namely $90.32 to be paid by the city there remaining $506.66 to be assessed upon persons benefited the persons named in the within schedule, being benefited as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names as their proportion as part of the expense of the said sewer, and the same in certified as within stated and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant as within stated be adopted and issued. Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Report accepted. Assessment lien, warrant and order adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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Sewers, Sacramento & Miller Streets, Completion of

Report of Committee on Sewers

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers, November 11, 1882.

To the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers reports that in accordance with an order dated September 12, 1881, there has been constructed in Sacramento and Miller Streets from the sewer in Bracen Street thence northwestwardly in Sacramento street to Miller Street 24 feet of 17 inch to 24 inch Brick Sewer and thence in Miller Street 270 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with 2 manholes at a cost of $757.49 and presents a list of assessments with a warrant and order for their collection.

By order of the Committee

George I. Vincent, Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted, Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

Common Sewer Assessment

Sewers, Sacramento & Miller St. Assessment List

Schedule of assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in the City of Somerville in Sacramento and Miller Streets and extending from the sewer in Bracen Street thence in Sacramento Street to Miller Street and thence in Miller Street 270 feet.

Owners of Estates, benefited	Number feet of land	Valuation	Rate per cent of assessment	Assessment	
Adino Page Gdn. for Joseph M. Clark	2500	$700.00	4½%	$31	50
Adino Page Gdn. for Samuel A. Clark	1100	330.00	"	14	85
Adino Page Gdn. for Joseph M. Clark	900	288.00	"	12	96
Lucy M. Knapp	800	272.00	"	12	24
Lucy M. Knapp	700	252.00	"	11	34
Mary B. Clark	1100	380.00	"	17	10
Miss Fanny Henry B. Miller	18970	3794.00	"	176	73
[illegible]	2200	840.00	"	37	80
George A. Lamah	8100	1620.00	"	72	90

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[illegible]	number of sand	valuation	rate per ct	Assessment
[illegible] and [illegible]	[illegible]	2000.00	4½%	90 00

For description of the estates benefited see plan drawn by Jesus H. Cummings City Engineer dated October 30 1882; entitled "Sacramento and Miller Street Sewer" and herewith submitted.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex ss. To John [illegible] Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville in said County. Greeting. In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list, herewith committed to you, of each one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list in wit:

Sewers assessment Warrant

Four hundred seventy-one and 40/100 dollars, being the whole amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said City to defray in part the cost of constructing a Common Sewer in said city of Somerville, in Sacramento and Miller Street and extending from the sewer in Beacon street thence in Sacramento street to Miller Street, thence in Miller Street 270 feet, the same having been ascertained assessed and certified hereby.

Yours to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sum, and pay the same into the Treasury of said city, on or before the 1st day of April next ensuing the date hereof and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sum you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth, and to be governed thereby.

Witness John R. Cummings Mayor of our said city of Somerville on the 14th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

November 14, 1882

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

November 14, 1882.

Ordered

That the cost of constructing the common sewer within referred to amounting to $787.49 and after deducting the proportion thereof namely $316.07 to be paid by the City, there remaining $471.42 to be assessed upon persons benefited the persons named in the within schedule being benefited as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names, as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer, and and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant as within stated be adopted and issued. Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers
Order for hearings
Sewer assessments
Bond Street
Joy & Washington St.
Passageway between
Congress & Linwood St.
Belmont Street
Sacramento St. & Miller St.

Alderman Nevers offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

November 14, 1882.

Ordered That Tuesday the 12th day of December 1882, at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen room City Hall be assigned as the time and place for a hearing by this board of all persons desiring to object to their assessments for common sewers in Bond Street Joy and Washington Streets, a Passageway running westwardly from Linwood Street between Congress Place and Linwood Place, Belmont Street and Sacramento and Miller Streets.

Order adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers November 14, 1882
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Sewers to which have been referred the following named petitions for Catch Basins, reports that Catch Basins as prayed for have been constructed as hereinafter stated, to wit:

Petition of J. S. Brown and others for a catch basin on the west corner of Day Street and Orchard Street. catch basin constructed at a cost of $65.55

Petition of Patrick Ivory and others for two catch basins in Tilman Street; one constructed at a cost of $58.28

Petition of Quincy A. Vinal for catch basins on Vinal Avenue; 4 catch basins constructed at a cost of $214.34

By order of the Committee
George T. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers ✓
Catch Basins
Constructed
Report of Com.

Alderman Nacrow offered the following Order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
November 14, 1882.

Ordered that the Committee on Sewers, be and is hereby instructed to extend the Bow Street sewer from the point where it now connects with the Somerville Avenue sewer near Masonic Block to the 60 inch sewer in Union Square at a point near the residence of Seward Dodge, the cost to be charged to Sewer Account.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers ✓
Bow Street
Order to extend

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Sewers — Cottage Ave. Assessment — Heirs of R. Stevens abatement of

Alderman Nevers offered the following Order.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

November 14, 1882.

Ordered:

That the sum of two and 53/100 dollars from the sum of Fifty nine and 40/100 dollars assessed to the Heirs of Richard Stevens as a betterment accruing to their estate on Cottage Avenue by the construction of a common sewer in said Avenue be abated.

Order adopted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Claims & Sewers — Communication from Mrs. W. Gaskins

Communication of Mrs. W. Gaskins,

East Somerville November 14, 1882,

To the Honorable the Mayor & Aldermen of the City of Somerville,

Respectfully represents the undersigned that he is the owner and occupant of the Brick dwelling house numbered 58 on the Vernon Street in East Somerville that he has been caused much damage and expense by reason of the City of Somerville disconnecting the waste pipe of house No. 60 on said street and adjoining the house of the undersigned leading from the upper water closet into the sewer and leaving it so, thereby causing all the waste and filth from said water closet to flow under the house of the undersigned and remain there forming a pond of every foul matter that the undersigned was becoming sick and his family were made sick from the foul stench generated by said filth and coming up into the house of the undersigned that their heads were affected and that small sores began to appear on their lips and faces rendering it necessary to ascertain the cause, that the cause was as herein set forth, and the undersigned sprays for relief and reimbursement of the expenses he has incurred in the premises — Mrs. A. Gaskins

Referred to the Committee on Sewers

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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In accordance with an order passed Oct 24 1882 hearings was held in reference to the assessments levied for the construction of Sewers in Rush Street, Mt Vernon Street, Jaques Street, Bedford Street and Cottage Avenue.

Sewers (Hearing on assessment) Levied

Rush Street Mr Greenough was present and objected to his assessment for the reason that he had all the sewerage he needed.
No other person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Cottage Avenue Mr Russell appeared for the Heirs of S. Mackintire for the reason that they had all the sewerage needed.
No other other person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Bedford Street Michael Foley appeared for Mrs Bridget Foley for the reason that she considered the assessment to land.
No other person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Mt Vernon Street assessment no person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Jaques Street Sewer assessment no person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Hearing on Petition of J. W. Guernsey

In accordance with an order passed Oct 24 1882 in reference to the petition of J. W. Guernsey for permission to repair his Flour Mills, and of John C. Brinsard others for a hearing to remonstrate against the granting of a to Build said Flour Mills, a hearing was held.
Mr John C. Brine, Allen C. Riley, James F. Lainey, John Lowerty, J. S. O'Brien, David Bradlee & Mr Dodge was present and objected to the granting of the petition on account of the

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continual noise and clatter night and day caused by the running of the mill, also blockading the sidewalk with his teams while loading and unloading said teams always standing across the sidewalk.

Mr Guernsey made a few remarks in form of his petition. a letter was read from Thomas Cunningham objecting, No other person appearing to object the hearing was closed

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Sewers ✓ Winthrop Av. order to construct passage refused

Alderman Newstone offered the following order.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen November 14, 1882

Ordered

That the Committee on Sewers Board is hereby instructed to construct a common sewer in Winthrop Avenue from the Main Sewer in said Avenue to a point near Broadway, and report to this board after the completion of said sewer, the cost of the same together with a list of assessments such as in the judgment of said committee shall be fair and proper to be assessed upon estates benefited. The order received its first and second reading. Final passage refused.

Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

Streets ✓ Jaques Street laying out of report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways

City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways November 6, 1882.

To the City Council

of the City of Somerville,

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Samuel C. Small and others for the laying out of Jaques Street from Chauncey Avenue to Kimpel Street reports as follows namely, that in the judgment of the said committee the common convenience and necessity require that such street or way should be laid out; that said Committee viewed the premises and caused the admeasurements and boundaries of the said street or way as proposed to be laid out to be distinctly

marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, said admeasurements and boundaries the manner in which said laying out shall be completed the names of all owners of land included therein, and in any miss. sustaining damage by said laying out of such street or way as proposed and the amount of damage proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners being described and specified in the Resolve and Order herewith transmitted, which is made a part of this Report, and the Committee also repeats the accompanying Order of Notice for a hearing by the City Council and Resolve and order for the laying out

By order of the Committee

Wm. Grace Vincent Clerk

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council Nov 16. 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Alderman Lugin offered the following order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

Nov 14, 1882

Whereas in the opinion of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen and of the Common Council, the common convenience and necessity of the inhabitants require that Jaques Street should be laid out from Chauncey avenue to Temple Street as a public street or way of the said City, as shown on a plan and referred to and described in a Report of the Committee on Highways in regard thereto said plan and report being deposited in the office of the City Clerk, it is therefore hereby ordered that due notice in the manner provided by law and to be served by any Constable of the City of Somerville be given to Irvin M. Bennett Josiah Q. Bennett, Samuel E. Sewall, Est. of Samuel Littlefield

Streets Jaques Street laying out of Order for hearing

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William Jaques, Leonard B. Chandler, Marcus M. Raymond, Amelia F. Davis, Hannah Bennett and all other persons and corporations interested that it is the intention of the City Council to lay out the street before mentioned by taking a portion of their land and laying out the same as a public street and to estimate the damages occasioned thereby and that Tuesday the 26th day of December A.D. 1882 at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Common Council room in the City Hall on Highland Avenue are appointed as the time and place for the hearing by the City Council of any objections which may be made thereto

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen Nov 14. 1882, Received its first and second reading, aldermen held opposed to lay on table [illegible] and final passage and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council Nov 14. 1882

Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.

Douglas Frazar Clerk

Sewers Jaques Street Hearing

In accordance with an order passed Nov 14 1882, a hearing was held in reference to the construction of a Sewer in Jaques Street

No person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Officers return on order of Notice above

City of Somerville Middlesex, SS

Nov 14, 1882.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is hereto annexed I have notified the parties therein referred to by leaving a true copy of said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit Hannah Bennett and the following named persons having no place of abode in this City and no tenants or authorized agents therein known as such or if resident in this City not being known as

such share, duly notified them and all other persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this city a true and attested copy of said order.

Irvin M. Bennett, Joseph Q. Bennett and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville, called the Somerville Journal, the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing, and that I did all the aforesaid dis more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

James Mann, Constable of Somerville,
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex, ss.

November 14, 1882.

Then personally appeared the above named James Mann and made oath that the above certificate (by him subscribed) is true, before me.

George T. Vincent Clerk

Alderman Nereus offered the following Order taking of land for Sewer in Jaques Street.

Sewers Jaques Street. Resolve & order taking of land

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen November 14, 1882 resolved and adjudged that the public convenience and the public health require that a main drain or common sewer should be laid, made and maintained in Jaques Street, so called, a private way in said city from Whitland street to Chauncey Avenue hereinafter described and for that purpose it is necessary to take for said Main Drain or Common Sewer

A parcel of land belonging to Hannah Bennett containing 4408 square feet more or less

A parcel of land belonging to Irvin M. Bennett containing 2048 square feet more or less

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A parcel of land belonging to Josiah Q. Bonnell containing 2360 square feet more or less.

And whereas, the petition of J. G. Smith and others asking for the laying, making and maintaining of such sewer and the matter of taking said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid were referred to the committee on sewers.

And whereas appears by its report hereto annexed, the said Committee was of opinion that the public convenience and necessity require that said Main drain or Common sewer should be laid, made and maintained and the said Committee has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said parcels of land, taken for the purposes aforesaid, to be distinctly marked out on the premises by the City Engineer, and also upon a plan thereof, and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such taking shall be completed and reported the names of all parties sustaining damage by such taking with the amount of such damage, proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners as clearly appears in said report; and whereas said report and plan have remained in the City Clerk office for the term of seven days at least before the Mayor and Aldermen proceeded to act thereon.

And whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen to take said parcels of land for the purposes of said Main Drain or Common sewer, as by the order of notice for a hearing by the Mayor and Aldermen and the return thereto annexed will fully appear, and whereas at the time and place in said order of notice appointed, the Mayor and Aldermen met and heard all parties interested who claimed to be heard.

It is therefore ordered that the parcels of land before described be, and the same are hereby taken for the purposes of a main Drain or Common Sewer of the said city under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of a proportional part of the charge of making and repairing the same, and of the charge not already assessed of making and repairing other main drains

and Common sewers through which the same may discharge according to the plan of the same made by George A. Kimball City Engineer dated October 10 1882, and deposited in the office of the City Clerk as aforesaid; that the said land taken as aforesaid, and as shown and designated upon said plan be and the same is hereby taken and established as for a Main Drain or Common Sewer of the said City; that the boundaries, location, and admeasurements of said land taken as aforesaid are all as shown upon said plan which is hereby made a part of this order, and as follows, to wit said land is bounded Southwesterly by the Southwesterly line of said Jaques Street so called two hundred and twenty and 43/100 feet; Northwesterly by the middle line of Wheatland Street Forty feet; Northeasterly by a line distant throughout forty feet from the first named line two hundred and twenty and 43/100 feet and Southeasterly by Chauncey Avenue forty feet.

That the proprietors, occupants or owners of the land taken as aforesaid are allowed until the (20th) Twentieth day of November 1882 to take off their trees, fences, and other property which may obstruct the laying of said Main Drain or Common Sewer; and that the following is an estimate and award of the damages sustained by any person or persons in their property by the taking of said land namely:

Hannah Bennett (Nothing) — Sewers fagues or damages awarded

Irwin L. Bennett (Nothing)

Jonah B. Bennett (Nothing)

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

November 14, 1882

Order and Resolve adopted

Receiving its first and second reading and final passage

Charles E. Gilmore Clerk.

November 14, 1882

Elections
Returns referred to Committee

On motion of Alderman Houlston the returns of the several Ward Officers of the State election were referred to the Committee on Elections and Returns to examine and report.

Elections
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Elections and Returns
City of Somerville

In Committee on Elections Nov 14. 1882.
The Committee on Elections appointed to examine the returns of votes cast in the several wards of this City at the recent State elections have attended to that duty and respectfully reports that the result exhibited by the returns are correctly entered in the record book and they recommend that the usual certificates thereof be signed and transmitted to the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth and County Commissioners, and the following is the result of the election.

For the Committee J. Frank Wellington

For Governor

Robert R. Bishop	of Newton	had	1637
Benjamin F. Butler	of Lowell	"	1537
Charles Adams	of New Bedford	"	7
Henry Hall		"	1

Lieutenant Governor

Oliver Ames	of Easton	had	2157
Samuel W. Bowerman	of Pittsfield	"	1026
George Dutton	of Springfield	"	4
John Blackmer	of Springfield	"	7

Secretary of the Commonwealth

Henry B. Pierce	of Arlington	had	2050
David A. Shilling	of Winchester	"	1118
John Reaves	of Worcester	"	4
Solomon F. Hart	of Douglas	"	7

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Treasurer and Receiver General

Daniel A. Gunson	of Medford	had	2075
William A. Hodges	of Quincy	"	1114
George Foster	of Lynn	"	4
Thomas J. Sellinp	of Taunton	"	7
Charles T. Lincoln	of Somerville	"	1

For Auditor

Charles R. Ladd	of Springfield	had	2075
John F. Kinney	of Lawrence	"	1107
Augustus L. Merchant	of Everett	"	4
Jonathan H. Buck	of Harwich	"	7

Attorney General

Edgar J. Sherman	of Lawrence	had	2166
George F. Berry	of Worcester	"	1021
Elmer A. Snow	of Athol	"	4
Samuel M. Fairfield	of Malden	"	7

County Commissioner for Three years

Daniel G. Walton	of Wakefield	had	2051
Lewis A. Frost	of Everett	"	1029
Scattering		"	1
Isaac M. Fellows	of Natick	"	3
H. S. Frost	of Marlborough	"	3

Representative to Congress Fifth District

Selwyn K. Bowman	of Somerville	had	1876
Leopold Morse	of Boston	"	1240
Scattering		"	1
Nathaniel Ethase	of Boston	"	2
Amos Cummings	of Woburn	"	2

County Treasurer

Amos Stone	of Everett	had	1956
Thomas A. Hill	of Woburn	"	1111
Benjamin Cutler	of Stoneham	"	6

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County Commissioner unexpired Leave

William S. Frost — of Marlborough — had 1844
Benjamin S. Manson — of Framingham — " 1114
Louis P. Stone — of — " 74
Isaac Fellows — of Natick — " 3
H. S. Frost for one year — of Marlborough — " 126

Register of Deeds South Middlesex District

Charles B. Stevens — of Cambridge — had 1979
James A. McDonald — of Marlborough — " 1095

Councillor Third District

William J. Tower — of Lexington — had 2059
Joseph H. Stover — of Newton — " 1112
James A. Roberts — of Cambridge — " 6

Senator First Middlesex District

George M. Bruce — of Somerville — had 2040
Charles F. Mirrod — of Everett — " 1098
Eben Jackson — of Somerville — " 30
R. A. Vinal — " " — " 1

Representative to General Court 4th Middlesex District

Elijah C. Clark — of Somerville — had 509
Charles H. Guild — " " — " 359
James J. Swords — " " — " 74
Elijah C. Clark was Elected

Representative to General Court 5th Middlesex District

John Kennedy — of Somerville — had 475
Charles S. Lincoln — of Somerville had 558 and was elected
Scattering — had 1

Representative to General Court 6 Middlesex District

Edward Gilson — of Somerville had 786 was elected
Edward Foote — " " " 278
Franklin K. Tow — " " " 126
John Herbert — " " " 1

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The report of the Committee on Elections was accepted and the recommendations adopted.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Adjourned
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
November 16. 1882.
Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Bowers, Wellington, Pierstone, Page Burns and Durgin Present.

A permit was granted F. P. Ladd to erect a building on Main Street. — Intention to build. F. P. Ladd Granted

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A permit was granted John Lugan to make addition to his Stable on Boston Street. — Intention to build. Lugan permit granted

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Report of Committee on Claims
City of Somerville
In Committee on Claims November 16. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Claims to which was referred the Notice of George W. Whicher that on the first day of September 1882 at about 9 h. o'clock P. M. he received injuries to his person and property on Washington Street near the Lowell Railroad Bridge caused by a defect or structure in said street, and claims damages from the City on account of said injuries recommends that the petitioner be granted leave to withdraw.
By Order of the Committee George Vincent Clerk
Report accepted sent down for concurrence Chas E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council Nov 16. 1882. Concurred in
Douglas Frazer Clerk

Claims
G. M. Whicher
Report of Committee

November 16. 1882

Claims ✓
J B Savage
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Claims
City of Somerville

In Committee on Claims November 16. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Claims to which was referred the petition of M. J. Savage for compensation for injuries to his horse caused by an accident on Bracon Street on the 8th of July last recommends that said Savage be paid the sum of one hundred dollars in full for all claims and demands on account of said accident.

By order of the Committee
George Vincent Clerk

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E Gilman Clerk.

Claims ✓
Order to pay
M J Savage

Alderman Burns offered the following Order
City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen Nov 14. 1882
Ordered

That the Chairman of the Committee on Claims be and is hereby authorized to approve to the Auditor to be placed on pay roll of Miscellaneous Account the sum of One hundred dollars in favor of M J Savage in full for all claims and demands said Savage may have against the City of Somerville on account of an accident to his horse which occurred in said City on Bracon Street on the eighth day of July last.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Board of Common Council Nov 14. 1882.
Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.
Douglas Frazar Clerk

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Alderman Burns offered the following Order.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

November 16. 1882.

Ordered.

That the Mayor be authorized to contract with the Shiberbar Telephone Company for the use of seven Brake transmitters and three Bell Magneto Telephones in the City Clerk's Office and Police Station and Engine Houses from year from September 1. 1882. and to sign the ordinary loans for the same at an expense of one hundred and six 50/100 dollars for year the same to be charged to the ordinary account. — Wm. T. Burns.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council. November 16. 1882.

Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage in concurrence.

Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Telephone of Mayor to contract with.

Alderman Rossiter offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Nov. 16. 1882.

Ordered

That the Register of Voters submitted to the Board of Aldermen this evening be and the same is hereby adopted as the Register of Voters of the City of Somerville in accordance with the provisions of Law. Thomas H. Rossiter.

Order adopted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Elections check Lists adoption of

Alderman Burns offered the following Order

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Mayor and Aldermen

Nov. 16. 1882.

Ordered that the Four accompanying warrants for the Election of City Officers on the fifth day of December must be

Elections Warrants adoption of

November 16. 1882

adopted, and that said Warrants respectively be served by any Constable of the City by posting copies of the same respectively in not less than two public places in each Ward and by publishing the same in the Somerville Journal a newspaper published in this City to wit: November 18 & 25th and December 2d such posting of said notices to be made seven days at least before the time of holding such meeting and said Constables respectively to return said Warrants respectively to the Wardens of said several wards with the doings of said Constables thereon J. L. Waerd.

Order adopted receiving its first and second reading and final passage

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Copy of Warrants

Elections Warrant Ward One

Warrant Ward One.

City of Somerville, November 16. 1882 —

To any Constable

Of the City of Somerville Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward number One qualified to vote as the law directs to assemble at the Ward Room in the Prescott School Building on Trail Street on Tuesday the fifth day of December next 1882 at seven o'clock in the forenoon and from that time until four o'clock and twenty five minutes in the afternoon then and there to give in their ballots for the following City and Ward officers namely.

A Warden, Clerk, and three Inspectors of Elections for said Ward One to be residents of said Ward.

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At Wayne, Eight Aldermen, two Aldermen being selected from Each Ward to be elected by the qualified voters of the City at large voting in their respective wards

Also four Commitmen for said Ward
all the foregoing to be voted for on one ballot

also one member of the School Committee for said Ward for three years to be a resident of said Ward to be voted for on a separate ballot

also to deposit their ballots Yes or No in answer to the following question
"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this City"

The polls for the choice of all the several officers aforesaid will be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at four o'clock and Twenty five minutes in the afternoon

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned

Witness John A. Cummings, Mayor of our said City of Dennville on this sixteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one Thousand eight hundred and eighty two

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen
Albert Charles E. Gilman
City Clerk

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Warrant
Ward Two

November 16, 1882

Warrant Ward Two

City of Somerville November 16 1882

To any Constable of the City of Somerville

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward Two so qualified to vote as the law directs to assemble at the room in the Police Building, on Bow Street on Tuesday the fifteenth day of December next 1882 at seven o'clock in the forenoon and from that time until four o'clock and twenty five minutes in the afternoon then and there to give in their ballots for the following City and Ward Officers namely:

A Warden, Clerk and three Inspectors of elections for said Ward Two, and to be residents of said Ward.

A Mayor eight Aldermen Two aldermen being selected from each ward to be elected by the qualified voters of the City at Large voting in their respective wards

Also four Councilmen for said Ward.
all the foregoing to be voted for on one ballot

Also one member of the School Committee of said Ward for three years to be a resident of said ward, to be voted for on a separate ballot

Also to deposit their ballots "Yes or No" in answer to the following question "Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this City.

The polls for the choice of all the several officers aforesaid will be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at four o'clock, and twenty five minutes in the afternoon.

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[illegible] and make due return of this warrant with your doing thereon, at the time and place above mentioned.

Witness John H. Cummings, Mayor of our said City of Somerville on this the sixteenth day of November in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

—— By order of the Mayor and Aldermen
—— Attest —— Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

Warrant Ward Three.
—— City of Somerville ——
—— November 16, 1882.

To any Constable of the City of Somerville,
—— Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward Number Three qualified to vote as the law directs to assemble at 323 Broadway in the warrant shed under Temple Hall on Thursday the eighth day of December next 1882, at seven o'clock in the [illegible], and arm that time until four o'clock and twenty five minutes in the afternoon then and there to give in their ballots for the following City and Ward Officers namely.

(1) Warden, Clerk, and Three Inspectors of Elections for said Ward [illegible], and to be resident of said Ward

(2) Mayor, Eight Aldermen, two Aldermen being selected from each Ward, to be elected by the qualified voters of the city at large, voting in their respective Wards.

Also [illegible] Aldermen for said Ward
all the [illegible] to be voted for one ballot -

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Ward Three

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Also one member of the School Committee for said Ward for three years to be a resident of said Ward, to be voted for on a separate ballot.

Also to deposit their ballots "Yes or No" in answer to the following question "Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this City."

The polls for the choice of all the several officers aforesaid will be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at four o'clock and twenty five minutes in the afternoon.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned.

Witness John F. Cummings Mayor of our said City of Somerville on this the Sixteenth day of November in the year of our Lord One Thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Board of Aldermen
Albert Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Elections. Warrant. Ward Four.

Warrant Ward Four

City of Somerville November 16. 1882.

To any Constable of the City of Somerville

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward number Four qualified to vote as the law directs to assemble at the Ward Room in the Morse School House on Summer Street on Tuesday the fifth day of December next 1882, at seven o'clock in the forenoon and from that time until four o'clock and twenty five minutes in the afternoon then and there to give in their ballots

for the following City and Ward officers namely

A Warden, Clerk and Three Inspectors of Election for said Ward Four and to be residents of said Ward

(A Mayor, eight Aldermen, two Aldermen being elected from each Ward to be elected by the qualified voters of the City at large voting in their respective wards.

Also four Councilmen for said Ward
all the foregoing to be voted for on one ballot.

Also one member of the School Committee for said ward for three years to be a resident of said ward to be voted for on a separate ballot.

Also to deposit their ballots "Yes or No" in answer to the following question, "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this City."

The polls for the choice of all the several officers aforesaid will be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at four o'clock and twenty five minutes in the afternoon.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned.

Witness John B. Cummings Mayor of our said City a Somerville on this sixteenth day of November in the year of our Lord on Thousand eight hundred and eighty two

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen
Witness Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

November 16, 1882

(Election) Sessions for Registration of Voters	On Motion of Alderman Nourse, Voted that the Board of Aldermen hold a session on Friday Evening November 24th at the [illegible] and on Tuesday Afternoon November 28th from Three to five o'clock, and in the evening of same day from Seven to 10 o'clock for the purpose of adding names to the register of voters.
	Adjourned Charles E. Gilman Clerk
	Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen November 24, 1882. Mayor Cummings presiding
	Aldermen Nourse, Wellington, Hamilton, Page, Clark, Burns, Durgin, and Weld present.
Building moving permits granted.	A permit was granted Charles Germany to move a Building from Linwood Street to Sanders Street.
Fireman Appointment of	George K. Bean Jr. was appointed and confirmed a member of Hose Company No. 3 to fill a vacancy.
Intention to build Permits granted	Permits to build were granted to Charles Williams Jr. to erect a Stable on George Street Jerome Sheipe " " " " " Walnut Street L. S. Bowry " " a dwelling house on Newbury Street.
Jurors Drawn	Enoch R. Morse and Henry W. Burgess were drawn as jurors to the Superior Court to be held at Cambridge on the second Monday of December next.

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Robert Frary was appointed and confirmed Special Police officer without compensation. — Police Special appointment of

Communication from Daniel Brooks.

Middlesex, ss. — Election Communication from D. Brooks

Somerville November 24, 1882.

Personally appeared before me in the said City of Somerville on the day above written Daniel Brooks a citizen of said Somerville and a tax payer and voter in Ward One of said City and made affidavit as follows.

I Daniel Brooks, a citizen, tax payer and voter of said City of Somerville, as above recited do hereby affirm and say that in my opinion James Cobine of Franklin Street, Ward One in said city whose name appears upon the voting list for said Ward One is illegally registered, because I have and reason to believe said Cobine is neither a native born nor a naturalized citizen of the United States. — Daniel Brooks.

Middlesex, ss.

Somerville November 24, 1882.

Personally appeared said Daniel Brooks and made oath to the truth of the foregoing statement by him subscribed.

Before me George Ebinger

Justice of the Peace.

In Board of Assessors and Aldermen Nov 24 1882.

Voted to summon said James Cobine to appear before the Board of Aldermen on Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock in presence to his registration and vote.

Charles E. Gilman

Clerk.

November 24 1882

Streets
Report of Com.
on Petition of
A. Sargent & others

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville.

In Committee on Highways December 16. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Aaron Sargent and others for the opening to public travel, of the strip of land owned by the Citizens and extending from Marshall Street to Sargent Avenue reports that the strip of land named in the petition has been opened to public travel as a passageway for pedestrians, and fenced at a cost of $146.57 [illegible]

By order of the Committee
George Vincent Clerk

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council December 1. 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets
Driveways
Report of Com.

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways December 16. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which has been referred the following named petitions for driveways, reports that driveways have been constructed in accordance therewith at costs as stated below to be paid by the petitioners to wit.

Petition of Lawrence M. Carr for a driveway in Springfield Street driveway constructed at a cost of $2.50.

Petition of W. S. Carr for a driveway on Brooks Street driveway constructed at a cost of $2.50.

Petition of W. F. Law for a driveway at 63 Putnam Street driveway constructed at a cost of $11.10.

By order of the Committee George Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted sent down for concurrence Chas E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council December 1. 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

November 24. 1882

The following names were added to the Check list

Elections
names added to the Register or Voters

Ward Two

Charles L. Holt 197 Washington Street
John H. Cumen Ward Street
Charles May Arnold & Thomas

Ward Three

George H. Gaskill 6 Heath Street

George M. Stevens Ward one 119 Bow Street
transferred from Ward Four

Adjourned
Charles E. Gibson Clerk

November 28, 1882

Meeting Mayor and Aldermen

November 28, 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding.

Aldermen: Newcomb, Wellington, Pearlstone, Pace, Clark, Burns, Durgin, and Wild present.

A permit was granted Daniel Graham to erect a building on Madison Street.

Sewers
Petition of Catch Basin on Bow St. Place

Petition of Charles S. Butler and others for a Catch Basin on Bow Street Place to connect with the sewer in said place.

Referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Streets
Petition for sign board, Broadway & Walnut St.

Petition of E. L. Knapp that sign board be placed on the Corners of Broadway and Walnut Streets also for glass signs on Street Lamp under the large tree on Broadway.

Referred that portion of the petition relating to sign boards to the Committee on Sidewalks, that portion relating to signs on Lamps to the Committee on Street Lights, sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council December 1, 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Sewers
Report of Committee on petitions of Lucius Tuttle and Messrs. Hawkins

Report of Committee on Sewers.

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers November 24, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers to which have been referred the petition of Lucius Tuttle for compensation for expenses incurred in work on the drainage of his house No. 60 Wilbur Street in Tagino to remedy defects which he afterwards found were caused by the cutting of a drain from the adjoining house no 58 to the sewer, by direction of an officer of the city, and the petition of Messrs. N. Hawkins occupant of No. 58

Mr Newton Street for compensation in expenses incurred by reason of sickness in his family caused by the cutting off of the drain from his house as stated in the above named petition of Lewis Wells" reports that after due investigation it appears that no blame attached to any officer of the City in connection with the matter and recommends that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw

By order of the Committee
George T. Vincent Clerk
In Board of Aldermen Report accepted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville
In Committee on Sewers November 24, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.
The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the communication from Mr E Hawes renewing his petition for a sewer in Winthrop Avenue and asking for a hearing in the matter before the Board of Aldermen, reports that the Board of Aldermen has given the petitioners a hearing and has also rejected an order for the construction of a sewer as prayed for and therefore no further action is necessary.
By order of the Committee
George T. Vincent Clerk
In Board of Aldermen Report accepted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers
Report of Committee on petition of Mr E Hawes

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways November 28, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Highways reports that in accordance with an order dated June 13, 1882, a gravel sidewalk with edgestone have been constructed on the southeastery side of

Sidewalks
Newton Street
Report of Committee

November 20, 1882

Newton Street, from Webster Avenue to Concord Avenue at a cost of $460.60 and presents a list of assessments for one half of the cost, with a warrant and order for their collection.

By order of the Committee

George H. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sidewalk Newton Street Assessment list

Sidewalk Assessment

To defray, in part the cost of grading and constructing sidewalks in the City of Somerville in Newton Street in said City, and on the Southeasterly side thereof, and extending from Webster Avenue to Concord Avenue with edge stones and covered with gravel.

Abutters on said Sidewalk	cost of sidewalk		proportion of cost on abutters	
Harriet A. Merrill	55	31	27	66
Heirs of James Dennison	45	53	22	77
Arlington Sd. Savings Bank	27	71	13	85
Robert C. Graham	26	98	13	49
Rebecca K. Bent	28	41	14	20
Hiram Green	35	50	17	75
Julia H. Goodrich	23	65	11	83
Ezra A. Stevens	11	36	5	68
Ann J. Goodwin	12	29	6	14
Charles J. Parker	23	66	11	83
George H. Mower	30	39	15	19
Abraham Dame	28	41	14	20
Almira N. Tuck	26	92	13	46
Mary Burgess	84	49	42	25
	$460	60	230	30

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss.

Assessment Warrant

To John A. Cole Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville in said County Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby

required to pay and collect of the several persons named in the list, hereby committed to you, of each one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list to wit:

Two hundred and thirty and 37/100 dollars;

being the amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said city, to be from, in part, the cost of grading and constructing sidewalks, in said city of Somerville, in Newton street in said city, and on the southeasterly side thereof, and extending from Webster Avenue to Concord Avenue with edgestones, and covered with grance; the same having been ascertained amend and certified hereby.

You are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums, and pay the same into the Treasury of said city, on or before the 1st day of April next ensuing the date hereof; and in making collection and ensuing the payment of said sums, you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth, and to be governed thereby.

Witness John A. Cummings, Mayor of our said city of Somerville, on this 28th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman, City Clerk.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

November 28, 1882.

Sidewalk assessment order to collect

Ordered, that the cost of grading and constructing the sidewalk within referred to, amounting respectively to the sums specified in the within schedule, and after deducting the proportion thereof, namely, one half to be paid by the city, there remaining the sums specified in the within schedule, being one half of such cost, to be assessed upon the abutters the persons named in the within schedule, being abutters on such sidewalks, as aforesaid be, and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names as their proportional part of the expense of the said sidewalk, and the same

November 28, 1882

is certified as within stated; and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid; their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant as within stated be adopted and issued.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list, warrant and order adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sidewalk Pearl Street Completion of Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways

City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways November 28, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Highways reports that in accordance with an order dated July 25, 1882, a gravel sidewalk with edgestones has been constructed on the Northerly side of Pearl Street from Cross Street westwardly 489.5/10 feet at a cost of $302.57 and presents a list of assessments for one half of the cost with a warrant and order for their collection.

By order of the Committee

George Vincent Clerk.

Sidewalk V Pearl Street Assessment lists

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Common Sewer Assessment

To defray in part the cost of grading and constructing sidewalk in the City of Somerville in Pearl Street in said City and on the Northerly side thereof and extending from Cross Street westwardly 4.7/10 feet with edgestones and covered with gravel.

Owners of estates benefited	Cost of sidewalks		Proportion assessed on abutters	
John H. Brooks	30	71	15	35
Ellen E. P. Litterfield	34	90	17	45
Theo P. Daniels	34	90	17	45
Heirs of Jos L. Brainard	34	90	17	45
Benjamin Hadley	34	90	17	45
Heirs of Jos L. Brainard	34	90	17	45
Heirs of Jos L. Brainard	31	41	15	70

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Jos P. Brainard	31 06	15 53
Benjamin Bradley	34 89	17 45
	$302 57	151 28

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, 88.

Sidewalk Pearl Street assessment Warrant

To John F. Cole Treasurer and collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville in said County Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you, of each one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list to wit

One hundred and fifty one 28/100 dollars being the amount of assessment, made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said City to defray in part the cost of grading and constructing sidewalks in said city of Somerville in Pearl Street in said City and on the northerly side thereof and extending from Cross street westwardly 437 4/10 feet with ribstones, and covered with gravel the same having been ascertained amount and certified hereby.

You are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums and pay the same into the Treasury of said City, in or before the 1st day of April next ensuing the date hereof, and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums, you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth, and to be governed thereby.

Witness John W. Cummings Mayor of our said City of Somerville on this the 28th day of November in the year four hundred, one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman

City Clerk

November 28. 1882

Sidewalk Pearl Street Assessment order to collect

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

November 28, 1882.

Ordered that the cost of grading and constructing the sidewalks within referred to, amounting respectively to the sums specified in the within schedule, and after deducting the proportion thereof, namely, one half to be paid by the City, there remaining the sums specified in the within schedule, being one half of such cost, to be assessed upon the abutters, the persons named in the within schedule, being abutters on such sidewalks, as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names, as their just proportional part of the expense of said sidewalks, and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant, as within stated be adopted and issued,

Charles E. Gilman, City Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted, Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sidewalk Wallace Street completion of Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways

City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways Nov 28, 1882,

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville:

The Committee on Highways reports that in accordance with an order dated June 27, 1882, gravel sidewalks with edgestones has been constructed on both sides of Wallace Street, from Holland Street to Broadway at a cost of $1992.18 and present a list of assessments for one half of the cost of with a warrant and order for their collection

By order of the Committee

Grace I. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted Charles E. Gilman Clerk

November 28 1882

Sidewalk Assessment

To defray in part the cost of grading and constructing Sidewalks in the City of Somerville in Walnut Street in said City and on both sides thereof extending from Holland Street to Broadway, with edgestones and coveted with gravel.

Sidewalk Walnut Street

Names on said Sidewalk		Cost of Sidewalk		Proportion assessed to abutters	
Lydia R. Brimmer	Southwest side	107	16	$ 53	58
Abel Fitts		65	64	32	82
Martha Emerson		76	59	38	29
William F. McAllister		41	23	20	62
Frederick Magill		43	10	21	55
Philip Pilling		38	67	19	34
Barbara & Charlotte Fletcher		38	34	19	17
Constant O. Benoire		37	71	18	85
John A. Cummings		36	88	18	44
Abner Wright		34	33	17	16
Lucia A. Buck		34	87	17	44
Lizzie Allen		34	26	17	13
Grace H. Nelson		34	32	17	16
Alexander Miller		34	46	17	13
Margaret A. Simpson		34	74	17	37
Charles F. Simpson		34	53	17	17
Margaret A. Simpson		34	53	17	16
Daniel D. Johnson		34	53	17	27
Jeremiah Robinson		34	53	17	26
William Lelchfield		34	46	17	23
Heirs of Caroline Wyatt		34	19	17	09
Calvin Heath & Heirs of Lefferts Dolbeare		130	06	65	03
Ruth A. Cushing	Northwest side	60	00	31	00
James F. Jackson		31	70	15	85
John F. Dalbiac		31	56	15	78
Nathaniel B. Clapp		34	80	17	40
Hannah Shurtleff		34	11	17	06
Edmund S. Fitts		65	96	32	98
Charles Mills		34	60	17	30

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Charles A Pearson		34	65	17	34
James H Winn		34	26	17	13
Mark C Felch		34	73	17	36
Abbie P Simpson	Walthmstaff side	34	52	17	26
Charles J Simpson		34	62	17	26
William Litchfield		33	15	16	58
Susan E Hammond		33	14	16	57
Harriet Jennings		39	91	19	96
Carrie F Downs		34	88	17	44
Stephen G Hammond Jr		76	51	38	26
Pauline S Downes		33	49	16	74
Henry Holton		27	69	13	84
Margaret & Mary E Parker et als		34	80	17	40
Joseph Steele		30	73	15	37
Jennie S Stearns		31	01	15	50
Elizabeth W Cobb		122	30	61	15
		1992	18	996	09

Sidewalk Wallace Street Assessment Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss.

To John F Cole Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville, in said County.

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Aforesaid, you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you of each one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list to wit:

Nine hundred ninety six and two dollars being the amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said city to delivery in part the cost of grading and constructing sidewalks in said City of Somerville in Wallace Street in said city and on both sides thereof and extending from Holland Street to Broadway with edgestones and covered with gravel, the same having been ascertained, assessed and certified hereby. You are to complete and make up an

account of the [illegible] said sums, and for the same [illegible] the treasury of said city, on or before the first day of April next ensuing the date hereof and in making [illegible] and enforcing the payment of said sums you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said commonwealth, and to be governed thereby.

Witness John N. Cummings Mayor of our said city of Somerville, on this 28th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Board of Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

November 28, 1892.

Sidewalk assessment Wallace Street Order to collect

Ordered,

That, the cost of grading and constructing the sidewalks within, referred to, amounting respectively to the sums specified in the within schedule, and after deducting the proportion thereof namely, one half to be paid by the city, then remaining the sums specified in the within schedule, being one half of such cost, to be assessed upon the abutters, the persons named in the within schedule, being abutters on such sidewalk, as aforesaid, be and then are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names, as their just proportional part of the expense of the said Sidewalks, and the same is certified as within stated, and Notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or Lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant, as within stated, be adopted and issued.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

Report accepted assessment lists Warrant and order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

November 28, 1882

Sidewalks Concord Avenue Completion of Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways

City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways November 28, 1882

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Highways report that in accordance with an order dated June 13, 1882, a grave sidewalk with edgestones has been constructed on the northerly side of Concord Avenue, from Newton Street to Prospect Street, at a cost of $412.38, and presents a list of assessments for one half of the cost, with a warrant and order for their collection.

By Order of the Committee

George I. Vincent Clerk,

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk,

Sidewalk Concord Avenue Assessment list

Sidewalk Assessment,

Notice, in part the cost of grading and constructing sidewalk in the City of Somerville, on Concord Avenue, in said city, and on the northerly side thereof, and extending from Newton Street to Prospect Street with edgestones and covered with gravel.

Abutters on said sidewalks	Cost of sidewalks		Proportion assessed abutters	
Robert Burgess	$ 81	94	40	97
Thomas A. Tuck	28	15	14	07
Abraham Dame	27	60	13	80
Thomas Hart	27	60	13	80
Ellen Weston	34	50	17	25
Daniel Bradley	34	50	17	25
John C. Keene	17	25	8	63
D. M. G. Lewis	17	25	8	62
John C. Brine	27	60	13	80
Jacob M. Haskell & Charles F. Adams	27	60	13	80
Heirs of James Dennison	37	00	18	50
Annie Guernsey	51	38	25	70
	412	38	206	19

November 28, 1882

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

Middlesex, ss.

To John J. Cox Treasurer and Collector of taxes of the City of Somerville, in said County.

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you of each one, his proportion thereon particularly set down of the sum total of said list, to wit:

One Hundred and six and 7/100 dollars;

being the amount of assessment made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said city, to defray, in part the cost of grading and construction sidewalks, in said city of Somerville, in Concord avenue street in said city, and in the Northerly side thereof, and extending from Newton street to Prospect street with edgestones, and covered with gravel, the same, having been ascertained, assessed and certified hereby. You are to complete and make upon account of the collection of said sums, and pay the same into the Treasury of said City, on or before the 1st day of April next ensuing the date hereof; and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums you are to exercise the powers conferred by the statutes of said Commonwealth, and to be governed thereby.

Witness John P. Cummings Mayor of our said City of Somerville on this 28th day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Sidewalks Concord avenue assessments Warrant

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen Dec 28, 1882.

Ordered that the cost of grading and constructing the sidewalks within referred to, amounting respectively to the sums specified in the within schedule, and after deducting the proportion thereof namely, one half to be paid by the City there remaining the sums specified in the within schedule, being

Sidewalks assessment Concord avenue

November 28, 1882

one half of such cost, to be assessed upon the auditors the persons named in the within schedule, being abutters on such sidewalks, as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names, as their just proportional part of the expense of the said sidewalks, and the same is hereby certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or assessors, and it is ordered that the warrant as within stated be certified and issued.

Wm. Charles E. Gilman, City Clerk.

Report accepted, assessment list Warrant and order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Street; Report of Committee on petition of Mr. Whitaker for driveway

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways Nov 28, 1882.

To the City Council of Somerville,

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of James E. Whitaker for a driveway in front of his premises on Sycamore Street reports, that a driveway has been constructed as prayed for, at a cost of $100 to be paid by the petitioner.

By order of the Committee

George I. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted, and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council December 9, 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Sewers Winthrop Avenue petition of Mr. E. Jones

Petition of M. E. Jones

To the Mayor and Aldermen

of the City of Somerville

The undersigned would most respectfully assay your either to construct a sewer on Winthrop Avenue for the benefit of his houses on said avenue, accordingly him the privilege of constructing one for his own control and use.

M. E. Jones

November 28, 1882

The Board of Aldermen Petition referred to Committee on Survey
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Report of Committee on Licenses
City of Somerville.

Licenses
Report of Committee on petition of J K James

The Committee on Licenses November 28, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.
The Committee on Licenses, to which was referred the petition of Joseph K. James, for a hearing on his petition for permission to carry on the grease rendering and soap making business, in Columbia street, reports that the hearing prayed on has been given by the Board of Aldermen, and recommend that a permit to carry on said business be granted under such restrictions as may be adopted by the Board of Health.
For the Committee of Frank Wellington
Report Accepted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Aldermen Wellington offered the following Order
City of Somerville.

Licenses
Order to grant to J K James

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
November 28, 1882.
Ordered that the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to issue a permit to Joseph K. James to carry on the grease rendering and soap manufacturing business on Columbia street in this City, under such restrictions as may be adopted by the Board of Health.
J F Wellington
Order adopted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Report of Committee on Intentions to build
City of Somerville

Intentions to build
Report of Committee

Most committee on Intentions to build Nov 28, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.
Most committee on Intentions to build, to which was referred the petition of J H Guinney for a permit to repair his Flour Mill with corner of Inspect Street and Concord Avenue.

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recommends that the petitioner have leave to withdraw

By order of the Committee

Grace Fitzmaurice Clerk

Report accepted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk

addition of voters to check lists

Whole number of names added to the Ladies voting lists (Seven)

Ward One — 1
Ward Two — 3
Ward Three — 1
Ward Four — 2. Total 7.

Whole number of names added to the check lists — 16

Ward One — 1
Ward Two — 6
Ward Three — 3
Ward Four — 6

Name James Cobine added to check lists

In accordance with an order passed Nov 24, 1882 James Cobine appeared before the Mayor and Aldermen and presented his naturalization papers obtained from Court this day November 28th and he being otherwise qualified his name was placed upon the check list.

Adjourned

Charles E. Gilman

Clerk.

November 28, 1882

Returns from the several officers of the Wards, in reference to the election of Municipal Officers

Return of Ward One.

Warrant of Ward One.

City of Somerville Nov 16. 1882.

To any Constable of the City of Somerville

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to warn the Citizens of Ward number One, qualified to vote as the law directs, to assemble at the Ward Room in the Prescott School Building, Grove Street,

Tuesday December 5. 1882.

at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and from that time until four o'clock and twenty five minutes in the afternoon, then and there to give in their ballots for the following City and Ward Officers, namely:

Ward Wardens, tiers, and three Inspectors of elections for said Ward one, and to be residents of said Ward.

Mayor, eight Aldermen, Two Aldermen, being selected from each Ward, to be elected by the qualified voters of the City at large voting in their respective wards.

Also four Commitmen for said Ward, all the foregoing to be voted for on one ballot

Also one member of the School Committee for said Ward for three years to be a resident of said Ward, to be voted for on a separate ballot

Also to deposit their ballots "Yes" or "No", in answer to the following question, "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this city

December 5. 1882

The polls for the choice of all the several officers aforesaid will be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at four o'clock and twenty five minutes in the afternoon.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned.

Witness John A. Cummings, Mayor of our said city of Somerville on this sixteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen
Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

Attest James Mann Constable of Somerville

A true copy of Warrant.
Attest John A. P. Stevens Ward Clerk

Copy of Officers return on Warrant.
City of Somerville December 5. 1882.

This is to certify that I have warned and notified the citizens of Ward number one in the city of Somerville qualified as the law directs according to the within warrant by posting a true copy of said warrant in not less than ten public places in said ward near the place of meeting as specified in the within warrant such notices having been posted by me as aforesaid seven days at least before the time of holding the meeting specified in said warrant, and causing said notice to be published in the Somerville Journal November 18th and 25th and December first a newspaper published in said Somerville.

Attest James Mann
Constable of Somerville

A true copy of Officers Return
Attest John A. P. Stevens
Ward Clerk

December 5, 1882

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the citizens of Ward number one qualified to vote as the law directs, assembled at the time and place and for the purposes therein expressed.

The warrant calling the meeting, and the officer's return thereon, was thereupon read by the Warden, who then called upon the inhabitants of said ward, qualified by law to vote, to give in their votes by ballot for the purposes expressed in said warrant.

At 4.25 o'clock P.M. the polls were closed, and the whole number of ballots given in having been received, sorted and counted in open ward meeting by the Warden and Inspectors of Elections in the manner provided by law, the result was as follows namely:

Whole number of ballots cast Five hundred & eight

For Mayor

John P. Cummings	had	502
George W. Washburn	had	2
John P. Myers	had	2

For Aldermen

Mark F. Burns	had	505
Lewis F. S. Davis	had	492
Edwin S. Conant	"	1
Charles E. Giles	"	1
George Hadley	"	1
J. Frank Wellington	"	481
Quincy P. Vinal	"	497
J. E. Ferris	"	1
Wm. Flaherty	"	1
Eben Jackson	"	1
Thomas R. Rowstone	had	506
Albion P. Henry	"	397
Barney McQuick	"	2
Patrick Myers	"	1

December 5, 1882

For Aldermen

Ira Dungin	had	500
Daniel M. Hayward	"	344
William E. Weld	"	160
J. C. Earl	"	1

For Councilmen

Moses G. Steele	had	505
Charles E. Giles	"	503
Hiram G. Jannin	"	504
Nathan P. Fitch	"	495
Edward B. Wilson	"	1
Patrick G. Myers	"	2
F. G. Lombard	"	1

For School Committee 3 Years

Henry McMoore	had	352

For Warden

George W. Bartlet	had	501
Russell Lewis	"	7

For Clerk of Ward

Frank W. Coburn	had	499

For Inspectors of Elections

Frank G. Lombard	had	499
Carey F. Carleton	"	505
Asmen W. Currier	"	496

Small Licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this City

No.	340
Yes	150

December 5, 1882

Public declaration was thereupon made in open ward meeting, by the Warden, of the state of the ballots, as sorted and counted as aforesaid, and the state of the ballots as aforesaid was likewise duly recorded in open ward meeting. The Warden thereupon caused all ballots which had been given in as aforesaid to be secured in an envelope in open ward meeting and sealed with a seal provided for the purpose, and the Warden, Clerk and Inspectors indorsed upon said envelope the statement and certificate required by law, all in open ward meeting. The Warden also caused the check list used at said election to be enclosed and sealed in an envelope in open ward meeting, and the Warden, Clerk and Inspectors certified on such envelope to the identity of the check list so enclosed all in the manner provided by law.

The meeting then dissolved

(A) True record

John P. T. Stevens Ward Clerk.

Return of Ward Two

City of Somerville

Record of Meeting held in Ward Two on the Fifth day of December A.D. 1882.

Copy of Warrant

City of Somerville, November 16. 1882.

To any Constable of the City of Somerville

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward number Two qualified to vote as the law directs, to assemble at the Ward room in the

Tolin Building, Bow Street

Tuesday December 5. 1882.

at noon o'clock in the forenoon and from that time until four o'clock and twenty minutes in the afternoon

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then and there to give in their ballots for the following City and Ward officers, namely;
A Warden, Clerk, and three Inspectors of Elections for said Ward Town, and to be residents of said Ward.
A Warden, eight aldermen, two aldermen being selected from each ward, to be elected by the qualified voters of the city at large voting for their respective wards.

Also four Councilmen for said ward all the foregoing to be voted for on one ballot.

Also, one member of the School Committee for said ward for three years, to be a resident of said ward, to be voted for on a separate ballot.

Also to deposit their ballots "Yes" or "No", in answer to the following question "shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this city.

The polls for the choice of all the several officers aforesaid at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at four o'clock and twenty five minutes in the afternoon.
Fee of plaintiff and make due return of this warrant with your doing thereon at the time and place above mentioned.
Witness John A Cummings Mayor of our said city of Somerville on this the sixteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.
By order of the Mayor and Aldermen.
(Attest Charles E. Gilman)
City Clerk.
(Attest James Mann)
Constable of Somerville,
(A true Copy) of Warrant
Attest George A Pratt Ward Clerk.

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Officers Return on Warrant.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

(Middlesex ss.

Somerville December 5, 1882.

This is to certify that I have warned and notified the Citizens of Ward number Two in the City of Somerville qualified to vote as the law directs according to the within Warrant by posting a true copy of Warrant in more than ten public places in said Ward near the place of the meeting as specified in the within Warrant, such notice copies having been posted by me as aforesaid seven days at least before the time of holding the meeting specified in said Warrant and by causing said notice to be published in the Somerville Journal November eighteenth and Twenty fifth and December second 1882 a newspaper published in said Somerville.

Attest James Mann Constable of Somerville

A True copy of Officers Return.

Attest George A Pratt Ward Clerk.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the citizens of Ward number Two qualified to vote as the law directs, assembled at the time and place and for the purposes therein expressed.

In the absence of James McBay and William A Flaherty Inspectors, Dexter F Bennett and E E Kelsey was balloted for and elected Inspectors pro tem and duly qualified by Robert Pennal Justice of the Peace, subsequently Dexter F Bennett retired and Haines Maswell was sworn in as Inspector pro tem by A. W. Pitman Justice of the Peace.

The warrant calling the meeting and the officers return thereon was thereupon read by the Warden who then called upon the inhabitants of said Ward qualified by law to vote, to give in their votes by ballot for the purposes expressed in said warrant

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at four o'clock and twenty five minutes P.M. the polls were closed, and the whole number of ballots given in having been received, sorted counted in open ward meeting by the Warden and Inspectors of elections in the manner provided by law, the result was as follows, namely,

Whole number of votes cast for City Officers ——— 689
Whole number of votes cast for School Committee ——— 674
Whole number of votes for License Yes ——— 312
Whole number of votes for License No ——— 344

For Mayor

John P. Cummings ——— had ——— 680
Patrick Rafferty ——— " ——— 1

For Aldermen

Mark F. Burns ——— had ——— 670
Levi F. S. Davis ——— " ——— 673

S. Frank Wellington ——— had ——— 668
Quincy Albional ——— " ——— 650

Thomas R. Roulstone ——— had ——— 669
Albion P. Perry ——— " ——— 661

Ira Durgin ——— had ——— 659
William C. Weld ——— " ——— 407
Daniel S. Hayward ——— " ——— 275
J. W. Bailey ——— " ——— 1
J. J. Underhill ——— " ——— 2
Scattering ——— " ——— 6

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For Common Councilmen

Frank E. Fitts	had	384
Frederick M. Stodder	"	466
Samuel G. A. Twyeross	"	673
Dana W. Bennett	"	481
Michael F. Farrell	"	196
Franklin R. Perry	"	250
Patrick J. White	"	209
John Kennedy	"	1

For Warden

Joshua E. Aldridge	had	685

For Clerk of Ward

George A. Pratt	had	684

For Inspectors

Franklin J. Hamblin	683
James M. Bay	676
John E. Hill	684
Scattering	3

For School Committee (3 years)

George W. Durell	had	361
A. H. Carmill	"	313

Shall licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this City.

Yes	312
No	344

Public declaration was thereupon made in open ward meeting by the Warden of the state of the ballots as sorted and counted as aforesaid, and the state of the ballots as aforesaid was likewise duly recorded in open ward meeting. The Warden thereupon caused all ballots which had been given as aforesaid to be secured in an

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envelope in open ward meeting and sealed with a seal provided for the purpose, and the Warden, Clerk and Inspectors indorsed upon said envelope the statement and certificate required by law, all in open Ward meeting.

The Warden also caused the check list used at said election to be enclosed and sealed in an envelope in open ward meeting, and the Warden, Clerk and Inspectors certified on such envelopes to the identity of the check list so enclosed, all in the manner provided by law.

The meeting then dissolved.

A true record George A. Pratt. Ward Clerk.

Return of Ward Three.

City of Somerville.

Record of Meeting held in Ward Three on the fifth day of December 1882.

Copy of Warrant.

City of Somerville November 16, 1882.

To any Constable of the City of Somerville

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward number three qualified to vote, as the law directs to assemble at 323 Broadway in the vacant store under Temple Hall Tuesday, December 5th 1882, at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and from that time until four o'clock and twenty five minutes in the afternoon, then and there to give in their ballots for the following City and Ward officers namely,

A Warden, Clerk, and three Inspectors of elections for said Ward Three, and to be residents of said Ward.

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I, Mayor Eight Aldermen, Two Aldermen being selected from each Ward to be elected by the qualified voters of the City at large voting in their respective Wards

Also four Councilmen for said ward, all the foregoing to be voted for on one baitel.

Also one member of the School Committee for said ward for three years, to be a resident of said ward, to be voted for on a separate baitel.

Also to deposit their baitels "Yes" or "No" in answer to the following question, "Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this City."

The polls for the choice of all the several officers aforesaid, will be opened, as aforesaid, at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at four o'clock and twenty five minutes in the afternoon.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned.

Witness John C. P. Cummings, Mayor of our said City of Somerville, on this fifteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one Thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor & Aldermen.

Attest Charles E. Gilman

City Clerk.

(Attest) Jeremy Mann

Constable of Somerville

A true copy of Warrant

Attest G. W. King Ward Clerk.

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Copy of Officers return on Warrant

Somerville December 5. 1882.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

This is to certify that I have warned and notified the citizens of ward number three in the city of Somerville qualified as the law directs according to the within warrant by posting a true copy of the within warrant in not less than ten public places in said ward near the place of meeting as specified in said warrant such copies having been posted by me as aforesaid seven days at least before the time of holding the meeting specified in said warrant and causing said notice to be published in the Somerville Journal Nov 18th & 25th and December 2. a newspaper published in said Somerville.

Albert Jairus Mann

Constable of Somerville.

A true copy of Officers return

G. W. King Ward Clerk.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the citizens of Ward number Three qualified to vote as the law directs, assembled at the time and place and for the purposes therein expressed,

There being two vacancies in the board of Inspectors the citizens proceeded to ballot and J. M. Mayhew and Henry A. Anjerman declared elected and took the customary oath.

The warrant calling the meeting, and the officers return thereon, was thereupon read by the Warden who then called upon the inhabitants of said Ward qualified by law to vote, to give in their votes by ballot for the purposes expressed in said warrant.

at four o'clock and twenty five minutes P.M. The polls were closed, and the whole number of ballots given in having been received, sated and counted in open ward meeting by the Warden and Inspectors of election in the manner provided by law, the result was as follows namely.

Whole number of votes Three hundred and sixty

For Mayor

John W. Cummings — had — 336

For Aldermen

Mark F. Burns — had — 333
Levi F. S. Davis — had — 337
Frank Wellington — had — 334
Quincy W. Conner — had — 327
Thomas K. Rowistone — had — 323
Edwin W. Perry — had — 327
Wm Curgin — had — 329
William E. Weld — had — 259
G. W. Burnham — had — 1
Daniel C. Hayward — had — 72
Wm Robinson — had — 1
N. A. Melvin — had — 1

For Councilmen

Philip J. Woodbury — had — 337
Hiram L. Smith — had — 338
Henry M. Brais — had — 338
Jonah B. Mayhew — had — 338

For Whole Committee for 3 Years

Norman W. Bingham — had — 289

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For Warden

John F. Kennard had 337

For Clerk

Gardner W. Ring had 335
Frank Bettmer " 1

For Inspectors

Charles H. Hanborn had 337
Joseph K. Kolbis " 337
George H. Watts " 335

Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this City

Yes 54
No 256.

Public declaration was thereupon made in open ward meeting by the Warden of the state of the ballots as sorted and counted as aforesaid and the state of the ballots as aforesaid was likewise duly recorded in open ward meeting. The Warden thereupon caused all ballots which had been given in as aforesaid to be secured in an envelope in open ward meeting and sealed with a seal provided for the purpose, and the Warden, Clerk and Inspectors indorsed upon said envelope the statement and certificate required by law, all in open ward meeting. The Warden also caused the check list used at said election to be enclosed and sealed in an envelope in open ward meeting and the Warden, Clerk and Inspectors certified on such envelope to the identity of the check list so enclosed all in the manner provided by law.

The meeting then dissolved

Gardner W. Ring Ward Clerk

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Return of Ward Four

City of Somerville

Record of Meeting held in Ward Four on the fifth day of December A.D. 1882.

Copy of Warrant.

City of Somerville December 16, 1882.

To any Constable of the City of Somerville

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward number of Four qualified to vote as the as 2 to law directs to assemble at the Ward Room in the Morse Schoolhouse, Summer Street.

Tuesday December 5. 1882.

at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and from that time until four o'clock and twenty five minutes in the afternoon, then and there to give in their ballots for the following City and Ward officers namely:

A Warden, Clerk and Three Inspectors of Election for said Ward Four, and to be residents of said ward

A Mayor, eight Aldermen, Two Aldermen being selected from each ward, to be elected by the qualified voters of the city at large voting in their respective wards

also four Councilmen for said ward, all the foregoing to be voted for on one ballot.

also for one member of the School Committee for said ward for three years, to be a resident of said ward; to be voted for on a separate ballot.

also to deposit their ballots "yes" or "No" in answer to the following question. Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this City

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The polls for the choice of all the several choices aforesaid will be opened as aforesaid at seven o'clock in the Forenoon, and close at four o'clock and twenty five minutes in the afternoon. Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned.

Witness John A. Cummings Mayor of our said City of Somerville, on this sixteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Mayor & Aldermen

Attest Charles E. Guinan City Clerk

Attest Jairus Mann Constable of Somerville

A True copy of Warrant

Attest George W. Gardner Ward Clerk pro tem.

Officers return on Warrant.

Somerville December 5. 1882.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex, ss.

This is to certify that I have warned and notified the citizens of Ward number Four, in the city of Somerville qualified as the law directs according to the within warrant by posting a true copy of the within warrant in not less than ten public places in said Ward near the place of meeting as specified in said warrant, such copies having been posted by me as aforesaid seven days at least before the time for holding the meeting specified in said warrant and causing said notice to be published in the Somerville Journal November 18th and 25th and December 2 a newspaper published in said Somerville.

Attest Jairus Mann Constable of Somerville

A True copy of Officers Return

Attest George W. Gardner Ward Clerk pro tem

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the citizens of ward number four qualified to vote as the law directs assembled at the time and place above and for the purposes therein expressed.
George W. Gardner and J. E. Hall were elected and qualified by the Warden previous to the opening of the polls for Clerk and Inspector respectively.

The warrant calling the meeting, and the officers return thereon, was thereupon read by the Warden who then called upon the inhabitants of said Ward qualified by law to vote, to give in their votes by ballot for the purposes expressed in said warrant.
At 4.25 o'clock P.M. the polls were closed, and the whole number of ballots given in having been received, sorted, and counted in open ward meeting by the Warden and Inspectors of Election in the manner provided by law, the result was as follows namely.

Whole number of votes cast ——— 330

For Mayor

John P. Cummings	had	322
Philip Capris	"	1
Michael H. Savage	"	1

For Mdermen

Mark P. Burns	had	324
Lee F. Slaus	"	325
Frank Wellington	"	326
Quincy Abinal	"	319
Henry M. Barber	"	1
Thomas R. Rowlstone	"	328
Alvin A. Perry	"	324
Asa Burgin	"	313
Daniel H. Haywood	"	152
William L. Weld	"	172

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Frank Robinson ——— had ——— 1
Alfred Robinson ——— " ——— 1

For Common Councilmen

Irving L. Russell ——— had ——— 329
Richard S. Blackwell ——— " ——— 323
J. Lorenzo Atwood ——— " ——— 325
Samuel S. Richards ——— " ——— 329
H. Earle ——— " ——— 1

For Warden

John S. McAdoo ——— had ——— 329

For Clerk

Israel C. Earle ——— had ——— 325
Dr. Klingman ——— " ——— 1

For Inspectors

Lemuel G. Scott ——— had ——— 327
Frederick W. S. Fiske ——— " ——— 329
John J. Quinlan ——— " ——— 326
L. B. Carr ——— " ———

For Schoolcommittee for 3 years

Benjamin G. Brown ——— had ——— 264

Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this city

No ——— 219
Yes ——— 111

Public declaration was thereupon made in open ward meeting by the Warden, of the state of the ballots as sorted, counted as aforesaid, and the state of the ballots as aforesaid was likewise duly recorded in open ward meeting. The Warden thereupon caused all ballots which had been given in as aforesaid to be secured in an envelope in open ward meeting and sealed with a seal provided for

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the purpose, and the Warden, Clerk and Inspectors indorsed upon said envelope the statement and certificate, required by law, all in open ward meeting. The Warden also caused the check list used at said election to be enclosed and sealed in an envelope in open ward meeting, and the Warden, Clerk and Inspectors certified on such envelope to the identity of the check list so enclosed, all in the manner provided by law. The meeting then dissolved.

A true record

December 9, 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen.

December 9, 1882

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Washington, Fairstone, Burns, Durgin and Wolf present

It is not was granted to P. H. Lewis to build a house on Bowen Street, also a store corner of Dress and Brook Street. — Intentions to build permit granted

The communication from the City Auditor in reference to the Surgeons in the month of December was received and sent down for information. — City Auditor Communication, Com.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council — December 9, 1882.

Received and sent for information

Douglas Frazar Clerk

Common Council

Report of Chief Engineer Engineer of Fire Department was received, read and sent down for information. — Fire Department Report of Chief

In Common Council — December 9, 1882.

Received and read for information Douglas Frazar Clerk

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Nail road communication from Fitchburg to Gates at Sim Arena

Communication from the President of the Fitchburg Nail Road Company

General Superintendents Office

Fitchburg Railroad Boston Nov 29. 1882.

Hon Mayor and Board of Aldermen

City of Somerville, Mass

Gentlemen

The Fitchburg Railroad Company have not been able to agree with the Albany Railroad Company as to payment for the gates in Somerville Avenue. The Fitchburg Railroad Company have therefore given notice to the Albany Nail Road Company that after December 14th they will no longer operate the gates for the benefit of the Albany Railroad Company.

Respectfully Fitchburg Railroad Company

by John Adams General Superintendent

Referred to the Mayor and City Solicitor and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council December 7, 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Nail Road Mayor authorized to make agreement with Boston Lowell R.R. Bridges Cross Walnut &c.

Alderman Duergin offered the following order.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

December 7, 1882.

Ordered that his honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to make an agreement with the Boston and Lowell Railroad Company for the building of substantial iron bridges over said railroad at Cross and Walnut Streets in this City to conform to the lines of said streets. The bridge at Cross Street to be forty five feet wide and the one at Walnut Street to be forty feet wide. The grades of said bridges to be as shown on the plan submitted by "Isaac M. Story Engineer B & L.R.R." The heighth of the roadway of the Cross Street Bridge at its highest point

me to be more than twelve inches higher than the road-
way of the present bridge at Cross Street; and the entire
work of rebuilding both bridges to be done by said railroad
corporation at its own expense, except the grading of the
approaches which will be done by the City; the railroad
corporation to maintain a first bridge over the road at Cross
Street during the rebuilding; the Railroad Corporation
to have the privilege of closing the Streets for a reasonable
time during said rebuilding. (Asa Durgin)
Order, received its first, and second reading and final
passage and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council (December) 9 1882.
Order adopted by receiving its first and second reading
and final passage in concurrence.
Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Claims ✓
notice of
G. W. Whitcher.

Notice of George W. Whitcher of Boston of a suit entered
against the City of Somerville in an action of Tort at the
Third District Court of Eastern Middlesex, to be holden
at Cambridge on Thursday the eleventh day of January
next.
Referred to the City Solicitor and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council (December) 9 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Finance ✓
Order to borrow
money in anticipation of taxes

Alderman Burns offered the following Order.
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.
December 9 1882.
Ordered
That for the purpose of providing for the payment of
the current expenses of the City the Committee on Finance
be and they are hereby authorized to borrow in anticipation
of taxes for the current year not exceeding the sum of One
hundred and ten thousand dollars for a term not exceeding

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its monthly and the treasurer is hereby authorized under the direction of said Committee to give a note or notes of the City therefor, payable from the moneys collected for said taxes to be approved by the Mayor.
Order adopted by receiving its first reading and under a suspension of the Rules and Orders its second reading and final passage by a Yea and Nay vote and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

The Common Council December 9. 1882.
Order adopted by receiving its first reading and under a suspension of the Rules and Orders its second reading and final passage by a unanimous Yea and Nay vote in concurrence.

Louis Frazar Clerk.

Adjourned

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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Meeting Mayor and Aldermen

Dec 12. 1882.

Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Wiscross, Wellington, Rowstone, Page Clark, Burns, Dunn and Weld present.

Aldermen present

Records of last meeting Approved.

Records

Petition of Sears Condit for a Street Lamp on Sibbs Street.
Received to Committee on Street Lights with full powers and sent down for concurrence.

Street Light
Sibbs Street
Petition for

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council December 14, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Report of Chief of Police received and read for information

Police
Chief of Police

Report of Committee on Fire Department
City of Somerville

In Committee on Fire Department.

December 4, 1882.

To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Fire Department, which was instructed by an order dated in Common Council March 2, 1882, to consult with the School Committee as to the feasibility of building a tower upon the Franklin School House on Somerville Avenue and attaching thereto a Bell and Fire Alarm Striker, report that a sub committee of this Committee has had several conferences with a sub Committee of the School Committee, but has been unable to agree with them upon any plan for placing a fire alarm on said School House. In the judgment of this Committee, however, a fire alarm is needed in

Fire Department
Fire Alarm Bell
Som Avenue
Report of Committee

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The neighborhood where said school houses is situated

By order of the Committee.

George I Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council Dec 14. 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Fire Dept. Petition of Sturtevant Brothers and others for fire alarm signal box in Union Square

Petition of Sturtevant Brothers and others that a fire alarm signal box may be placed in some suitable place in Union Square

Referred to the Committee on Fire Department sent down for concurrence.

Charles E Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council December 14. 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Printing Ordinances Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Printing City of Somerville

In Committee on Printing December 4. 1882

To the City Council of Somerville.

The Committee on Printing which was instructed by an Order dated March 14. 1882, to cause to be published in the Somerville Journal all of the Ordinances of the city in accordance with section 2 of Ordinance number one, the expense to be charged to Miscellaneous account reports that all of ordinances now in force being numbered 1 to 33 inclusive have been published in accordance with said order at a cost of $378.30.

By order of the Committee

George I Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence

Charles E Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council Dec 14. 1882

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Report of Committee on Fuel and Street Lights
City of Somerville.
In Committee on Fuel and Street Lights.
December 4. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Fuel and Street Lights, to which was referred the petition of L. W. Jones and others for a street lamp on Park Avenue near the Methodist Church, recommend that the petition be referred to the next City Government
By order of the Committee
Grace Hinckley Clerk.
Report accepted, adopted, and sent down for concurrence Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council December 14 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Street Lights
Report of Committee on Petition of L. W. Jones & others

Report of Committee on Fuel and Street Lights
City of Somerville.
The Committee on Fuel and Street Lights
December 4. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Fuel and street lights to which was referred the petition of Martin Binney for street lamp in front of his estate on Dane street and the petition of Nathaniel Gilson for a street lamp in front of his new house on Linden Avenue, that each of the petitioners has been notified that a street lamp will be erected as prayed for in his petition, when the Treasurer shall have received the sum of twenty dollars therefor, but no response has been received in either case, and therefore recommend that they be granted leave to withdraw
By order of the Committee Grace Hinckley Clerk
Report accepted sent down for concurrence Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council December 14. 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Street Lights
Report of Committee on Petitions of Martin Binney & Nathaniel Gilson

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Street Lights
Report of Committee on petition of Benjamin M. Fiske

Report of Committee on Fuel and Street Lights
City of Somerville
In Committee on Fuel and Street Lights
December 11, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Fuel and Street Lights to which was referred the petition of Benjamin M. Fiske for permission to erect a street lamp on the northwest corner of Summer and Cherry streets, reports that the lamp has been erected as stated in the petition.
By order of the Committee.
George I. Vincent, Clerk.
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.
In Common Council Dec. 14, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar, Clerk.

Street Lights
Report of Committee on Petition of Wm. Bonner

Report of Committee on Fuel and Street Lights
City of Somerville.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Fuel and Street Lights, to which was referred the petition of William H. Bonner that a street lamp be set at his expense in front of his residence on Columbus Avenue the post and lamp to be furnished by him, reports that the lamp has been set as prayed for at a cost of $7.73 and a bill therefor has been sent to the Treasurer for collection.
By order of the Committee.
George I. Vincent, Clerk.
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.
In Common Council December 14, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar, Clerk.

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Report of Committee on Fire Department
City of Somerville

In Committee on Fire Department
December 4, 1882.

To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Fire Department, to which was referred the petition of Horace Partridge and others, for a fire alarm box in the vicinity of Partridge avenue, Jenny Lind Avenue, or Vernon Street recommends that the petition be referred to the next City Council.

By order of the Committee
(George) Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted, adopted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council December 14, 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Fire Department
Report of Committee on the petition of Horace Partridge and others

Report of Committee on Fire Department
City of Somerville

In Committee on Fire Department Dec. 4, 1882.

To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Fire Department, to which was referred an order dated December 14, 1881, instructing the Committee on Fire Department to take into consideration the feasibility of connecting the wires of the fire alarm with the telegraph the Tower of the Middlesex Bleachery on Somerville Avenue and attaching a striker thereto reports, that the proprietors of the Bleachery will not consent to having a fire alarm striker attached to their bell, and therefore no further action is practicable under said order.

By order of the Committee Geo. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council December 14, 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Fire Department
Report of Committee on order for fire alarm on Middlesex Bleachery

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Alderman Weld offered the following order

Streets
Order relating to digging up streets

—— (City of Somerville) ——
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
—— December 12, 1882.

Ordered
That on after this date until the first day of April 1883, no permits for digging up the public highways will be granted unless in cases of emergency. W. E. Weld.
Order adopted sent down for concurrence.
—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council Dec 14, 1882.
Concurred in —— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Sewers
Assessment hearing
Joy & Washington Street
Belmont & Sacramento
and Miller Streets

In accordance with an order dated Dec 14, 1882, a hearing was held of all persons desiring to object to their assessments levied on their estates for the construction of sewers in Joy and Washington Streets Belmont Street Sacramento and Miller Streets
No persons appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Sewers
Bond Street
Assessment hearing

A hearing was also held in reference to the assessments for construction of Sewers in Bond Street Mr Samuel Littlefield was present and objected to his assessment it being to large.
No other person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Sewers (hearing)
Passage way from Linwood Street
assessments

A hearing was also held in reference to the assessments for construction of a sewer in passage way running westwardly from Linwood Street between Congress place and Linwood place
Mrs Scott and Campbell was present and objected to their assessments considered the amount to large as they had no use for the sewer.
No other person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

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Report of Committee on Sewers.

City of Somerville.

In Committee on Sewers December 12, 1882, to the Board of Aldermen of Somerville; the Committee on Sewers, reports that in accordance with an order dated October 24, 1882, has been constructed in Broadway from the end of the sewer built in 1879 near Marshall street, to a point 38 feet southeasterly from School Street 375½ feet of 12 inch pipe sewer, with two manholes, at a cost of 1393.71 and presents the accompanying list of assessments, with a warrant and order for their collection.

Sewers Completion of Broadway, Report of Committee

By order of the Committee

George I Vincent Clerk

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted. Charles E Gilman Clerk.

Common Sewer Assessment

Sewer Assessments Broadway

Schedule of assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, to declare in part, the cost of constructing a common sewer, in the City of Somerville in Broadway and extending from the end of the sewer built in 1879 near Marshall Street to a point 38 feet southeasterly from School Street.

Owners of estates benefited	[illegible] land	valuation	[illegible] assessment	assessment	
Edward Wickes Trustee	5000	1000.00	4½%	45	00
Benjamin M Howard	16400	3280.00	"	147	60
[illegible]	7334	6613.48	"	72	61
Isaac Kendall	8300	1660.00	"	74	70
Nathan W Pitz	8400	1680.00	"	75	60
Thomas G Temple	8600	1720.00	"	77	40
Estate of James Litterfield	9700	2134.00	"	96	03
		13.087.48	"	588	94

For description of estates benefited see plan drawn by George H Kimball City Engineer dated Nov 25, 1882, entitled Broadway Sewer and herewith submitted

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Sewer Broadway assessment Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

To John F. Cole Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville in said County

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you of each one, his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list to wit:

Five hundred and eighty eight 94/100 dollars being the whole amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said city, to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in said city of Somerville in Broadway street, and extending from the end of the sewer built in 1879 near Marshall street to a point 38 feet southeasterly from School Street, the same having been ascertained, assessed and certified hereby.

You are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums, and pay the same into the Treasury of said city on or before the first day of May next ensuing the date hereof; and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums, you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth and to be governed thereby.

Witness John P. Cummings Mayor of our said city of Somerville on this 12th day of December in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty two

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen.

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

December 12, 1882

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

December 12, 1882.

Ordered, that, the cost of constructing the common sewer, within referred to amounting to $1393.71 and after deducting the proportion thereof, namely $804.77, to be paid by the City there remaining $588.94 to be assessed upon persons benefited the persons named in the within schedule, being benefited as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer, and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant, as within stated be so adopted and issued.

Attest: Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers
Broadway
Assessment
Order to collect

Report of Committee on Sewers.

City of Somerville.

In Committee on Sewers December 12, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers reports that in accordance with an order dated October 24 1882 there has been constructed on Washington Street, Shawmut Street, Shawmut Place and Alston Street from the Linwood Street sewer near the centre of Washington Street, to the centre of Cross Street 1109 7/10 feet of 12 inch pipe sewer with 6 manholes at a cost of $1800.81 and present the accompanying list of assessments with a warrant and order for their collection.

By order of the Committee

George I Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers
Completion of
Report of Committee
Washington Street
Shawmut Street
Shawmut Place
& Alston Street

December 12. 1882

Common Sewer Assessment

Sewers
Assessment List
Washington St
Shawmut Street
Shawmut Place
Alston Street

Schedule of assessments made by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer, in the City of Somerville in Washington Street, Shawmut Street, Shawmut Place and Alston Street and extending from the Linwood street sewer near the centre of Washington Street to the centre of Cross Street:

Owners of estates benefited		Number feet of land	Valuation	Rate per cent of assessment	Assessment	
Sarah E Leach	Shawmut St	3774	1,057.24	4½%	47	60
Estate of Paine Higgins	"	4100	1,107.00	"	49	82
Horace D. Gove	Alston St	1400	450.00	"	20	25
Tilden J Abbott	"	1500	450.00	"	20	25
Frederick P. Chandler	"	3089	679.58	"	30	58
Estate of Paine S Higgins	"	3321	730.62	"	32	88
John W Brooks	"	6196	732.28	"	32	98
Estate of Paine S Higgins	"	16296	4074.00	"	183	33
Llewellyn R Bragg	"	2245	673.50	"	30	31
Estate of Paine S Higgins	"	2531	759.30	"	34	17
Emma O Hill	Cross Street	4594	853.74	"	38	42
Mary Shaverg	" "	4500	964.00	"	43	38
J Woodrow W Freeman and W S Freeman	Alston "	36833	9,944.91	"	447	52
Estate of Paine S Higgins	Shawmut Pl	6199	1,673.73	"	75	32
Ellen M Randall	Shawmut St & Pl	15000	3000.00	"	135	00
			27,151.00		$1291	81

For a description of estates benefited, see plan drawn by George P. Kimball, City Engineer dated December 5, 1882 entitled Shawmut and Alston street sewer and herewith submitted

December 12, 1882

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

To John F. Cole Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville, in said County

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you of each of one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list, to wit:

Twelve hundred and twenty one and 8/100 dollars being the whole amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said City, to defray in part the cost of constructing a common sewer in said City of Somerville in Washington Street, Shawmut Street, Shawmut Place and Alston Street and extending from the Linwood street sewer near the Centre of Washington Street to the centre of Cross Street, the same having been ascertained, assessed and certified hereby.

You are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums, and pay the same into the Treasury of said City, on or before the 1st day of May next ensuing the date hereof; and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums, you are to pursue the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth, and to be governed thereby.

Witness John H. Cummings Mayor of our said City of Somerville on this 12th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

Sewers ✓

assessment list

Warrant to Treasurer

December 12, 1882

City of Somerville,

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

December 12, 1882.

Sewers
Assessments
Order to Collect

Ordered

That, the cost of constructing the Common Sewer within referred to amounting to $1800.81, and after deducting the proportion thereof namely $579.00 to be paid by the City there remaining $1221.81, to be assessed upon persons benefited, the persons named in the within schedule, being benefited as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sum therein set to their respective names, as their proportional part of the expense of the said sewer, and the same is certified as within stated, and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid, their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant, as within stated be adopted and issued.

Attest: Charles E. Gilman City Clerk.

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sidewalk
Cross Street
Completion of
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Highways

City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways December 9, 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Highways reports that in accordance with an Order dated May 23, 1882, a grave side walk with edgestone which has been constructed on both sides of Cross Street from Medford Street to High Street at a cost of $927.24 and presents the accompanying list of assessments with a warrant and order for their collection.

By order of the Committee George I. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

December 12, 1882

Sidewalks
Cross Street
Assessments

Sidewalk Assessment

To defray in part the cost of grading and constructing sidewalks in the City of Somerville in Cross Street in said City, and on both sides thereof, and extending from Medford street to High street with edgestones and covered with gravel.

Abutters on said sidewalks		cost of sidewalks		proportion amount on abutters	
William H. Thompson	northwesterly side	162	93	81	47
William H. Thompson	"	297	27	148	63
William H. Thompson	southeast side	162	88	81	44
William H. Thompson	"	304	16	152	08
		$ 927	24	$ 463	62

Sidewalks
assessments
Cross Street
Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss.

To John F. Cox Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville in said County,

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you of each one his proportion therein particularly set down of the sum total of said list to wit:

Four hundred and sixty three 7/100 dollars being the amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said city, to defray in part the cost of grading and constructing sidewalks in said city of Somerville, in Cross Street in said City and on both sides thereof and extending from Medford street to High Street with edgestones and covered with gravel the same having been ascertained, assessed and certified hereby.

Wherefore to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums and pay the same into the Treasury of said City, on or before the first day of May next, assuming the date hereof, and in making collection

December 12, 1882

and enforcing the payment of said sums you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth and to be governed thereby. Witness John H. Cummings Mayor of said City of Somerville on this 12th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Board of Aldermen

Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

December 12, 1882.

Sidewalk Assessments Cum Street Order to collect

Ordered that the costs of grading and constructing the sidewalks within referred to amounting respectively to the sums specified in the within schedule, and after deducting the proportion thereof, namely one half to be paid by the City, there remaining the sums specified in the within schedule, being one half of such cost, to be assessed upon the abutters the persons named in the within schedule, being abutters on such sidewalks as aforesaid be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names, as their pro-proportional part of the expenses of said sidewalks, and the same is certified as within stated and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid at their tenants or assessors and it is ordered that the warrant as within stated, be adopted and issued.

Attest, Charles E. Gilman, City Clerk.

Report accepted, assessment list warrant and order adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

December 12. 1882

City of Somerville

Report of Committee on Highways

In Committee on Highways December 9. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Highways reports that in accordance with an order dated June 13. 1882 a gravel sidewalk with edgestones, has been constructed on both sides of Bonal Avenue, at a cost of $1996.79 and presents the accompanying list of assessments with a warrant and order for their collection.

By Order of the Committee

George Abbott Clerk

Report accepted assessment list Warrant and order adopted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sidewalks Bonal Avenue Completion of Report of Committee

Sidewalk Assessment

To defray in part, the cost of grading and constructing Sidewalks in the City of Somerville in Bonal Avenue in said city and on both sides thereof and extending from Summer street to Highland Avenue with edgestones and covered with gravel.

Sidewalks Bonal Avenue Assessments

Abutters on said sidewalks		Cost of sidewalks		Proportion assessed on abutters	
Margaret F. Burt	southwest side	149	24	71	12
City of Somerville	"	125	08	62	54
Margaret F. Burt	"	41	55	20	77
Caroline H. Wilder	"	41	55	20	78
Leonard Arnold	"	41	87	20	94
William W. Burt	"	41	75	20	87
Margaret F. Burt	"	41	75	20	88
Albert L. Dodge	"	83	07	41	54
William W. Burt	"	41	55	20	78
Margaret F. Burt	"	41	55	20	77
Charles E. Davis	"	42	78	21	39
Sophia Burnett	"	31	92	15	96
Joseph N. Damon	"	31	85	15	93
Louisa M. Pond	"	$144	00	$72	00

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William S Stearns		48	45	24	22
John M F Hobbs		61	75	30	87
Horace O Bright	southeast side	60	09	30	05
Tresor B Walker	"	58	84	29	42
William S Stearns	"	129	71	64	86
Charles May	"	51	34	25	67
Mary J Gooding	"	33	23	16	61
Emeline A Wilder	"	42	92	21	46
Margaret F Burt	"	42	92	21	46
William O Grover	"	42	92	21	46
William W Burt	"	42	92	21	46
Mary A Hathaway	"	42	92	21	46
Jos Manson	"	62	57	31	25
Margaret F Burt	"	62	07	31	03
Thomas McCloskey	"	41	54	20	77
Hannah Nash	"	41	54	20	77
Susan Barton	"	41	54	20	77
Emeline A Wilder	"	41	54	20	77
John Green	"	41	54	20	77
Lucia Knights	"	41	54	20	77
William W Burt	"	72	39	36	19
		$1996	79	$998	39

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Sidewalks ✓

Middlesex, ss.

Assessment Warrant

Annual Annual

To John F Cox Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of the City of Somerville in said County

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to levy and collect of the several persons named in the list herewith committed to you of each one his proportion the sum particularly set down at the sum total of said list to wit:

Nine hundred ninety eight 39/100 dollars

being the amount of assessments made by the Mayor and Aldermen of said city to defray in part the cost of

grading and constructing sidewalks in said city of Somerville in Bonal Avenue in said city and on both sides thereof, and extending from Summer Street to Highland Avenue with edge stones and covered with gravel, the same having been ascertained, assessed and certified thereby.

You are to complete and make up an account of the collection of said sums, and pay the same into the Treasury of said City, on or before the 1st day of May next ensuing the date hereof, and in making collection and enforcing the payment of said sums, you are to exercise the powers conferred by the Statutes of said Commonwealth and to be governed thereby.

Witness John P. Cummings Mayor of our said City of Somerville, on this 12th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

By order of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
December 12. 1882.

Sidewalks Bonal Avenue Assessment Order to collect

Ordered, that the cost of grading and constructing the sidewalks within referred to, amounting respectively to the sums specified in the within schedule, and after deducting the proportion thereof, namely, one half to be paid by the City, the remaining the sums specified in the within schedule, being one half of such cost, to be assessed upon the abutters the persons named in the within schedule, being abutters on said sidewalks as aforesaid, be and they are hereby charged and assessed with the sums therein set to their respective names as their just proportional share of the expense of the said sidewalks, and the same is certified as within stated and notice thereof is ordered to be given to the parties aforesaid their tenants or lessees, and it is ordered that the warrant as within stated be adopted and issued.

Attest Charles E. Gilman City Clerk

December 12. 1882

Report accepted assessment list warrant and order adopted. — Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Alderman Records offered the following order

City of Somerville

Sewers assessments. Order for hearing Shammut Street " Place Alston Street Broadway

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

December 12. 1882.

Ordered

that Tuesday December 26. 1882 at 3 o'clock P. M. and the Mayor and Aldermen Room in the City Hall be assigned as the time and place for a hearing by this board of all persons desiring to object to their assessments for common sewer in Shammut Street & place and Alston street and in Broadway between Marshall and School Streets. — J. L. Norcross.

Order adopted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Elections returns referred to Committee on Elections

On motion of Alderman Parkinson the returns of the several Ward Officers of the Municipal Election were referred to the Committee on Elections and returns to examine and report.

Elections Report of the Committee

Report of Committee on Elections

City of Somerville

December 12. 1882.

The Committee on Elections appointed to examine the returns of witnesses in the several Wards of this City at the recent Municipal election have attended to that duty and respectively report that the result exhibited by the returns are correctly entered in the book kept for that purpose and were for the following named persons

For the Committee

Frank Wellington

Report accepted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

December 12. 1882

For Mayor

			Mayor
John P. Cummings	had	1840 & elected	
George W. Washburn	"	2	
John P. Myers	"	2	
Patrick Rockforty	"	1	
Philip Caples	"	1	
Michael H. Savage	"	1	

For Aldermen

			Aldermen
Mark F. Burns	had	1832 & elected	
Lori F. S. Davis	"	1827 & elected	
Edwin S. Cenan	"	1	
Charles E. Giles	"	1	
George Hartley	"	1	
J. Frank Wellington	had	1809 & elected	
Quincy A. Bonnie	"	1793 & elected	
J. E. Ferris	"	1	
Wm Flaherty	"	1	
Elias Jackson	"	1	
Thomas W. Houlstone	had	1821 & elected	
Alvin A. Penny	"	1709 & elected	
Barnes M. Lunk	"	2	
Patrick Myers	"	1	
Asa Burgess	had	1801 & elected	
William E. Weil	"	993 & elected	
J. E. Earl	"	1	
J. H. Bailey	"	1	
J. J. Underhill	"	2	
Scattering	"	6	
G. W. Burnham	"	1	
A. M. Robinson	"	1	
R. A. Melvin	"	1	
Henry H. Barber	"	1	
Francis Robinson	"	1	
Albert Robinson	"	1	

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Councilmen Ward One

Ward One

Common Councilmen

Moses G Stirk	had	505	elected
Charles E Giles	"	503	elected
Hiram G Hanwin	"	504	elected
Nathan W Fitch	"	495	elected
Edward B Wilson	"	1	
Patrick Myers	"	2	
F G Lombard	"	1	

For Warden

George W Bartlett	had	501	elected
Ansel Lewis	"	7	

For Clerk

Frank W Coburn	had	499	elected

Inspectors of Election

Frank G Lombard	had	497	elected
Carey F Bartlett	"	508	elected
Clement W Currier	"	496	elected

Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this City

No	340
Yes	150

For School Committee

Henry M Moore	had	352	elected

For Common Councilmen Ward Two

Councilmen Ward Two

Frank C Pitts	had	384	elected
Frederick M Stodder	"	466	elected
Samuel G P Troyeross	"	673	elected
Lana W Bennett	"	451	elected
Michael F Farrell	"	176	
Franklin R Terry	"	250	
Patrick H White	"	209	
John Kennedy	"	1	

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Ward Two

For Warden

Joshua E Eldridge — had 686 & elected

For Clerk of Ward

George W Pratt — had 684 & elected

For Inspectors

Franklin J Hamblin — had 683 & elected
James McBay — had 676 & elected
John E Hill — had 684 & elected
Scattering — had 3

School Committee

George W Durell — had 361 & elected
H H Carmile — had 313

Upon the Question shall licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this City

Yes — 312
No — 344

Ward Three

Common Councilmen

Philip O Woodbury — had 337 & elected
Hiram D Smith — had 338 & elected
Henry M Beals — had 338 & elected
Jonah B Mayhew — had 338 & elected

Councilmen Ward Three

For School Committee

Norman W Bingham — had 289 & elected

For Warden

John F Hammond — had 337 & elected

For Clerk

Gardner W Rice — had 335 & elected
Frank Buttonier — had 1

December 12. 1882

For Inspectors

Charles H. Sanborn — had — 337 & elected
Joseph H. Hollis — had — 337 & elected
George A. Watts — had — 335 & elected

Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of liquors
Yes — 64
No — 256

Ward Four

Councilmen Ward Four

For Common Councilmen

Irving L. Russell — had — 329 & elected
Richard T. Blackwell — had — 323 & elected
J. Lorenzo Atwood — had — 324 & elected
Samuel T. Richards — had — 329 & elected
J. C. Earl — had — 1

For School Committee

Benjamin G. Brown — had — 214 & elected

For Warden

John J. McAdoo — had — 329 & elected

For Clerk

Israel C. Earl — had — 328 & elected
Dr. S. Eingman — had — 1

For Inspectors

Lemuel G. Trott — had — 327 & elected
Frederick A. Fiske — had — 329 & elected
John J. Quinlan — had — 326 & elected

Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors
No — 219
Yes — 111

December 12. 1882

Alderman Wellington offered the following order — Election

City of Somerville — Order City Clerk to notify members

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen — Elect to meet for organization

December 12. 1882.

Ordered

That all persons named as elected in the report of the Committee on Election presented to this Board and recorded with the records of this Board be and they hereby are declared elected to the several offices as stated in said report, and that the City Clerk be instructed to notify the said persons of their election to their respective offices, and that the Hall in the High School Building on Highland Avenue is appointed as the place for their meeting on the Third Monday of January next at 10 o'clock A.M. for organization as required by the City Charter.

J. Frank Wellington

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Alderman Page offered the following order. — Inspector of Buildings Order instructing

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen Dec 12. 1882 —

Ordered that the Inspector of Buildings be and is hereby instructed to examine the Hill Building, Hotel Warren and Pythian Block both situated in Union Square in this City, and ascertain what means are provided for escaping from said buildings in case of fire, and report to this board at an early day. Calvin A. Page.

The order was indefinitely postponed Charles E. Gilman Clerk

On motion of Alderman Field the Mayor was requested to instruct the Inspector of Buildings to examine and proceed at once to cause such changes to be made as is necessary as regards the means of escape from the Hill Building, Pythian Hall and Hotel Warren in compliance with the Ordinances on Building. — Inspector of Buildings Mayor to Instruct

Adjourned Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

December 26, 1882

Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen
Somerville, December 26. 1882.
Mayor Cummings presiding

Aldermen Thoreau, Wellington, Noulstone Page, Clark, Burns, Durgin present

Record of last meeting approved.

Petition of Garrett Barry for permit to remove building

Petition of Garrett Barry for a permit to dig up the street in front of his estate corner of Earl and South Streets for the purpose of laying a drain to connect with the Common Sewer.
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council December 30. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Permits to build granted

The following permits to build were granted
Mark Laighton on Bonair St and Walnut Street
" " " House on Mills Street
" " 3 " Houses on Austin Street & Mystic ave.
Thomas B. Blaike on Union Square
H. C. Snow Corner of Franklin and Arlington Street
Charles River Rail Road Co. Corner of Summer and Putnam Streets

Petition N. B. Clapp

Petition of N. B. Clapp that Factories built after January 1883 employing fifty men or more and land on which they are built be exempt from taxation for the term of ten years
Referred to the Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council December 30. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Petition of A B Clapp that land brought into market & forty hours lots 10 more of 5,000 feet each in one plateau — such land shall be exempt from revaluation for the term of five years.
Referred to the Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence — Charles E Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council — December 30. 1882.
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk

Petition of A B Clapp

Communication from Inspector of Buildings — Hemenville Dec 26. 1882.
To his Honor the Mayor and City Council
Gentlemen as the outside Door of the City Building on Bow Street do not conform to the Ordinances in relation thereto, I would suggest that some action be taken in the matter. Also that a suitable Fire Escape be placed on the building.
Also that the stairs leading to the upper hall be strengthened to prevent trembling when people pass over them.
I would also recommend that a suitable Fire Escape be placed on the High School Building as the public do not feel safe while occupying the Hall. Keeping these suggestions will meet with your favor. David F Sanborn,
Referred to the Committee on Public Property and sent down for Concurrence
Charles E Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council — December 30. 1882.
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk

Inspector of Buildings Communication from

The Annual Report of the Inspector of Buildings was received read and sent down for information
Charles E Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council — December 30. 1882
Concurred in — Douglas Frazar Clerk

Inspector of Buildings Report of

December 26, 1882

Claims
Notice of Henrietta G. Stipp

Notice of Henrietta G. Stipp

I Henrietta G. Stipp of Boston in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts hereby give notice to the City of Somerville, a municipal corporation duly established by law in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth aforesaid and John T. Cummings the Mayor of said City of Somerville that on the thirteenth (13) day of November A.D. 1882, while walking in the Street called Shawmut Street in said City of Somerville which said Street is a public Street of the said City of Somerville for lawful purposes, and in the exercise of due care and diligence on my part, I fell into an excavation made in said Shawmut Street, which said excavation was not barricaded or lighted and of which I had no notice or knowledge;

That by my said fall into said excavation and by reason of said defect in said Shawmut Street, I have suffered great loss and have experienced great pain and injury both in mind and body, and that for my said loss and injury caused by said defect in said Shawmut Street I shall forthwith bring an action at law against the said City of Somerville to recover damages and costs thereon for my said loss and injury caused as aforesaid.

Henrietta G. Stipp

In presence of William E. Davidson.

Referred to the Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council December 30, 1882

Amended by referring the within notice to the next City Council and sent up for concurrence

Douglas Frazar Clerk.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen December 30, 1882

Amendment concurred in

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

December 26. 1882

Report of Committee on Claims.

December 26. 1882,

To the City Council of Somerville,

The undersigned who was authorized by an order dated Nov 14. 1882, to approve to the auditor to be placed in payroll of Miscellaneous Account the sum of one hundred dollars in favor of H. J. Savage, in full for all claims and demands said Savage might have against the City on account of an accident to his horse which occurred on Brown Street in this City on the eighth day of [illegible] last, reports that the said sum has been approved as authorized, and has been paid to said Savage, in full settlement of the claim.

John H. Cummings

Chairman of the Committee on Claims

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council December 26. 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Claims

Report of Committee on Claim of H. Savage

Report of Committee on Sewers

City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers, December 12, 1882

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville:

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of F. G. Hanes trustee that some means be devised to drain his estate Corner of Temple and Heath Street reports that the Committee has caused a culvert to be laid under Temple Street to take the surface drainage from Heath Street, and this will probably relieve Mr. Hanes from further trouble, as his cesspool appears to be adequate for the house drainage.

By order of the Committee

George I. Vermont Clerk

Report accepted Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Sewers

Report of Committee on the petition of F. G. Hanes Trustee.

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Sewers — Report of Committee on Petition of H. E. Hill

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers December 12, 1882
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville

The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the petition of Herbert E. Hill that a pipe sewer may be laid in Cross Street, near Medford Street and connected with the proposed sewer in Alston Street when completed" report that the sewer recently built in Alston Street supplies the petitioner with adequate common sewer facilities and therefore recommends that he be granted leave to withdraw

By order of the Committee
George S. Vincent Clerk.

Report Accepted, Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers — Dover Street Extension of Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers December 18, 1882,
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.

The Committee on Sewers which was authorized by an order dated Nov 14, 1882, to extend the sewer in Dover Street about one hundred feet in a southwesterly direction, reports that the committee deemed it inexpedient to extend this sewer (which is of brick) so late in the year and recommends that no further action be taken under said order.

By order of the Committee
George S. Vincent Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen
Report accepted — Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers December 18, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville,
The Committee on Sewers which was authorized by an Order dated Nov 17, 1882, to construct a catch basin on the northerly side of Beacon Street between Park and Bent Street, as prayed for by the Charles River Street Railway Company, if said Railway Company shall agree to pay one half of the cost, report that the catch basin has been constructed at a cost of $92.50 one half of which has been paid by said Company.

By order of the Committee
George I. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted. Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers
Catch Basin Bonds
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

In Committee on Sewers December 18, 1882
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville,
The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the following petitions to wit:
Petitions of Michael E. Flynn for a drain layers license.
Petition of J. A. Buckhouse for a sewer in Graves Street from Willow Avenue to Cutter Avenue.
Petition of Daniel H. and David H. Sanborn for a sewer in Irving Place.
Petition of Abram P. Downs and others for a sewer in Bent Street from Broadway to Heath Street, and the petition of N. E. Barnes for a sewer in Winthrop Avenue or for the privilege of constructing one for his own control and use, reports recommending that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.
By order of the Committee George I. Vincent Clerk.
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

Sewers
Report of Committee on several petitions

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Sewers

Report of Committee referring to the next Board of Aldermen various petitions

Report of Committee on Sewers
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In Committee on Sewers December 18, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Sewers to which was referred the the following named petitions to wit:-
Petition of Childs and Rice administrators for a sewer in Adrian Street-
Petition of E S Sparrow and Thomas Farnham for the extension of sewer in Dover street one hundred feet.
Petition of B Plowjoy and others for a sewer in Highland Avenue between Sycamore Street and Central Street, and the petition of Charles S Butters and others for a catch Basin in Bow Street Place.
Reports recommending that the petitions be referred to the next Board of Aldermen.
By order of the Committee
George I Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E Gilman Clerk.

Soldiers Relief

Report of Committee Turkeys for Soldiers

Report of Committee on Soldiers Relief
In Committee on Soldiers Relief December 4, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Soldiers Relief, which was authorized by an order dated November 14, 1882, to expend a sum not to exceed One hundred and fifty dollars ($150.00) for Turkeys to be furnished on Thanksgiving Day to needy Soldiers and families of Soldiers of the late war, reports that ninety four families were provided with Turkeys in accordance with said order at a cost of one hundred and fifty dollars, and the bill therefore has been approved to be placed in Tax vote of Miscellaneous account.
By order of the Committee George I Vincent Clerk
Accepted sent down for concurrence Charles E Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council December 30. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

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Report of Committee on Fire and Street Lights
City of Somerville.

Street Lights
[illegible] Committee
[illegible] Knapp

In Committee on Fire and Street Lights Dec 15, 1882
To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Fire and Street Lights to which was referred the petition of E. L. Knapp that street signs marked Broadway and Walnut Street be placed in the Lantern of the street lamp under the big tree on Broadway opposite Walnut street, reports that the Superintendent of Street Lamps has been instructed to place signs in said Lantern as prayed for in the petition.

By order of the Committee (George T. Vincent Clerk) Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council December 30, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Report of Committee on Public Property
City of Somerville.

Public Property
Edgerly School [illegible]
Report of Committee

In Committee on Public Property December 20, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville,

The Committee on Public Property [illegible] was authorized by an order dated in Board of Aldermen March 28, 1882, to make contracts for an addition to the Edgerly School House in accordance with plans by S. D. Kelley Architect with H. H. Stines and son for the Masons part for the sum of twenty one hundred and fifty three dollars, and with [illegible] Mason and Co for the Carpenters part for the sum of [illegible] hundred and forty eight dollars, reports that the contracts have been made as authorized and the Masons part of the work has been completed at a cost, including extras of twenty four hundred and ninety nine dollars, which sum has been approved in Tax Notes in favor of Mess Stines & Son, and that the sum of Fifty seven hundred and fifty dollars has been paid to the Carpenters Messrs Mead Mason & Co leaving eighteen hundred and ninety eight dollars, against twenty five per cent of their contract price which is held as a reserve.

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as provided in the contract, until the work shall have been completed, as there still remains a small amount of the Carpenter work to be done.

By order of the Committee

George Florence Clerk

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

Street Lights
Report of Committee

Report of Committee on Fuel and Street Lights
City of Somerville

In Committee on Fuel and Street Lights Dec. 18, 1882

To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Fuel and Street Lights to which were referred the following named petitions to wit:

Petition of Isaac Condit, for a Street lamp on Tufts Street.

Petition of Samuel B. Lund and others for Street Lights three on Austin Street.

Petition of D. G. McGregor and others for a street lamp on the corner of Broadway and Grant Street.

Petition of John Medina for a lamp post at his estate corner of Broadway and Curtis Street.

Petition of C. W. Kingsley and others for a street lamp at the westerly end of Chester Place.

Petition of Benj. F. Ellis and others for a Street lamp corner Webster and Rush Street.

Petition of [illegible] for a street lamp in front of his residence on Broadway.

Petition of Irving L. Russell for a Street lamp corner Broadway and North Street.

Petition of James Hall Jr. for a street lamp near the of Prescott Street.

Petition of F. R. Tibbets for a street lamp in front of his residence on Morrison Street.

Petition of Elijah L. Walker and others for a street lamp on Pleasant Avenue about midway between Walnut Street and Bond Avenue.

Petition of William Crazie for a street light on Sunnyside Avenue

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Petition of N. L. Thorne for a street lamp on Day Street —
Petitions of Charles H. Simpkins and others for a street lamp
corner of Austin Street and Broadway.
Petition of Isaac S. Winston for a street lamp opposite his
residence on Tufts Street and others and the
petition of H. J. Taylor for a street lamp on the corner of
Vernon Street and Somerville Avenue, report that
nineteen lamps have been erected as prayed for in said
petitions and the sum of twenty dollars per lamp has been
received by the City Treasurer

Member of the Committee ——

—— George J. Vincent Clerk ——

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence ——

—— Charles E. Gilman Clerk ——

In Board of Common Council Dec. 30 1882.
Concurred in —— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Report of Committee on Water — —
— City of Somerville ——

Water ✓
Revision of Water contract
Report of Committee

In Committee on Water December 22, 1882 ——
To the City Council of Somerville ——

The Committee on Water, which was instructed by an
order dated January 31, 1882, to take into consideration
the subject of revision of the present water contract with
the City of Boston and to report to the City Council as
soon as practicable, reports that the Committee, deeming it
essential to secure the co-operation of the City of Chelsea and
the town of Everett, in any effort which might be made
to obtain a revision or modification of the contract, our
contract and theirs being similar, arranged for a joint meeting
of the Committee on Water of the City Council of Chelsea
with their City Solicitor, the Water Board of Everett and
this Committee early in the year; the invitation to the
Chelsea Committee being extended personally by the chair-
man of this Committee, who also invited the Water Board
of Chelsea to join in the meeting. At the time appointed the
Water Board of Everett, and this Committee met, but the

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City of Chelsea was not represented; nor was any message from either of her officers who had been invited to attend. At this meeting it was voted to endeavor to obtain from the City of Boston a modification of the contracts of the City of Chelsea, the City of Somerville and the Town of Everett with the City of Boston (the modified contracts to provide for larger rebates than are now received) provided the same could be done without losing any right now held under the present contracts. It was also voted to forward to the Committee on Water of the City of Chelsea a copy of this vote and to invite them to meet the Everett Water Board, and this Committee and the Mayor and Solicitor of Somerville at such time and place as they might appoint, and to suggest that they invite the Mayor, Solicitor, and Water Board of Chelsea to be present, if they should deem it best so to do.—

The communication having been forwarded as directed and more than a month having elapsed without any reply being received, another meeting of the Everett Water Board and this committee was held, at which it was voted to solicit an interview with the Boston Water Board for the purpose of considering the subject of a revision of the water contracts of the Town of Everett, and the City of Somerville with the City of Boston. A prompt reply was received from the Boston Water Board naming an early day for the desired interview, at which time we were courteously received by them and our case was presented by members of the Everett Water Board and of this Committee, and the Boston Board promised to consider and take such action in the matter, as they might deem just and proper. We have since been informed by them however that from the nature of the case, they cannot consent to any modification of the contracts with Somerville and Everett unless the contract with Chelsea be similarly modified. They suggested that if a like effort is to be made another

year the matter be placed in the hands of a Committee early in the year so that if any agreement is reached it may be done before the annual appropriations are made by the Boston City Council.

We have reason to believe that if Chelsea had joined as our efforts would have been successful, and we are also of the opinion that it would be well to act on the suggestion of the Water Board of Boston and make a renewed effort for a modification of the contract early in the coming year.

By order of the Committee. J. L. Norcross chairman

(George) T. Vincent Clerk.

Read accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council December 30, 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Report of Committee on Fire Department City of Somerville

Fire Department Report of Committee on petition of Sturtevant Bros

In Committee on Fire Department Dec 19, 1882

To the City Council of Somerville.

The Committee on Fire Department to which was referred the petition of Sturtevant Bros and others for a Fire Alarm Box in Union Square report recommending that the petition be referred to the next City Council.

By order of the Committee

(George) T. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council December 30, 1882.

Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

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Streets
Report of Committee on petition of Amos Keyes

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Amos Keyes for the removal of three shade trees from the sidewalk on Medford Street, opposite his residence, reports that said trees have been removed as prayed for.
By order of the Committee
George I Vincent Clerk,
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E Gilman Clerk
In Common Council December 30. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets
Report of Committee on petition of J F Brine & others

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways December 21, 1882
To the City Council of Somerville,
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of John F Brine & others for the removal of the watering trough in Union Square and the placing of a more suitable one on the easterly side of the square at the junction of Washington Street and Somerville Avenue, reports that arrangements have been made for the removal of the trough and the placing of an Iron Drinking Fountain on the easterly side of the square as soon as the weather will permit.
By order of the Chairman
George I Vincent Clerk,
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council December 30, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

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Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways December 21 1882.
To the City Council
of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the notice of the Somerville Horse Nail Road Company of its intention to petition the next Legislature for the removal of the limitation of the term of its existence to fifty years reports that in the judgment of the City Solicitor and of this Committee, no action in the matter is necessary.

By order of the Committee
George W. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council December 30 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Nail Roads
Report of Committee on notice of Som. N. R. R. Co.

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways December 21, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition E L Knapp that signs marked Broadway and Walnut street, be placed at the junction of said streets reports that the Superintendent of streets has been instructed to place a sign marked Walnut street at the junction of said street with Broadway and it is deemed unnecessary to place a sign marked Broadway on said corner, as the signs as the signs in the street lamps seems to be sufficient.

By order of the Committee Geo. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council December 30. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Streets
Report of Committee on petition of E L Knapp

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Streets
Report of Com on petition of J. P. Squire & Co.

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways
December 21, 1882.

To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which were referred the petition of John P. Squire & Co and others that Fifth Street and sixth Street be graded for public travel to Somerville avenue, reports that no action in the matter is practicable until the streets named shall have been extended in the City of Cambridge from Gove street to the boundary line between Cambridge and Somerville and therefore recommends that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.

By order of the Committee
George H. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council December 30. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets
Report of Committee on petition of Suburban Telephone Co

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways Dec 21. 1882.

To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville:

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of the Suburban Telephone Company for permission to erect poles on Summer street from School Street to Elm Street recommends that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.

By order of the Committee
George H. Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways December 21, 1882
To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Reuben W. Milton for the widening of his driveway on Bonair Street so that it may be used for a street, reports that the work has been done as prayed for at a cost of $13.20 for materials and $7.90 for labor, and a bill for the materials have been sent to the Treasurer for collection.

By order of the Committee
George I Vincent Clerk

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council December 30, 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets
Report of Com. on petition of R. I. Milton &c

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

In Committee on Highways Dec 21, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville

The Committee on Highways, to which was referred the order dated July 6, 1880, instructing this Committee to confer with the Lowell Rail Road Company in regard to the building of a new bridge at Schoot Street, and report on what terms a contract can be made for the building of the same.

"reports that the Rail Road Company has made some repairs on the bridge, and expressed a willingness to build a new one next year, and as they are now arranging to build new bridges at Cross and Walnut Streets the Committee recommends that no further action be taken at present.

By order of the Committee
George I Vincent Clerk

Streets
Report of Committee on order relating to Bridges over L. R. road

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Report accepted and sent down for Concurrence
Charles E Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council December 30. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazer

Streets.
Report of Committee on petition of H. G. Parker Trustee

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways Dec 21. 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Horatio G Parker Trustee for edgestones and gravel sidewalks on New Cross Street and the petition of C H Kingsley and others for edgestones and brick sidewalks on the northeasterly side of Orchard street from Chester street to Dary street recommends that the petitioners be granted leave to withdraw.
By order of the Committee
George T Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E Gilman Clerk

Sidewalks
Report of Committee on order to construct on Glen Street

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville
In Committee on Highways December 21. 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the order dated July 11. 1882, for the construction of gravel sidewalks with edgestones on both sides of Glen street from Broadway to Webster Street, reports that the work has not been done because the appropriation was not sufficient and therefore recommends that the order be referred to the next Board of Aldermen
By order of the Committee
George T Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and adopted
Charles E Gilman Clerk

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Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

Sidewalks
Report of Committee on various petitions

In Committee on Highways Dec 21, 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petitions of C.W. Kingsley and others for a brick sidewalk with edgestones on the southwesterly side of Herbert Street from Chester Street to Day Street Petition of C.F. Tomphins and others for edgestones and gravel sidewalks on both sides of Austin Street and the Petition of George McLaughlin and others for edgestones and gravel sidewalks on both sides of Linwood Street from Washington Street to the junction of said Linwood street with Pitchburg Street and Somerville Avenue reports recommending that they be referred to the next Board of Aldermen

By order of the Committee
George T. Vincent Clerk

Report accepted and adopted
Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville

Streets Mystic Ave
Report of Committee on petition of William Jaques

In Committee on Highways December 21, 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to whom was referred the petition of William Jaques and others for the filling of the ditches on the southerly side of Mystic Avenue and the repairing of the road bed and fences and the petitions of Mark Laighton and others and N.W. Brigham and others in aid of of said petition report that the filling of the ditches has been nearly completed, some repairs have been made and the road bed, a portion of the road bed between the Park and Middlesex Avenue has been macadamised and repairs have been made in the fence.

By order of the Committee
George T. Vincent Clerk

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Report accepted, and sent down for concurrence
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk.
In Common Council. December 30. 1882
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Streets
Report of Committee on petitions for acceptance

Report of Committee on Highways.
City of Somerville ———
In Committee on Highways December 21. 1882.
To the City Council of Somerville.
The Committee on Highways to which were referred the following named petitions to wit:
Petition of Samuel E. Sewall and others for the acceptance of Sewall, Grant and Wheatland streets (the acceptance of Jacques street as prayed for in the same petition having already received favorable consideration.)
Petition of Reuben P. Benton and others for the laying out of Little Washington street from Central Street to its present terminus
Petition of Reuben P. Benton and others for the extension and laying out of Avon street from School Street to Central Street ———
Petition of Reuben P. Benton and others for the extension and laying out of Berkley Street from School St. to Central Street
Petition of J. Richardson and others for the acceptance of Lowell Street from Summer Street to Braston Avenue and for the acceptance of Braston Avenue.
Petition of George L. Damon and others for the laying out of Belmont Street from Summer Street to Highland Avenue ———
and the petition of the Trustees of the First M.E. Church and others for the widening of Bow and Summer Streets at their junction in accordance with a plan submitted; reports recommending that they be referred to the next City Council.
By order of the Committee George I. Vincent Clerk
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk

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In Common Council December 30, 1882
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Conventions Jaques Street hearing on laying out

Alderman Page was appointed a committee to inform the Council that the Board of Aldermen is ready to go into Convention.

Two Branches in Convention
Mayor Cummings presiding

The Two Branches in Convention for a hearing of all persons objecting to the laying out of Jaques Street. No [illegible] appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Officers Return on Order of Notice issued November 14, 1882.

City of Somerville Middlesex ss December 7, 1882.

I hereby certify that in accordance with the order which is herein annexed, I have notified the parties therein received to by leaving a true copy of the said order at the usual place of abode of the following named persons to wit: Estate of Samuel Littlefield, William Jaques, Leonard B. Chandler, Marcus M. Raymond, Amelia Pelaris, Hannah Bennett, and the following named persons having no place of abode in this city, and no tenants or authorised agents therein known as such, or presidents in this city not being known as such, I have duly notified them and all persons and corporations interested by posting up in two public places in this City a true and attested copy of said order.

Irwin M. Bennett, Josiah Q. Bennett, Samuel E. Small, and that I caused a true and attested copy of said order to be inserted in a weekly newspaper published in said Somerville, called the Somerville Journal the last publication having been fourteen days at least before said hearing; and that I did all the aforesaid acts more than fourteen days before the day of hearing in said order named.

Jairus Manor (Constable of Somerville)

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex, ss. Somerville December 7, 1882.
Then personally appeared the above named Jairus P. Mann and made oath that the above certificate by him subscribed is true;
Before me George F. Vincent
Justice of the Peace.

No person appearing to object the hearing was closed the object for which the Convention was called having been accomplished the Convention was dissolved the Aldermen retiring to their room.

Street. Jaques Street. Resolve & order for laying out and construction.

Alderman Lurgin offered the following Resolve and Order. Order of laying out.
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen Dec 26, 1882,
Resolved, that the common convenience and necessity of the inhabitants of the City require that Jaques Street should be laid out as a public street or way of the said City from Chauncey Avenue to Temple Street and of a uniform width of 40 feet throughout, all as more particularly hereinafter described, and for that purpose it is necessary to take and lay out as a public street or way of the said city.
A parcel of land belonging to Irvin M. Bennett containing 2048 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Josiah Q. Bennett containing 2360 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Samuel E. Sewall containing 17,123 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to the estate of Samuel E. Littlefield containing 2056 square feet more or less.

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A parcel of land belonging to William Jaques containing 4050 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Lenard Schandler containing 1000 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to William Jaques containing 2000 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Marcus McDonnell containing 1000 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Amelia McDavis containing 1000 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to William Jaques containing 5402 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Samuel E. Sewall containing 2700 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to William Jaques containing 1901 square feet more or less.

A parcel of land belonging to Hannah Bennett containing 4408 square feet more or less.

And whereas, the Committee on Highways has reported that the common convenience and necessity require that the said street should be laid out, as hereinafter stated and described, and has caused the admeasurements and boundaries of said street to be distinctly marked out on the premises, by the City Engineer and also upon a plan thereof, and to be described in its report, and has specified the manner in which such laying out shall be completed and reported the names of persons in any wise sustaining damage by such laying out with the amount of damage

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proper and reasonable to be awarded to each of said owners as fully appear in said report and whereas said report and plan have remained in the City Clerks office for the term of seven days at least before the City Council proceeded to act thereon, and whereas due notice has been given to all persons and corporations interested therein of the intention of the City Council to take the said parcels of land for the purposes aforesaid and to lay out said street or way, under the provisions of law authorising the assessment of betterments, as by the order of notice and the return thereto annexed will fully appear, and whereas at the time and place in said order of notice appointed, the City Council met and heard all parties interested and who claimed to be heard.

It is therefore ordered that the parcels of land before described, be and the same hereby are taken and laid out as a public street or way of the said City, according to the plan of the said Jaques Street made by Charles D. Elliot Civil Engineer dated August 1882, with additions in true by George D. Kimball City Engineer Nov 14, 1882, and deposited in the office of the City Clerk as aforesaid; and that the said street or way, as shown and designated upon said plan, be and the same is hereby, so as aforesaid laid out and established, as and for a public street or way of the said City; that the boundaries, location and admeasurements of said street are all as shown upon said plan, which is hereby made a part of this order, and as follows to wit; said street is bounded Northeasterly by the estates of the abutters thereon eleven hundred and eighty seven and 70/100 feet.

Southeasterly by Chauncey Avenue forty feet

Southwesterly by a line distant throughout forty feet from the first named line eleven hundred and seventy seven and 50/100 feet. Northwesterly by Temple Street forty two feet; that the following is the manner in which such street or way shall be completed namely; according to a grade of said Jaques Street, as shown and laid down upon said plan thereof made by Charles D. Elliot Civil Engineer that the

proprietors, occupants or owners of the land over which said street or way is thus laid out and through which it is to pass, are allowed until the first day of January next to take off their trees fences and other property which may obstruct the building of such street or way, that the following is an estimate, assessment and award of the damage sustained by any person in their property by the laying out of said street or way namely,

On

[illegible]		Nothing
[illegible]		Nothing
[illegible]		Nothing
[illegible]		Nothing
William Jaques		Nothing
Leonard B Chandler		Nothing
William Jaques		Nothing
Marcus M Raymond		Nothing
Charles W Davis		Nothing
William Jaques		Nothing
Samuel E Sewall		Nothing
William Jaques		Nothing
Hannah D Bennett		Nothing

In Board of Aldermen December 26. 1882.
Resolve and order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage, and sent down for concurrence — Charles E Gilman, City Clerk.

In Common Council. December 26. 1882.
Resolve and order adopted by receiving its first and second reading and final passage, in concurrence
— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

In accordance with an order passed Dec 12. 1882. a hearing was held of all persons desiring to object to their assessments levied for the construction of sewers on Shawmut Street and Shawmut Place & Alston Street. No person appearing to object the hearing was closed.

Sewers
Shawmut Place and Alston Street
Hearing on abatement of assessments

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Sewers Broadway hearing on abatement of Assts.

In accordance with the order passed December 12. 1882. A hearing was held of all persons desiring to object to their assessment levied for the construction of sewer in Broadway between Marshal and School Streets. Messrs Samuel Littlefield and Thomas G Temple was present and objected to their assessment, Mr Littlefield considered his assessment to large Mr Temple that the sewer was of no benefit to him and he was not able to pay it.

Mr Gove appeared in behalf of Mrs Howard and objected to her assessment she not being able to pay it.

Adjourned to Saturday evening next at 8 o'clock

Charles E Gilman Clerk.

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Meeting of Mayor and Aldermen.
December 30, 1882.
Mayor Cummings presiding.

Aldermen Merrow, Wellington, Hartstone, Page, Clark, Burns, Durgin and Weld, present.

Record of last meeting read and approved.

Petition of Peter Scott for an abatement of Assessment Levied on his estate for the construction of a Sewer near Linwood Place. — Sewers ✓ Petition of Peter Scott.

Referred to the next Board of Aldermen.

Alderman Burns offered the following order — Finance ✓ Order for Transfers
City of Somerville
In Board of Aldermen December 30, 1882,
Ordered
That the sum of Eight Thousand Three hundred ($8,300) be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation for Interest Account and credited to the following named accounts to wit:
To Health Department the sum of two hundred dollars ($200)
Highways One Thousand dollars ($1000.00)
Public Park Maintenance fifty dollars ($50.00)
School Contingent two hundred dollars ($200.00)
School Fuel One Thousand dollars ($1000.00)
School House Incidentals Seven hundred fifty ($750.00)
School Teachers Salaries two thousand two hundred dollars ($2,200)
Sidewalks two hundred dollars ($1,000.00)
Street Lights two hundred dollars ($200.00)
Support of Poor one Thousand dollars ($1000.00)
and Water maintenance five hundred dollars ($500.00)
and the Treasurer is hereby authorized to make said transfers
Order adopted and sent down Concurrence
Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

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In Common Council December 30. 1882
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Report of Committee on Highways
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Street
Report of Committee on petition of C. Barry

To the City Council of Somerville
The Committee on Highways to which was referred the petition of Garcia Barry for permission to open the Street, for the purpose of laying a drain from his premises Corner South Street and Earle Street to the Common Sewer, recommends that the petition be referred to the City Engineer and Superintendents of streets with full powers.
Report accepted and sent down for concurrence
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council December 30. 1882.
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Fuel and Lights
Annual Report of Committee

Annual Report of Committee on Fuel and Street Lights.
Report accepted referred to the Committee on Printing with instructions to print the same in the Annual Report
Sent down for concurrence
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council December 30. 1882.
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk

Fire Department
Annual Report

Report of Committee on Fire Department.
The annual Report of the Committee on Fire Department was received read and referred to the Committee on Printing with instructions to print the same in the Annual Report sent down for concurrence
——— Charles E. Gilman Clerk
In Common Council December 30. 1882
Concurred in ——— Douglas Frazar Clerk

December 30, 1882

Report of Committee on Sewers
City of Somerville

Sewers
Annual Report

The Annual Report of the Committee on Sewers was received read accepted referred to the Committee on Printing with instructions to print the same in the Annual Report. Sent down for Concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council December 30. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Report of Committee on Public Property.
City of Somerville December 30. 1882.

Public Property
Annual Report

The Annual Report of the Committee on Public Property was received read accepted and Referred to the Committee on Printing with instructions to print the same in the Annual Report. sent down for concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk.

In Common Council December 30. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk

Report of Committee on Highways
City of Somerville December 30. 1882.

Streets
Annual Report

The Annual Report of the Committee on Highways was received read and referred to the Committee on Printing with instructions to print the same in the Annual Report and sent down for Concurrence.

Charles E. Gilman Clerk

In Common Council December 30. 1882.
Concurred in Douglas Frazar Clerk.

Report of Committee on Sewers.
City of Somerville.

Sewers
Bow Street
Report of Committee

In Committee on Sewers December 18. 1882.
To the Board of Aldermen of Somerville.
The Committee on Sewers which was instructed by an order dated in Board of Aldermen November 18. 1882, to extend

December 30, 1882

the Bow Street Sewer from the point where it connected with the Somerville Avenue sewer near Masonic Block, to the 66 inch sewer in Union Square at a point near the residence of Seward Dodge reports that in accordance with said order there has been constructed 227 1/10 feet of 36 inch brick sewer with one manhole at a cost of 958.50 the work requiring the excavation of ... cubic yards of rock

By order of the Committee

George I Vincent Clerk.

Report accepted: Charles E Gilman Clerk.

Alderman Weld offered the following Resolve,

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

December 30. 1882.

Thanks to his Honor the Mayor.

Resolved That the thanks of this Board are hereby extended to his Honor the Mayor John Plummings for the faithful and impartial manner in which he has presided over the deliberations, and the citizens of Somerville are to be congratulated on having for their chief magistrate one who has been so devoted to the interest of the City.

Order adopted by a rising vote.

Charles E Gilman Clerk

Thanks to the President of the Board of Aldermen

Alderman Burns offered the following Resolve

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen Dec 20. 1882.

Resolved That a vote of thanks be extended to the President of this Board for the able and faithful manner in which he has performed the duties of his office and the uncommon courtesy with which he has treated all of its members

Mark F Burns

In Board of Aldermen Order adopted

Charles E Gilman Clerk

December 30, 1882

Alderman Wellington offered the following Resolution

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

December 30, 1882.

Thanks to City Clerk

Resolved

That the thanks of the members of the Board of Aldermen be extended to Mr. Charles E. Gilman for the faithful and satisfactory manner in which he has performed the duties of Clerk of this Board, and for the uniform courtesy and attention shown us on all occasions.

That our congratulations also be extended to him upon the completion of another year of service, and the hope and trust that many more may yet be spared to him, and that they may prove as pleasant, as our association with him has been during the year just completed.

J. Frank Wellington

Resolve adopted — Charles E. Gilman, Clerk.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

Alderman Page offered the following Resolve,

City of Somerville Dec 30, 1882

Thanks to Messenger

Resolved

That the thanks of this Board be extended to Mr. James Flynn, our City Messenger, for the courteous and efficient manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office during the past year.

Caleb H. Page

(Adjourned)

Charles E. Gilman

City Clerk.