Meeting of Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville, Jany 3rd 1896. 8 P.M.

His Honor, Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Souther, Kimball, North, Hemenway, Converse, Bradshaw, Wemyss and Duddy present.

Records of preceding meetings approved.

In pursuance of an order passed Dec 26th a hearing was given all parties desiring to object to their assessments, laid Dec 26th for a common sewer in Chauncey Avenue between Jaques Street and Broadway.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Hearing. Sewer Assessments Chauncey Ave. between Jaques Street & Broadway.

In pursuance of a vote passed December 26th a hearing was given on the remonstrance of N. W. Bingham and others against the erection of any more poles in School Street between Broadway and Medford Street, for Incandescent Lighting or for any other purpose.

Col. N. W. Bingham appeared and stated that some years ago the abutters, to secure a wide avenue for the benefit of the public, it being one of the main approaches to the City Hall, as well as for the improvement of their estates gave a strip of land for the widening of the street. When the telephone service was first introduced into the city a location for the poles and wires was granted in School Street, and ordinary sized poles were set and a few wires were attached to them. Since that time larger poles have been set and more wires strung so that now the street is disfigured and the property damaged by the existence of a line of very large poles bearing a great net work of wires. All this has been borne patiently but now when it is

Hearing. remonstrance N. W. Bingham et al against erection more poles School St. between Broadway & Medford Streets.

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proposed to erect another line of poles on the other side of the street, to support wires that are deadly in their nature, the property owners most earnestly protest against the imposition of this double burden, which would not only still further damage their property but would also endanger their lives.

Mr Elias H. Marston appeared and endorsed Col. Bingham's remarks. He also said that Incandescent wires have already been strung along the Maple Avenue side of his estate, and it is now proposed to place another line along his School street frontage. He considered these wires highly dangerous and opposed them for that reason, and also because they will depreciate the value of the property.

Mr Henry C. Buck, of the Somerville Electric Light Company said School Street is the most desirable location for his company's wires, but Dartmouth Street might be used instead without serious inconvenience. Marshall street would not be a good location because of the trees, and Walnut street would involve half a mile of additional wire, as the center to be reached is at the head of Marshall street. This additional wire would be a serious obstacle to the successful operation of this main line. Probably four or six wires would be strung at once, and he thought not more than a dozen would ever be placed on these contemplated poles.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

On motion of Alderman Kimball it was voted that the matter of the remonstrance be referred to the next Board of Aldermen.

Recommendation Chief Eng. Fire Dept. Discharge

Received a recommendation from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, that Samuel J. Johnston be discharged from Hose Company No. 5, at his own request.

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Read for information.
Discharge, as recommended, made and confirmed.

Received a communication from the Superintendent of Schools, transmitting the information asked for by an order passed by the Common Council Nov. 14th and by the Board of Aldermen Nov. 29th in relation to the number of scholars and the number under the school age attending the several rooms in the various schoolhouses of the City.
Sent down for information.

Communication Supt. of Schools number of scholars in several school rooms

Received the annual report of the Inspector of Milk for the year 1889.
Referred to the next City Council to be printed in the Annual Reports. Sent down for concurrence.
Common Council concurred Jany 3rd

Annual Report Inspector of Milk

Received the Annual Report of the Committee on Fire Department for the year 1889.
Accepted and referred to the next City Council to be printed in the Annual Reports. Sent down for concurrence.
Common Council concurred Jany 3rd

Annual Report Com. on Fire Dept.

Received the Annual Report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department for the year 1889.
Referred to the next City Council to be printed in the Annual Reports. Sent down for concurrence.
Common Council concurred Jany 3rd

Annual Report Chief Eng. Fire Dept.

Received the Annual Report of the Committee on Fuel and Street Sights for the year 1889.
Accepted and referred to the next City Council to be printed in the Annual Reports. Sent down for concurrence.
Common Council concurred Jany 3rd

Annual Report Com. Fuel & St. Sights

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Annual Report Com on Public Property

Received the Annual Report of the Committee on Public Property for the year 1889.

Accepted and referred to the next City Council to be printed in the Annual Reports. Sent down for concurrence.

Common Council concurred, Jan 3rd.

Notice of suit P. Allen Lindsey Action of Tort

Received a notice of suit brought by P. Allen Lindsey of Cambridge, in an action of Tort, - damage being claimed in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, to be tried in the Superior Court at Cambridge at the term beginning on the first Monday of February next.

Placed in the hands of the City Solicitor. Sent down for concurrence.

Common Council concurred, Jan 3rd.

Report Com on Licenses Frederick W. Coy 6th Class Liquor License

The Committee on Licenses on petition of Frederick W. Coy, for a sixth class liquor license at No. 55 Elm St. reported the accompanying order.

Accepted.

Order 6th Class Liquor License Frederick W. Coy.

The order referred to in the foregoing report is as follows.

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In Board of Mayor and Aldermen,
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Ordered,

That the City Clerk be, and he is hereby directed to issue to Frederick W. Coy druggist and apothecary and registered pharmacist, a license of the sixth class to sell liquors, for medicinal, mechanical, and chemical purposes only, and to such person only as may certify in writing for what use they may want it, at his place of business No. 55 Elm street corner of Cedar street on the first floor, when he shall have filed with the City Treasurer a satisfactory bond, with surety, in the sum of one thousand dol-

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dollars, and shall have paid the fee provided by law said license to expire May 1st 1890, unless sooner forfeited or rendered void.

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Adopted.

George J. Vincent,
Clerk

Alderman North offered the following order.

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In Board of Mayor and Aldermen,

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Order ✓
Abatement
Sewer Assessments
Chauncey Ave.

Ordered,

That abatements be, and are hereby made to parties assessed by order of this board under date of November 27th 1887, for betterments upon estates benefited by the construction of a common sewer in Chauncey Avenue and extending from the sewer in Mystic Avenue to a point one hundred and fifteen feet southeast of Jaques street, as follows, namely.

Owners of Estates Benefited	Amount of Assessments		Amount of Abatements	
City of Somerville	$963	60	$233	60
Theophilus N. Snow	19	80	4	80
Thomas Dowd	43	35	10	51
Anna A. Nellie S. & Catharine Doyle	43	01	10	43
Helen A. Keene	43	01	10	43
Lorenzo A. Folsom	43	35	10	51
William A. Sanborn	109	00	26	42
Jeremiah McCarthy	330	79	80	19
Charles W. Syman	330	00	80	00
	$1925	91	$466	89

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Adopted.

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George S. Vincent,
Clerk

Order
Abatement
Sewer Assessments
Hanson Street

Alderman North offered the following order:

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Ordered,

That abatements be, and they are hereby made to parties assessed by order of this board under date of November 27th 1889, for betterments upon estates benefited by the construction of a common sewer in Hanson Street and extending from Washington Street northwesterly about 290 feet to near Vine Street.

Owners of Estates Benefited

	Amount of Assessment		Amount of Abatement	
	$		$	
John Kettle	24	75	6	00
John F. & Harry S. Barm	39	93	9	18
Thomas Cotter	97	83	24	72
Thomas Cotter	50	16	12	16
Edward J. Llewellyn	43	89	10	64
James E. Jones	89	43	21	73
Dennis E. Collins	54	60	13	24
Adam Somar	27	22	6	22
Heirs of Peter Cook	25	87	6	27
Edward Fitzgerald	287	76	69	16
John A. McCarthy	62	70	15	20
	$ 804	84	$ 195	12

In Board of Aldermen,

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Adopted

George S. Vincent
Clerk

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Alderman North offered the following order
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In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
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Order
Abatement
Sewer Assessment
Temple Street

Ordered,

That abatements be, and are hereby made to parties assessed by order of this board under date of November 27th 1889, for betterments upon estates benefited by the construction of a common sewer in Temple street, and extending from the sewer in Sewall Street to a point about 160 feet northeasterly, as follows, namely

Owners of Estates Benefited	Amount of Assessment		Amount of Abatement	
George F. & Charles F. Washburn	203	88	73	18
Heirs of Samuel Littlefield	44	36	15	92
Daniel C. Stillson	68	48	24	58
John J. Dony	66	87	24	00
	$383	59	$137	68

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Adopted

George I Vincent,
Clerk

Alderman North offered the following order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
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Order
Abatements
Sewer Assessments
Laurel St. & Private Land

Ordered,

That the assessment laid by this board December 18th 1889, for the laying of a common sewer in Laurel street and private lands, assessed to the following named parties to wit,—

Olive G. Robinson, amounting to $79.44 &

Daniel Richards, amounting to $52.64 be and the same is hereby abated, as their land is too low to be benefited by

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the sewer.

In Board of Aldermen,

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Adopted.

George I. Vincent,

Clerk.

Report ✓
Com. on Sewers
Seonora H. Hollis
Abatement Medford St.

The Committee on Sewers, on petition of Senora H. Hollis for an abatement of her sewer assessment on Medford street, reported recommending leave to withdraw.

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com. on Sewers.
objections to assessments
sundry streets.

The Committee on Sewers on objections made Dec 26th to sewer assessments in School and Montrose streets, Laurel street and Private Lands, Curtis street and Fairmount Avenue, Heath street and Harding street, recommended that no action be taken.

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
restoration grade of
sidewalk
cor Cedar & Summer St.

The Committee on Highways, on the order offered in the Common Council and referred to that committee Dec 26th for the restoration of the grade of the sidewalk at the corner of Cedar and Summer streets, which has recently been changed, reported recommending its reference to the next City Council.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

Common Council concurred Jany 3d

Report ✓
Com. on Public Property
Flag staffs
Edgerly & Highland
schools

The Committee on Public Property, on orders dated Dec 26th for the erection of flag staffs on the Edgerly and Highland Schoolhouses, reported that steps have been taken to carry out the provisions of said orders.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

Common Council concurred Jany 3d

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The Committee on Claims, on notice of Wm. H. Armstrong of claim for damage by change of grade at corner of Cedar and Summer Streets, recommended that no action be taken

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Common Council concurred Jany 3rd

Report Com. on Claims Wm. H. Armstrong damage by change of grade Cedar & Summer Sts.

The Committee on Claims on petitions of Hannah K. Stevens, Emma F. Stevens, and J. Walter Sanborn, for compensation to them respectively, for injury to property by a burst in the water pipe on Myrtle Street, reported that the parties had been heard and the matters investigated, and that it is expedient to pay to said parties the sum of twelve hundred dollars in full settlement of all their claims both joint and several; and the committee also reported an order and recommended its reference to the next City Council.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Common Council concurred Jany 3rd

Report Com. on Claims Stevens & Sanborn bursting of water pipe Myrtle Street

The order presented with the foregoing report provides for the payment of the sum of twelve hundred dollars in settlement of the claims of Hannah K. Stevens, Emma F. Stevens, and J. Walter Sanborn, as recommended in the report, provided they will give to the City Treasurer a release satisfactory to the City Solicitor.

Read and referred to the next City Council. Sent down for concurrence.
Common Council concurred Jany 3rd

Order settle claims Stevens & Sanborn bursting of water pipe Myrtle Street

Alderman Weeks offered the following order.

City of Somerville,
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen,
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Ordered,-

Order extension of time Dearborn Bros. Concord Square School

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That whereas by an agreement dated June 11, 1889, between James H. Dearborn, Benjamin Dearborn, Andoniram J. Dearborn and Charles H. Dearborn, parties of the one part and the City of Somerville party of the other part, the said Dearborns were to fully build and finish the school house on Concord Square on or before December 15, 1889, now therefore, the Committee on Public Property is hereby authorized to extend the time for performing the said contract so that the said building shall be finished complete on or before the first day of April next, the said Dearborns to provide for the heating of said building, so that all the work shall be properly done and preserved in good and proper condition and except as to the extension of the contract as hereinbefore provided, the said contract is all in respects to be and remain in force and virtue.

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Adopted and sent down for concurrence.
George E. Vincent,
Clerk.

In Common Council,
January 3, 1890
Adopted in concurrence.
Chas. S. Robertson,
Clerk.

Jan. 4/90 Approved.
Chas. G. Pope,
Mayor.

Report Com. on Finance Supt. of Schools transfer School Contingent.

The Committee on Finance, on the request of the Superintendent of Schools for a transfer to School Contingent Account, reported, recommending that no action be taken.

Accepted. Sent down for concurrence.
Common Council concurred Jany 3rd

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The Committee on Ordinances, on an order dated May 22nd, to report an ordinance prohibiting loafing, reported that the chairman of said committee had offered an ordinance as requested, which ordinance is now on the table of this Board of Aldermen, and recommending that it be taken from the table and referred to the next City Council. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Common Council concurred Jany 3rd.	Report Com. on Ordinances loafing
The ordinance referred to in the foregoing report, which is entitled, "An Ordinance in relation to Disorderly Conduct and Disturbances in the Streets or Public Places of the City," and was laid on the table July 24th, was taken from the table and referred to the next City Council. Sent down for concurrence. Common Council concurred Jan 3rd.	Ordinance Disorderly Conduct &c
On motion of Alderman Converse it was voted that the order, offered at the last meeting, to grant to Irving E. Russell and others, the privilege under certain conditions, of burying human bodies, in certain parcels of land owned by the Heirs of Levi Russell, situated on either side of Broadway, bordering on Alewife Brook, was taken from the table. On motion of Alderman Hennessey it was voted that the order be referred to the next Board of Aldermen.	Order grant to I. E. Russell et al permission bury human bodies Broadway
On motion of Alderman Bradshaw it was voted that the order passed December 26th granting new locations to the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company in Highland Avenue, School Street, and sundry other streets, was reconsidered. On motion of Alderman Bradshaw it was voted that the order be further amended by changing the specifications	Order granting sundry locations N. E. Tel + Tel. Co. Agreement filed Jan. 14, 1890

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in the second section of conditions, for the maximum diameter of the poles where they leave the ground, from fifteen inches to twenty inches

On motion of Alderman Bradshaw it was voted that the order be further amended by changing the name of the company so that it shall read, "The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts."

As thus amended the order was adopted

Order Committees file Annual Reports with City Clerk

Alderman Bradshaw offered the following order.

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

Jan 3rd 1890.

Ordered

That those committees that are not prepared to make their annual reports this evening be and they are hereby authorized to file the same with the City Clerk, for presentation to the next City Council, to be printed in the Annual Reports.

In Board of Aldermen,

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Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

George I Vincent,
Clerk

In Common Council

Jan 3, 1890

Adopted in concurrence.

Chas S. Robertson,
Clerk

Jan 4/90 approved

Chas G. Pope,
Mayor

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Alderman North offered the following order.

City of Somerville.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen,

Jan 3d 1890

Order referring unfinished business to the next City Government

Ordered:

That all unfinished business of this city government be and it is hereby referred to the next City government.

In Board of Aldermen,

Jany 3, 1890

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

George I. Vincent,
Clerk.

In Common Council,

January 3, 1890

Adopted in concurrence.

Chas. S. Robertson,
Clerk.

His honor Mayor Pope, arose and calling attention, in a few appropriate remarks, to a crayon portrait of Ex-Mayor, Mark F. Burns, hanging on the wall of the Mayor and Aldermen's chamber, read the following communication.

Presentation by Miss Maud Burns of portrait of her father Ex-Mayor Burns

To his Honor the Mayor and City Council of the City of Somerville,

Gentlemen:

Knowing of your desire to have some kind of a picture of my father to hang in the Aldermens Room in the City Hall, I have made a crayon portrait of him which I hereby present to the city in token of appreciation of the many honors conferred upon him by his fellow-citizens. I do not expect the portrait has much artistic merit but perhaps it may be acceptable on account of its being my own work.

Sincerely Yours

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Maud Burns

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Gift accepted, and clerk instructed to promptly inform the donor of such acceptance. Sent down for concurrence.

George I. Vincent,
Clerk

In Common Council

Jany 3, 1890

Gift accepted in concurrence.

Chas. S. Robertson
Clerk

Resolutions thanks to Miss Maud Burns for gift of portrait of her father Ex Mayor Burns

Alderman North offered the following resolution,

City of Somerville,

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

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Resolved -

That the thanks of the City Council be presented to Miss Maud Burns for the excellent portrait, made and presented by her to the city of her father Ex Mayor Mark F. Burns, which portrait will remain on the walls of the Aldermen's Room as a perpetual memorial of his faithful service for the City.

Resolved,

That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the donor.

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Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

George I. Vincent,
Clerk

In Common Council,

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Read twice and adopted in concurrence.

Chas. S. Robertson,
Clerk.

Jan 4/90. Approved.

Chas G. Pope
Mayor.

Aldermen Forth offered the following resolutions.
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen
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Resolutions complimentary to Mayor Pope.

Resolved.

That the thanks of this Board be extended to Hon. Charles G. Pope Mayor for the courtesy and impartiality with which he has presided at its meetings during the past year.

Resolved.

That the faithfulness, ability and strict integrity manifested in administering the affairs at his office merit the approval and support of all good citizens.

Resolved.

That, as our official relations are about to terminate, we would assure him of our high personal esteem and wish him continued happiness and prosperity.

Chas. S. North, Chas. H. Kennaway
Robt. Cuddy, Ezra C. Souther,
Geo. C. Wemyss, John H. Converse,
Edward H. Bradshaw, George A. Kimball

In Board of Aldermen,
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Adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

George I. Vincent
Clerk.

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Resolutions complimentary to City Clerk

Alderman Buddy offered the following resolutions

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

Jan 3, 1890

Resolved.

That the thanks of this Board be extended to George J. Vincent, for the able and faithful manner in which he has performed the duties of Clerk of this board as well as those of the City Clerk of the City of Somerville.

In Board of Aldermen

Jan. 3, 1890

Adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

George J. Vincent,
Clerk

Resolutions complimentary to retiring members

Alderman Kimball offered the following resolutions

City of Somerville

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen

Jan. 3, 1890

Resolved.

That this Board regrets the severance of its official relations with Charles S. North its President, and George C. Stanyan, Robert Buddy and Edward H. Bradshaw, the three retiring members, and extends to them its best wishes for their prosperity and happiness, and its congratulations that they retire with a record of good, earnest and faithful service for the benefit of the City.

In Board of Aldermen

Jany 3, 1890

Adopted by a rising vote.

George J. Vincent,
Clerk

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Alderman Duddy offered the following orders.
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen,
Jan 3, 1890

Resolutions complimentary to Clerk of Assessors & Committees

Resolved,
That the thanks of this Board be extended to William P. Mitchell, Clerk of Assessors and Committees for the readiness and cheerfulness with which he has performed every duty required of him by the members of this Board.
In Board of Aldermen
Jan 3, 1890
Adopted unanimously by a rising vote.
George I. Vincent,
Clerk.

Alderman Souther offered the following resolution.
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen,
Jan 3d 1890

Resolution complimentary to City Messenger

Resolved,
That the thanks of this Board be extended to James Mann, Esq, for the able, prompt and efficient manner in which he has performed the duties as messenger of the city council.
In Board of Aldermen,
Jan 3, 1890
Adopted unanimously by a rising vote.
George I. Vincent,
Clerk.

His honor the Mayor, spoke complimentarily of the faithful service rendered by the City Solicitor, and on motion of Alderman Kemeneway it was voted that the thanks of the Board be extended to the City Solicitor for the readiness and cheerfulness with which he has

Resolution complimentary to City Solicitor

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rendered every service required of him.

Resolution complimentary to City Treasurer

On motion of Alderman Converse a vote of thanks was tendered the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the very faithful and efficient manner in which he has performed the important and responsible duties of his office.

Responses to resolutions

Each of the several recipients of complimentary resolutions responded with appropriate remarks.

Adjourned

Attest

George F. Vincent
Clerk

City of Somerville
Hallin Police Building, Bow Street
January 6, 1890.

The members elect of the City Council, in pursuance of notice issued by the City Clerk as directed by the Board of Aldermen December 11th and in accordance as above, this 10 A.M. to inaugurate the City Government of Somerville for the municipal year begining this day.

Inauguration City Government 1890.

The City Clerk, George Vincent, presiding.

President, Aldermen elect, Hemenway, Sanborn, Carpenter, Kimball, Souther, Converse and Edmands & Councilmen elect Eldridge, Prichard, Wilcox, Willey, Armstrong, Butters, McLean, Wentworth, Barber, Dickerman, Osgood, Pulsifer, Caswell, Hunnewell, Merrill and Webber.

Aldermen-elect Kimball offered the following order.

City of Somerville.

In Convention of the members-elect of the City Council.

January 6, 1890.

Voted, -

That a committee, to consist of one Alderman-elect and two Councilmen-elect, be appointed by the chair, to wait upon his honor the Mayor-elect and inform him that the members-elect of the City Council are prepared to receive him for the purpose of organizing the City Government for the ensuing municipal year.

In Convention of the members elect of the City Council,

January 6 1890

Adopted; and Alderman-elect Kimball and Coun-

Vote
Com. to inform Mayor-elect City Council elect ready for organization

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cilmen-elect Wilcox and Weber appointed as the committee within named.

George I. Vincent,
Clerk

Committee's Report

The Committee having performed their duty, reported that the Mayor-elect was ready to proceed with ceremonies of inauguration.

Vote Committee to conduct Mayor-elect to Platform

Alderman-elect Converse offered the following order

City of Somerville
In Convention of the members-elect of the City Council
January 6, 1890

Voted,

That a committee, to consist of one Alderman-elect and two Councilmen-elect, be appointed by the chair, to conduct his Honor the Mayor-elect, to the platform

In Convention of the members-elect of the City Council, Jany 6. 1890.

Adopted, and Alderman-elect Converse and Councilmen elect Willey and Pulsifer appointed as the committee within-named.

George I. Vincent,
Clerk

Mayor-elect conducted to Platform

The committee retired and returned with the Mayor-elect, Hon. Charles G. Pope, whom they escorted to the platform

Prayer

Prayer was then offered by the Rev. Edwards S. Tead, Pastor of the Prospect Hill Congregational Church.

Record of Election of Mayor read

The City Clerk read from the records of the Board of Aldermen of December 11th 1889, that at the election held December 3rd, Charles G. Pope was elected Mayor of this city

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for the next municipal year

The oath of office was then administered to the Mayor-elect by Hon. Selwyn Z. Bowman, City Solicitor, and said oath was subscribed to by the Mayor and certificate thereof made by Mr. Bowman, as shown in book of Oaths, Volume 2, page 2 in the city clerk's office.

Mayor's oath administered

The City Clerk read from the same record that

Charles M. Hemenway
Charles B. Sanborn 4 Austin street
of Ward One

Allen F. Carpenter
George A. Kimball
of Ward Two

Alvano T. Nickerson
Ezra A. Souther
of Ward Three

John W. Bonner
Albert W. Edmands
of Ward Four

were elected Aldermen of this City for the next municipal year.

Record of Election of Aldermen read

The oath of office was then administered to the Aldermen-elect by Hon. Selwyn Z. Bowman, and the same was subscribed to by them and certificate thereof made by Mr. Bowman, as shown in book of Oaths, Volume 2, page 2, in the City Clerk's office.

Aldermen's Oath administered

The Clerk also read from the same record that

Edric Eldridge
George H. Richard
Edwin A. Wilcox
Clarence N. Willey
of Ward One

Record of Election of Councilmen read

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William M. Armstrong,
Charles S. Butters,
William J. McLean,
S. Roger Wentworth,
of Ward Two

William S. Barber,
Frank E. Dickerman,
Charles B. Osgood,
William E. Pulsifer,
of Ward Three

Newell F. Caswell,
William A. Hunnewell,
Frank E. Dickerman,
Isaac R. Webber,
of Ward Four

were elected Common Councilmen of this City for the next municipal year.

Councilmen's oath administered.

The oath of office was administered to the Councilmen elect by Hon. Selwyn J. Bowman, and the same was subscribed to by them and certificate thereof made by Mr. Bowman, as appears in book of Oaths, Volume 2, page 2, in the City Clerk's office.

The Mayor then delivered his Inaugural Address.

The Common Council then retired to its room to organize by the choice of a President and a Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen.

His honor Mayor Pope, presiding.

Aldermen all present

Monday January 6 1890

Received the following message from the Common Council.

In Ante Room
Bow Street Hall
Jan 6 1890

To his Honor the Mayor and Board of Aldermen,
I respectfully inform you that the Common Council have perfected their organization by the choice of Mr Charles L. Osgood as President and Charles S. Robertson as Clerk.

Chas S. Robertson
Clerk

Chas L. Osgood Pres.
Lead for information

Organization Common Council

Alderman Carpenter offered the following order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen,
Jany 6 1890

Ordered,-
That the standing rules and orders of the last Board of Aldermen be, and they are hereby adopted for the government of this board until otherwise ordered.
In Board of Aldermen,
Jan 6 1890.

Adopted.

George I. Vincent,
Clerk

Order adopting Rules & Orders of Board of Aldermen

Alderman Souther offered the following order
City of Somerville
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen,
Jan 6 1890

Ordered,-
That a message be sent to the Common Council, requesting a convention of the two branches of the City

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

Monday January 6. 1890.

Council, for the purpose of electing a City Clerk and a Treasurer and Collector of Taxes and to act upon such other matters as may properly come before the convention.

In Board of Aldermen,

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Adopted, and Alderman Souther appointed a messenger to convey the request to the Common Council.

George I. Vincent,
Clerk

In Common Council,

Jan 6. 1890.

Request complied with; and Councilman Pulsifer appointed a messenger to convey the information to the Board of Aldermen.

Chas S. Robertson
Clerk

Convention.

In Convention of the City Council.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen and Councilmen all present except Edmands.

Election City Clerk.

In pursuance of an order passed this day the convention proceeded to ballot for a City Clerk.

Aldermen Hennessy and Councilmen Butters and Dickerman were appointed a committee to receive assort and count the ballots, and, having performed that duty, they reported as follows,

Whole number of ballots cast,	23
Necessary for choice	13
George I. Vincent,	23

and George I. Vincent was declared elected.

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In pursuance of the same order the convention proceeded to ballot for a Treasurer and Collector of Taxes. Aldermen Converse and Councilmen Wentworth & Eldridge were appointed a committee to receive, assort and count the ballots, and after attending to the duty they reported as follows,

Whole number of ballots cast, 23
Necessary for choice 13
John F. Cole had 23

and John F. Cole, was declared elected

Elections
Treasurer & Collector of Taxes

The newly elected City Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes, and the Clerk of the Common Council were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties, the oaths being administered by Hon. Delwyn G. Bowman City Solicitor, and the several officers subscribed to their respective oaths and certificates thereof were made by Mr. Bowman, as shown in Book of Oaths, Vol 2, pages 31 and 32, in the City Clerk's office.

Oaths administered to City Clerk Treasurer & Collector of Taxes Clerk of Common Council

Alderman Dunborne offered the following resolution.

In Convention of the City Council
Jan 6. 1896

Resolved,

That his honor, the Mayor, be and he is hereby requested to furnish the Committee on Printing with a copy of his Inaugural Address, for publication.

In Convention of the City Council,
Jan 6 1896

Read twice and adopted.

George I. Vincent,
City Clerk

Resolution
printing of Mayor's Address

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Order adopting Joint Rules + Orders

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

City of Somerville

In Convention of the City Council.

June 6 1896

Ordered

That the Joint Rules and Orders of the last City Council, be and they are hereby adopted for the government of the present City Council, until otherwise ordered.

In Convention of the City Council,

Jany 6, 1896

Adopted

George S. Vincent,

City Clerk

Convention dissolved

The purpose for which it was assembled having been accomplished, the convention was dissolved, and the Common Council returned to its room

Board of Aldermen

In Board of Aldermen

His honor, Mayor Pope, presiding.

Aldermen all present except Alderman Edwards

Adjournment

On motion of Alderman Kimball it was voted that when the Board adjourns it adjourn until Friday the 10th inst at 8 o'clock P.M.

Adjourned

Attest

George S. Vincent

Clerk

Meeting of Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville, January 10, 1890. 930 P.M.

His Honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Hemenway, Sanborn, Kimball, Carpenter, Souther, Nickerson, Converse and Edmands present.

Seats were drawn as follows.

No 1.	by Alderman	Carpenter	Drawing of Seats
" 2.	"	Converse	
" 3.	"	Edmands	
" 4.	"	Kimball	
" 5.	"	Hemenway	
" 6.	"	Souther	
" 7.	"	Nickerson	
" 8.	"	Sanborn	

The Mayor appointed committees, on the part of this Board as follows,

Standing Committees of the City Council,

Accounts,
Aldermen Souther, Edmands.

City Engineering,
Aldermen Kimball & Hemenway.

Claims,
Mayor, Alderman Hemenway.

Finance,
Mayor, Aldermen Hemenway & Edmands.

Fire Department,
Alderman Converse & Sanborn.

Fuel & Street Lights,
Aldermen Sanborn & Carpenter.

Highways,
Aldermen Kimball & Nickerson.

Aldermen on Standing Committees of City Council.

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Legislative Matters.
Mayor & Aldermen Kimball
Ordinances.
Aldermen Converse & Hemenway
Printing.
Aldermen Souther & Barker
Public Grounds.
Aldermen Carpenter & Kimball
Public Property.
Aldermen Nickerson & Carpenter
Soldiers Relief.
Aldermen Sanborn & Edmands
Water.
Aldermen Edmands & Souther
Sent down for information
Received and read in Common Council Jany 10

Standing Committees of Board of Aldermen

The Mayor also appointed the following Standing Committees of the Board of Aldermen
Elections.
Aldermen Edmands, Nickerson
Enrolled Ordinances.
Aldermen Souther, Carpenter
Licenses.
Aldermen Nickerson, Sanborn
Police.
Mayor, Aldermen Souther, Edmands
Sewers.
Aldermen Hemenway, Souther, Edmands
State Aid.
Aldermen Carpenter, Hemenway, Nickerson, Converse
Building Permits.
Aldermen Kimball, Converse
Sent down for information
Received and read in Common Council Jany 10

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Alderman Edmands offered the following order.

Ordered,

That the Chairman of the Committee on Highways and the Committee on Fire Department be and they are hereby constituted a special committee, of this Board, on Building Permits, for the current year.

Adopted.

Committee on Building Permits

Received from the Common Council, information of the appointment of Committees on the part of that branch as follows,

Accounts,

Councilmen Pulsifer, Webber, Armstrong.

City Engineering,

Councilmen Caswell, McLean, Prichard.

Claims,

President of the Common Council, Councilmen Wilcox, Dickerman.

Finance,

President of the Common Council, Councilmen Wentworth, Wilcox, Pulsifer, Webber.

Fire Department,

Councilmen Merrill, Willey, Dickerman.

Fuel & Street Sights,

Councilmen, Webber, Butters, Barber.

Legislative Matters,

President of the Common Council, Councilmen Wentworth, Dickerman.

Ordinances,

Councilmen Wilcox, Hunnewell, McLean.

Printing,

Councilmen Wentworth, Merrill, Pulsifer.

Public Grounds,

Councilmen Butters, Pulsifer, Dickerman.

Public Property,

Councilmen Wentworth, Hunnewell, Eldridge.

Councilmen on Standing Committee of City Council

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Soldiers Relief.

Councilmen Eldridge, Caswell, Armstrong

Water.

President of the Common Council, Councilmen Willey, McLean.

Standing Committees of Common Council

Received from the Common Council information of the appointments of committees of that branch as follows.

Standing Committees of the Common Council

Elections and Returns,-

Councilmen Wentworth, Caswell, Eldridge

Enrolled Ordinances and Resolutions.

Councilmen Wilcox, Butters, Prichard

Placed on file.

Appointment City Messenger

The Mayor appointed, subject to confirmation by the Board, as

City Messenger, Jairus Mann

Appointment confirmed.

Appointments Constables

The Mayor also appointed, subject to confirmation by this Board, as

Constables

Jairus Mann

William B. Hayden

Appointments confirmed.

Election City Auditor

On motion of Alderman Converse it was voted to proceed to the election of a City Auditor.

Aldermen Converse and Nickerson were appointed a committee to receive, assort and count votes, and, having performed that duty, they reported as follows.

Whole number of ballots 8

Necessary for choice 5

Charles B. Robertson has 8

and Charles B. Robertson was declared elected on the first

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of this Board, and information of such election was sent to the Common Council

On motion of Alderman Southerit was voted to proceed to the election of a City Solicitor — Election City Solicitor

Aldermen Souther and Sanborn were appointed a committee to receive, assort and count the votes, and, after attending to that duty they reported as follows,

Whole number of ballots cast 8
Necessary for choice 5
S. Z. Bowman has 8

and Selwyn Z. Bowman was declared elected, and notice of such election was sent to the Common Council

Received the report of the Chief of Police for the month of December, 1889 — Report Chief of Police December

Read and sent down for information

Received and read in Common Council Jany 10.

Received from the City Clerk, a communication stating that the last edition of the Municipal Register is nearly exhausted and the seperate copies of the Building ordinance, for which frequent enquiries are made, have all been distributed, and as many of the ordinances have been amended, while others have been repealed, and an order contemplating a new Building ordinance has been referred by the last to the present City Council a general revision of the ordinances seems necessary before printing — Communication City Clerk Revision of Ordinances

Referred to Committee on Ordinances and sent down for concurrence

Common Council concurred Jany 10.

Received the Annual Report of the Trustees of the Public Library for the year 1889 — Annual Report Trustees Public Library

Referred to Committee on Printing to be printed in

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the Annual Reports. Sent down for concurrence.
Common Council concurred Jany 10th

Petitions ✓ Frederico Saricci license ring bell in the streets.

Received a petition for a license to ring a bell in the streets, in the pursuit of his calling as a Scissors Sharpener, from Frederico Saricci, 260 North Street, Boston, endorsed as a proper person by the Chief of Police.
License granted.

Petitions ✓ sundry persons licenses sell newspapers

Received as unfinished business of the last Board of Aldermen, petitions, each signed by a parent of the proposed licensee, for license to sell newspapers, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 43, for the following named minors

Alfred Rust	40 Irving St. Somerville,	Aged	20
Andrew A. Wilson,	32 Morrison St.	"	14
Alfred Bolger,	153 Elm St.	"	11
Edward J. Bradshaw,	1 St. James Ave.	"	14
James F. Brown,	31 Wallace St.	"	14
F. O. Freeborn,	58 Thurston St.	"	12
Joseph Kearson,	Vernon St.	"	15
William F. Nelson,	8 Thurston St.	"	16

all approved by the Chief of Police
Licenses granted.

Petitions ✓ sundry persons licenses sell newspapers

Received petitions, each signed by a parent of the proposed licensee, for licenses to sell newspapers, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 43, for the following named minors

Guy B. Aldrich,	86 Mt. Vernon St.	Aged	13
F. H. Burrows,	29 Mystic Ave.	"	15
James F. Cotter,	Dane Court.	"	16
Fletcher G. Doyle,	22 Mt. Pleasant St.	"	14
Herbert E. Enslen,	62 Cross St.	"	13
Irving J. "	62 "	"	17
John Fitzpatrick,	19 Franklin Ave.	"	15

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James J. Gannon,	148 Sinwood St.	aged	13
James L. Goldthwait,	34 Mt Pleasant St.		18
Dares D. Hall,	Beacon Cor Vine Sts		12
Homer V.	"		10
John F. Hammer,	Vernon St.		15
Alvin W. Haynes,	3 Washington St.		12
Dennis C. Higgins,	Tyler St.		12
John J.	"		15
Charles J. Mangan,	Dane Court		15
Francis H.	"		13
Patrick J. Marchant,	504 Somerville Ave.		13
Edward S. Norfolk,	28 Mt. Pleasant Ave.		11
Daniel H. O'Brien,	Appleton St. Ward 3.		14
Elmer Olmsted,	6 Wesley St.		16
Clifford W. Paine,	21 Concord Ave.		12
Charles T. Phillips,	62 Franklin St.		14
Edward "	62		10
Jacob A. "	62		13
Lawrence J. Pitman,	77 Columbus Ave.		16
Albert W. Rice,	3 Marion St		10
Curtis D. Robbins,	6 Prospect Place		13
Roland S.	6		11
Eugene Russ,	24 Pinckney St.		14
Harry F. Sargent,	275 Elm St		15
Edward F. Saunders,	16 Sumner St.		13
Ernest A.	16 " St		11
Francis W. Shepherd	10 Laurel St.		10
Herbert E. Stone	88 Marshall St.		10
Eddy Thayer	23 Brook St.		14
Harold M. Waining	14 Beacon St.		12
Guy Woodward	Central St.		13

All approved by the Chief of Police.

Licenses granted.

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Petitions licenses sell newspapers	Received petitions for licenses to sell newspapers under the provisions of Ordinance No. 43 for the following named adults. W. Frank Russ, 24 Pinckney St. Joseph Calloway, Hinckley St. approved by the Chief of Police Licenses granted
Petition Guy H. Furbush permit Stationary Engine 9 Autumn St.	Received a petition from Guy H. Furbush, for permission to erect and use a four horse power stationary engine and boiler in a wooden shoe stiffening shop on No. 9 Autumn Street, coal to be used for fuel. Referred to Committee on Fire Department.
Order Hearing Stationary Engine 9 Autumn St.	Accompanying the foregoing petition was the following order. Ordered, That fourteen days notice be given the petitioners to all parties interested, that this Board will on Wednesday, the 12th day of February 1890 at 8 o'clock P.M. at its room in the City Hall, take into consideration the expediency of granting the prayer of the above petition at which time any parties, who object thereto, may appear and be heard. Said notice is to be given by publication of a copy of said petition and this order thereon in the Somerville Citizen. Adopted.
Petition E. A. Bisbee & others laying out of Montrose Street	Received a petition from E. A. Bisbee and others, for the laying out of Montrose Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Common Council concurred Jany. 16th.

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Received a petition from E. A. Bisbee and others, for electric lights at the corner of Montrose and Sycamore Streets and the corner of Montrose and School streets. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Common Council concurred Jany 10th	Petition E. A. Bisbee et al Electric Lights Montrose, Sycamore & School Streets
Received a petition from Aubrey J. Woods and others for an Incandescent Light at the corner of Cross and Oliver Streets. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Common Council concurred Jany 10th	Petition Aubrey J. Woods et al Incandescent Light Cross & Oliver Streets
Received a petition from Horatio D. Newton for a flag-staff at the Morse School. Granted. Sent down for concurrence. Granted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 10th	Petition Horatio D. Newton flag-staff Morse School
Received the official bond of the Treasurer and Collector of Taxes in the sum of Forty Thousand dollars, signed by John F. Cole as principal, and Henry F. Woods, Charles S. Lincoln, George O. Bruce, E. O. Saben, Edwin S. Conant, George W. Hadley, Edward Glines and Jaazaniah Gross, as sureties each in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars and approved, as to form, by the City Solicitor. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by Common Council, Jany 10th	Official Bond City Treasurer & Collector of Taxes
Received the official bond of the City Clerk, in the sum of Two Thousand dollars, signed by George I. Vincent as principal and Joseph H. Clark and Robert Duddy as sureties, and approved as to form, by the City Solicitor.	Official Bond City Clerk

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Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Accepted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 10th.

Official Bond Jarius Mann Constable

Received the official bond of Jarius Mann, Constable, in the sum of Three Thousand Dollars, signed by said Mann as principal and George A. Kimball and William P. Mitchell as sureties, and approved as to form by the City Solicitor.

Accepted and approved.

Official Bond Wm H. Hayden Constable

Received the official bond of William H. Hayden, Constable, in the sum of Three thousand Dollars, signed by said Hayden as principal and Lyman H. Brown and Joseph H. Hayden as sureties, approved as to form by the City Solicitor.

Accepted and approved.

Order granting Building Permits

Order granting Building Permits.

Ordered.

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave if necessary to encumber such portion of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following named applicants respectively for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out at the office of the clerk of this board

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	Nature of Erection	Street
Geo H Thompson	M H Tattan	wooden dwelling	Lane
Joseph Miller	Joseph Miller	" "	Elm
" "	" "	" "	Kidder Ave
" "	" "	" "	Summit St
" "	" "	" "	Birmingham
Wm E Jones	Wm E Jones	" "	Partridge Ave

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John E. Durgin W. B. Cameron	J. E. Durgin W. H. Berry	wooden dwelling	Highland ave Beacon	

Adopted.

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.
Ordered:
That all unfinished business of the last city government, not otherwise disposed of, be and it is hereby referred to the appropriate committees of the present city government.
Adopted and sent down for concurrence.
Adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 10th

Order referring unfinished business to Committees

Alderman Converse offered the following order.
Ordered:
That that part of his honor, the Mayor's inaugural address which relates to a new steam fire engine be and is hereby referred to the Committee on Fire Department for consideration and report.
Adopted and sent down for concurrence.
Adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 10th

Order referring to Com on Fire Dept part of Mayor's Address concerning new Fire Engine

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order.
Ordered:
That, that part of his honor the Mayor's inaugural address which relates to the method of laying sewer assessments be and is hereby referred to the Committee on Sewers for consideration and report.
Adopted and sent down for concurrence
Adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 10

Order referring to Com on Sewers part of Mayor's Address concerning Sewer Assessments

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.
Ordered:
That, that part of his honor the Mayor's inaugural address which relates to a new method of selecting the members of the Water Board be referred to a joint spec-

Order referring to Special Committee part of Mayor's Address concerning

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Water Board

is a committee to consist of two Aldermen, with such number of Councilmen as may be joined, for consideration and report.

Adopted and Aldermen Kimball and Sanborn appointed to the Committee on the part of this Board.

Sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 10, and Councilmen Wentworth, Webber, and Eldridge appointed on the part of this branch.

Order
Com. on Printing
print Mayor's Address

Alderman Souther offered the following order.

Ordered,

That the Committee on Printing be, and is hereby authorized and instructed to have printed for public use six hundred copies of the address delivered by his Honor the Mayor at the inauguration of the present City government, the expense so incurred to be charged to Printing and Stationary Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 10th.

Order
Com. on Printing
get bids to print
Annual Reports

Alderman Souther offered the following order.

Ordered,

That the Committee on Printing be, and is hereby instructed to solicit proposals to print 200 copies of the Annual Reports of the City for the year 1889 in form similar to that in which the reports for previous years have been printed, 100 copies to be bound in paper, 150 in cloth, and 50 for presentation to other cities and towns, in half turkey morocco, the proposals to be so much per page; also additional copies of certain reports as hereinafter stated, at prices based upon the number of pages in the same reports for the year 1888, with a pro rata increase or decrease according as these reports for the year 1889 shall contain more or less pages than for the year 1888, viz.

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300 copies of the report of the Board of Health (with City Physician's report)
100 " " " " City Engineer
200 " " " " Overseers of the Poor
" " " " School Committee
200 " " " " Trustees of the Public Library
100 " " " " Water Board

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.
Adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 10.

Alderman Souther offered the following order.

Order
Com. on Printing
print lists of
Committees &c.

Ordered,

That the Committee on Printing be and is hereby authorized and instructed to have printed for the use of the City Government, 400 lists of the members of the City Council, with its various committees, and of the different boards connected with the City government, and also the names of the City officers, the expense to be charged to Printing and Stationery Account.

Lead twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.
Lead twice and adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 10th.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Order
Common Public Property
erect flag-staff
at Davis School

Ordered -

That the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorized and instructed to erect a flag-staff at the Davis schoolhouse, the cost of the same to be charged to Schoolhouse Incidentals Account.

Lead twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.
Lead twice and adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 10th.

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Order ✓ com on Public Property erect flag staff Morse School	Alderman Edwards offered the following order Ordered. That the Committee on Public Property be, and it is hereby authorized and instructed to procure and erect a suitable flag staff on the Morse School house the expense so incurred to be charged to "School house Incidentals Account" Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence. Read twice and adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 10th
Petition ✓ Joseph J. Giles & others sidewalks and Electric Lights Wesley Park	Received a petition from Joseph J. Giles and others, for edgestones and brick sidewalks on both sides of Wesley Park, and for an electric light at the center and another at the head of said Park Part concerning sidewalks referred to Committee on Highways. Part concerning lights referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights, and sent down for concurrence. Reference last named concurred in by the Common Council Jany 10th
Order ✓ transfer from School house Washington St. to Morse School house Addition Account	Alderman Hemenway offered the following order Ordered, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to transfer from "School house on Washington street" Account to "Morse School house Addition" Account, the sum of Sixteen thousand five hundred dollars Adopted and sent down for concurrence Adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 10th

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Alderman Kimmaway offered the following order.

Order for removal of turnout Cross St.

Ordered:-

Whereas the turnout so-called on Cross Street in front of the estates of Martin S. King, William H. Thomas Jr., Georgianna S. Luney and Sylvester L. Briggs, and used as a turnout for the street railway in said street, has caused and causes great inconvenience to the public travel and injury and inconvenience to the owners of said estates, and the safety or convenience of the inhabitants requires that such turnout should be removed, and the West End Street Railway Company which operates the railway in said street, has neglected and refused, although often requested to remove said turnout, now, therefore, the superintendent of streets is hereby instructed to forthwith remove the said turnout and put that part of the street where it was situated in as good condition as it was in immediately before being occupied by the tracks of said turnout, he, however, not in any way to interfere with or disturb the main tracks of the railway in said street, that is to say, the tracks not included in and making said turnout.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Jany 10th.

On motion of Alderman Souther it was voted that when the Board adjourns it adjourn until Wednesday the 22nd inst at 8 P.M.

Adjournment

On motion of Alderman Souther it was voted that the regular meetings of the Board be held on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 8 o'clock P.M. until otherwise ordered.

Regular Meetings

Adjourned.

Attest

George F. Vincent
Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville, January 22, 1890, 8 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edwards, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Records of last meeting read and approved

Appointments — The Mayor made the following appointments, subject to confirmation by the Board of Aldermen, viz:-

Member of Board of Health, (for two years)
Charles H. Crane

Inspector of Buildings,
James R. Hopkins

Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephone Lines
James R. Hopkins

Janitor of Police Building
William H. Hayden

Inspector of Milk,
Thomas Cunningham

Inspector of Vinegar
Thomas Cunningham

Inspector of Provisions and of Animals intended for Slaughter,
H. Warren Blanforth

Weighers of Beef,
H. Warren Blanforth, Thaddeus Harrington
Arthur N. Kenney, Charles H. Tucker
George K. Walcott

Weighers of Boilers and Heavy Machinery
Thaddeus Harrington, Arthur N. Kenney
Charles H. Tucker, George K. Walcott

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Weighers of Coal,
John Craig — D. Warner Danforth
Thaddeus Harrington — Arthur N. Kearn
Charles H. Tucker — George K. Walcott

Weighers of Hay & Straw
John Craig — Thaddeus Harrington
Arthur N. Kearn — Charles H. Tucker

Measurer of Grain
John Craig

Constables
Robert L. Perry — Samuel R. Dow
Edward McGarr — Christopher C. Cavanaghi
Charles C. Folsom — George Callis
Joseph J. Giles

Undertakers
Edward H. Marsh — William A. Flaherty
Patrick Lafferty — Patrick H. Lafferty
Thomas J. Barker — Horace D. Laney
Alfred E. Mann

Appointments confirmed

The Mayor appointed as Keeper of the Sock-up
Melville C. Parkhurst

Appointment Keeper of Sock-up

The Mayor appointed, subject to confirmation by the Board of Aldermen, as Special Police, without pay
James R. Hopkins — Thomas R. Roulstone
Nathaniel C. Barker — Frank G. Williams
Nathaniel Dennett — Thomas Cunningham
Thomas H. Daley — Samuel H. Snow
Charles Trull — Edward E. Winslow
Samuel H. Stevens — Jabez R. Gott
Sindorf D. Rigby — Clarence R. Needham
Melvin B. Licker — Nathan S. Pennock

Appointments Special Police without pay

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William Armstrong	Henry M. Pratt
Peter J. Savage	Daniel L. Spike
Peter Savage	Alfred M. Sibley
E. F. Reed	Andrew S. Arnold
A. A. Williams	Henry C. Bishop
Joseph Young	Dennis Foley
Daniel Linn	Edward W. Ring
Robert Thompson	J. W. Skinner
Wm. H. Denton	Wm. J. Blaisdell
Bernard F. Sheridan	John Kala
Simeon P. Young	Wm. H. Whitcomb
Wm. L. Cann	Geo. W. Holden
Lambert M. Maynard	Geo. H. Perkins
Theodore E. Heron	James A. McLane
Davis P. Luckmans	Henry A. Angier
Lucius R. Angier	Albert Fisk
Geo. W. Littlefield	Michael Buckley
Caleb A. Page	A. A. Marshall
Samuel H. Maxwell	Wm. Jones
G. K. Wolcott	Frederic L. Cutter
Ripley C. Gilman	F. J. Harrington
F. E. Cheney	Wm. H. Kelley
Fred Young	Albert R. Parlin
Seba F. Coffin	Wm. A. Whitney
Edd F. Foler	Nicholas Dwyer

Appointments confirmed

Annual Report Treasurer & Collector of taxes

Received the Annual Report of the Treasurer and Collector of Taxes, for the year 1889

Referred to Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence

Common Council concurred January 22nd

Annual Report Water Board.

Received the Annual Report of the Somerville Mystic Water Board, for the year 1889

Referred to the Committee on Printing, to be printed

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in the Annual Reports. Sent down for concurrence.
Common Council concurred Jany 22nd.

Received the Annual Report of the School Committee for the year 1889.
Referred to the Committee on Printing, to be printed in the Annual Reports. Sent down for concurrence.
Common Council concurred January 22nd.

Received a petition from Joseph J. Giles, to be appointed a Constable.
Read for information.

Received a petition from James C. Jones, for the refunding to him of the sum of $21.73, which he understands, has been abated from his sewer assessment of $8.965 on Hanson Street, he having paid said assessment through deeming it excessive.
Referred to Committee on Sewers.

Received a petition from J.H. & P.S. Roberts, for a subdivision into separate bills, according to a schedule enclosed, of the assessments made to them for sewers in Madison and Montrose streets, several of the lots having been sold subject to the sewer assessments.
Referred to Committee on Sewers.

Received a petition from Henry Gundlach and others, for a catch-basin at the corner of Cedar and Warwick streets, and that Cedar Street be repaired between the two railroads.
Part concerning catch-basin referred to Committee on Sewers. Part concerning repairs referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
Common Council concurred in reference to Committee on Highways Jany 22nd.

Annual Reports
School Committee

Petition
Joseph J. Giles
appointed as Constable

Petition
James C. Jones
refunding part of
sewer assessment
Hanson Street

Petition
J.H. & P.S. Roberts
sub-division sewer
assessments
Madison & Montrose st

Petition
Henry Gundlach et al
catch basin & repairs
Cedar Street

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Petition ✓ J. P. Palmer Hitching Posts Broadway & Montgomery Av.	Received a petition from J. P. Palmer, for a hitching post in front of his estate No. 250 Broadway, and for another in front of his estate No. 1 Montgomery Avenue. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ Chas. E. Bardwell et al Edgestones Irving Street	Received a petition from Charles E. Bardwell and others for edgestones in Irving Street, at the grade accepted by the City Government Sept. 11th 1886 Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ John Andrews et al Electric Light Centre + Albion Sts.	Received a petition from John Andrews and others for an Electric Light at the corner of Centre and Albion Streets. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Common Council concurred January 22nd
Petition ✓ Chas. E. Giles, et al Incandescent Light Webster + Glen Sts.	Received a petition from Charles E. Giles and others for an Incandescent Light on the pole at the corner of Webster and Glen Streets. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Common Council concurred January 22nd
✓ Constables Bonds George Cullis Joseph J. Giles	Received two constables' bonds, each in due form and in the sum of Three Thousand Dollars, the first signed by George Cullis as principal and Seward Dodge and Jonathan W. Mandell as sureties, and the other by Joseph J. Giles as principal and Philip Eberle and Alvin H. Prescott as sureties. Both accepted and approved.

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Alderman Souther offered the following order.

Order

Convention

Election of Water Board

Trustees of Public Library

Superintendent of Streets

Ordered:-

That a message be sent to the Common Council, requesting a convention of the two branches of the City Council, in the Common Council Chamber this evening, for the purpose of electing a Water Committee of five persons to constitute the Somerville Mystic Water Board, for one year, - three Trustees of the Public Library for three years, - and a Superintendent of Streets, for one year.

Adopted and Alderman Souther appointed a messenger to convey the request to the Common Council.

Request granted by Common Council Jany 22nd and information thereof received by hand of Councilman Butters.

In Convention of the City Council

Convention

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Alderman Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn, President Osgood, and Councilmen Hunnewell, Pulsifer, Barber, Dickerman, Caswell, Willey, Merrill, Wentworth, Armstrong, Butters, McLean, Eldridge and Prichard present.

In pursuance of an order passed this evening the Convention proceeded to the election of a Water Committee of five persons to constitute the Somerville Mystic Water Board for one year

Election Water Board

The Mayor appointed Aldermen Souther and Councilmen Dickerman and Willey a committee to receive, assort and count the ballots, and, after performing that duty, they reported as follows:-

Whole number of ballots 22

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Necessary for choice		12
Adna C. Winning	has	21
Walter C. Mentzer	"	20
Saml W. Holt	"	15
J. Frank Willington	"	14
Frank A. Titus	"	13
Frank G. Sombard	"	12
Richard Dowd	"	8
J. O. Hayden	"	3
J. J. Giles	"	2
G. M. Starbird	"	1

as it appeared by the report that six persons had been elected while the Charter authorizes the election of but five, the Mayor declared the ballot null and void and called for a

Second Ballot

Alderman Edmands and Councilmen Barber and Eldridge were appointed a committee to receive assort and count the votes and after performing that duty they reported as follows:-

Whole number of ballots		22
Necessary for choice		12
Jos. J. Giles	has	1
J. O. Hayden	"	1
G. M. Starbird	"	1
Richard Dowd	"	5
Samuel W. Holt	"	15
J. Frank Willington	"	15
F. A. Titus	"	16
Frank G. Sombard	"	16
Walter C. Mentzer	"	19
Adna C. Winning	"	20

The result being the same as on the first ballot on motion of Councilman Dickerman it was voted to proceed to a

Third Ballot

for one member of the Water Board.

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Alderman Kimball and Councilmen Morrill and Prichard were appointed a committee to receive, assort and count the votes and after performing that duty they reported as follows,-

Whole number of ballots		22
Necessary for choice		12
A. L. Winning	has	14
Walter L. Mentzer	"	4
Saml. H. Holt	"	3
J. Frank Wellington	"	1

and A. L. Winning was declared elected.

The Convention then proceeded to a

Fourth Ballot

for a second member of the Water Board.

Aldermen Nickerson and Councilmen Cummewell and Wentworth were appointed and served as a Committee to receive, assort and count the votes, and reported as follows,-

Whole number of ballots		22
Necessary for choice		12
Walter L. Mentzer	has	15
S. H. Holt	"	5
F. H. Lombard	"	2

and Walter L. Mentzer was declared elected.

On a

Fifth Ballot

for a third member of the Water Board.-

Aldermen Carpenter and Councilmen Pilsifer and McLean were appointed and served as a Committee to receive, assort and count the votes, and reported as follows,-

Whole number of ballots	22
Necessary for choice	12
J. Frank Wellington has	1
Frank A. Titus "	4
Samuel H. Holt "	8

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Frank J. Sombard has 9

and there was no choice

On a

Sixth Ballot

for a third member of the Water Board.

Alderman Hemenway and Councilmen Armstrong and Butters were appointed and served as a committee to receive, assort and count the votes, and reported as follows,

Whole number of ballots		21
Necessary for choice		11
Frank A. Titus	has	1
Samuel W. Holt	"	8
Frank G. Sombard		12

and Frank G. Sombard was declared elected.

On a

Seventh Ballot

for a fourth member of the Water Board

Alderman Sanborn and Councilmen Armstrong and Caswell were appointed and served as a committee to receive, assort and count the ballots, and reported as follows,-

Whole number of ballots		22
Necessary for choice		12
Richard Dowd	has	1
J. Frank Wellington	"	3
F. A. Titus	"	8
Samuel W. Holt	"	10

and there was no choice

On an Eighth Ballot

for a fourth member of the Water Board,

Alderman Converse and Councilmen Eldridge and Dickerman were appointed and served as a Committee to receive, assort and count the votes, and reported as follows,-

Whole number of ballots 22

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Necessary for choice 12
J. Frank Wellington has 1
Frank A. Titus " 2
Samuel W. Holt " 19
and Samuel W. Holt was declared elected.

On a

Ninth Ballot

for a fifth member of the Water Board,—

Alderman Souther and Councilmen Wentworth and Willey were appointed and served as a committee to receive, assort and count the ballots, and reported as follows,—

Whole number of ballots 21
Necessary for choice 11
Richard Dowd has 1
J. Frank Wellington " 8
Frank A. Titus " 12
and Frank A. Titus was declared elected.

On motion of Alderman Hemenway the convention then proceeded to the election of a Superintendent of Streets.

Election Superintendent of Streets.

A communication signed by Ellery C. Clarke M.D. Richard H. Sturtevant and others, was read after the fourth ballot, stating that they believe it is for the best interests of the City that the present Superintendent of Streets, Frank G. Williams, should be relected to that position.

Communication E. C. Clarke M.D. due favoring re-election of Frank G. Williams

On the

First Ballot.

Alderman Carpenter and Councilmen Pulsifer and Merrill were appointed and served as a committee to receive assort and count the votes, and reported as follows,—

Whole number of ballots 22

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Necessary for choice 12
Irving L. Russell has 2
John P. Pickard " 6
Frank G. Williams " 7
Thos. H. Eames " 7
and there was no choice
On the
Second Ballot
Aldermen Nickerson and Councilmen Hammond and Wentworth were appointed and served as a committee to receive, assort and count the votes, and reported as follows, –
Whole number of ballots 22
Necessary for choice 12
Irving L. Russell has 2
John P. Pickard " 6
Frank G. Williams " 6
Thomas H. Eames " 8
and there was no choice
On the
Third Ballot.
Aldermen Edwards and Councilmen Barber and McLean were appointed and served as a Committee to receive, assort and count the votes, and reported as follows, –
Whole number of ballots 22
Necessary for choice 12
Irving L. Russell has 2
John P. Pickard " 5
Frank G. Williams " 7
Thomas H. Eames " 8
and there was no choice
On the
Fourth Ballot
Aldermen Converse and Councilmen Armstrong and Caswell were appointed and served as a Committee to receive

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assort and count the votes, and reported as follows,

Whole number of ballots 22
Necessary for Choice 12
Irving L. Russell has 3
John P. Prichard " 4
Frank G. Williams " 7
Thos. H. Eames " 8

and there was no choice

On the

Fifth Ballot

Alderman Converse and Councilmen Willey and Pulsifer were appointed and served as a committee to receive, assort and count the votes, and reported as follows,

Whole number of ballots 22
Necessary for choice 12
Irving L. Russell has 2
John P. Prichard " 4
Frank G. Williams " 8
Thomas H. Eames " 8

and there was no choice.

On the

Sixth Ballot

Alderman Hennessy and Councilmen Butters and Barber were appointed and served as a committee to receive, assort and count the votes and reported as follows, -

Whole number of ballots 22
Necessary for choice 12
John P. Prichard has 1
Irving L. Russell " 4
Frank G. Williams " 7
Thomas H. Eames " 10

and there was no choice.

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Seventh Ballot,

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Aldermen Souther and Councilmen Merrill and Wentworth were appointed and served as a committee to receive, assort and count the ballots, and reported as follows,

Whole number of ballots		22
Necessary for choice		12
Irving L. Russell	has	2
Frank G. Williams	"	10
Thomas H. Eames	"	10

and there was no choice.

On the

Eighth Ballot

Alderman Barbour and Councilmen Barwell and Hunnewell were appointed and served as a Committee to receive, assort and count the votes, and reported as follows,

Whole number of ballots		22
Necessary for choice		12
F. G. Williams	has	9
Thos. H. Eames	"	13

and Thomas H. Eames was declared elected.

Election Trustees Public Library

The Convention then proceed to the election of three Trustees of the Public Library for three years.

Alderman Edmonds and Councilmen Armstrong and Willey were appointed and served as a Committee to receive, assort and count the ballots, and reported as follows,

Whole number of ballots		22
Necessary for choice		12
John P. Veale	has	19
James E. Whitaker	"	18
William E. Weld	"	18
J. Frank Wellington	"	3
Charles S. Noyes	"	3

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John C. Nichols 2
John S. Nichols 1
and John B. Viall, James E. Whitaker and William E. Weld were declared elected.

The purposes for which it was assembled having been accomplished the Convention was dissolved, and the Mayor and Aldermen returned to their chamber.

Convention dissolved.

In Board of Aldermen.

Board of Aldermen.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson, and Sanborn present.

Order granting Building Permits.
In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.
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Order granting Building Permits

Ordered.-

That upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit with further leave, if necessary, to encumber such portion of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe, for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition however that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out at the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Street
James B. Steadman	O. J. Kallusey	wood n dwelling	rear 34 Ivaloo St.
Geo. E. Ricker	G. E. Ricker	" "	Madison

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	John C. H. Snow	J. C. H. Snow	wooden dwelling	Pearl
	Maurice Luttimer	M. Luttimer	2 " "	Montrose
	Weston O. Francis	John D. Nichols	addition Bay Window	Glen

Adopted

Report
Com. on Highways
restoration grade of
Sidewalk
Cedar & Summer St.

The Committee on Highways to which was referred as unfinished business of 1889, an order offered but not passed Dec. 26th, for the restoration of grade of the sidewalk on the southeasterly corner of Summer and Cedar Streets, said grade having been lowered recently, reported the following order

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

Common Council concurred Jany 22nd

Order
Com. on Highways
restore grade sidewalk
Cor. Cedar & Summer Sts.

The order presented with the foregoing report is as follows

Ordered

That the Committee on Highways, be and is hereby instructed to raise the grade of the sidewalk on the southeast side of Cedar Street from Summer Street Southwesterly in front of the estate of William M. Armstrong, the expense of the same to be charged to Highway Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 22nd

Presented to Mayor and approved by him Jan 27/

Order
Com. on Highways
solicit proposals to furnish
Edgestones & Paving Stock

Alderman Kimball offered the following order

Ordered

That the Committee on Highways, be and is hereby authorized to solicit proposals for the furnishing of such edgestones and paving stock as may be required by the City during the current year, and present the proposals received to the City Council.

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Adopted and sent down for concurrence.
Adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 22nd
Presented to Mayor and approved by him Jany 27, 1890

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.
Ordered:
That the Committee on Highways, be and is hereby authorized and instructed to procure street signs and place them in such locations including private streets as in their judgment may seem proper, the expense incurred to be charged to Highways Account.
Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.
Read twice and adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 22nd
Presented to Mayor and approved by him Jany 27, 1890

Order
Com on Highways
procure street signs

Alderman Kimball offered the following order
Ordered:
That the plans prepared by the City Engineer and presented to this board this evening, for the numbering of Sanborn Avenue, from Warren Avenue to Walnut Street and Tufts street from Washington street to Cross street, both dated January 21st 1890, be and they are hereby adopted, and the numbers thereon are hereby designated as the proper numbers to be affixed to the several buildings on said street and avenue respectively; and the City Engineer is hereby directed to inform the owners of property in said street and avenue what are the proper numbers to be affixed to their respective buildings, in accordance with said plans and in compliance with Section 5 of ordinance No. 15.
Adopted.

Order
adopting plans
numbering of
Sanborn Ave. &
Tufts St.

The Committee on Claims to which was referred as unfinished business of 1889, an order offered but not passed Jany 3d 1890, for the settlement of the claims of Hannah K. Stevens, Emma F. Stevens and J. Walter Sanborn by paying

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Com on Claims
H. K. Stevens et al
bursting Water Pipe
Myrtle Street

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to them jointly the sum of Twelve hundred dollars, reported the following order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

Common Council concurred Jany 22nd

Order settlement claims of H. K. Stevens et al bursting Water Pipe Myrtle Street

The order presented with the foregoing report is as follows,

Ordered

That there be paid to Hannah K. Stevens, and Emma F. Stevens and J. Walter Sanborn in full settlement and discharge of their claims either joint or several on account of damages to their property respectively by reason of a break in the water pipe on Myrtle Street, the sum of Twelve hundred dollars, and the City Auditor is hereby authorized to approve such payroll of Water Maintenance Account said sum, and the City Treasurer to pay the same provided at the time of payment the said parties shall give to him a release satisfactory to the City Solicitor of their claims and demands against the City

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by Common Council Jany 22nd

Approved by Mayor Jany 22, 1890.

report Joint Special Com. part Mayor's Address appointment Water Board

The Joint Special Committee, to which was referred that part of his Honor the Mayor's Inaugural Address which relates to a new method of selecting the members of the Water Board, reported the following order

Action postponed until the next meeting

Order Mayor's petition for amendment of charter appointment Water Board

The order presented with the foregoing report is as follows,

Ordered

That the Mayor be and he hereby is requested and authorized to petition the Legislature to so amend the charter of the City, that the Somerville Water Board shall con-

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sist of three persons, to be nominated by the mayor, subject to confirmation by the City Council by concurrent vote, so that they shall hold their offices, one for three years, one for two years and one for one year from the first day of January 1891 and until others shall be elected and qualified in their stead, and thereafter annually, as soon after the organization of the City Council as may be convenient, the mayor shall nominate in the same manner, subject to confirmation by the City Council by concurrent vote, one person who shall hold his office for the term of three years next ensuing, and until another shall be elected and qualified in his stead.

Action postponed until the next meeting.

On motion of Alderman Converse, it was voted to proceed to ballot for an Assessor for three years.

Election V
Assessor

Aldermen Converse and Carpenter were appointed a committee to receive, assort and count the ballots and after performing that duty they reported as follows,

Whole number of ballots cast 8
Necessary for choice 5
B. F. Thompson has 8

and Benjamin F. Thompson was declared elected on the part of this branch and information thereof sent to the Common Council.

On motion of Alderman Converse, it was voted to proceed to ballot for an Assistant Assessor from Ward One.

Election V
Assistant Assessor from Ward One

Aldermen Hemenway and Souther were appointed a committee to receive, assort and count the ballots, and after performing that duty reported as follows,

Whole number of ballots cast 8
Necessary for choice 5
George W. Bartlett has 8

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and George W. Bartlett was declared elected and information thereof sent to the Common Council.

On motion of Alderman Converse it was voted to proceed to the election of an Assistant Assessor from Ward Two.

Election Assistant Assessor from Ward Two

Aldermen Kimball and Sanborn were appointed a committee to receive, assort and count the ballots, and having attended to that duty they reported as follows.

Whole number of ballots cast 8

Necessary for choice 5

David A. Sanborn has 8

and David A. Sanborn was declared elected and information thereof sent to the Common Council.

Election Assistant Assessor from Ward Three

On motion of Alderman Converse it was voted to proceed to ballot for an Assistant Assessor from Ward Three.

Aldermen Nickerson and Edwards were appointed a committee to receive, assort and count the ballots, and after performing that duty they reported as follows.

Whole number of ballots cast 8

Necessary for choice 5

Edgar T. Mayhew has 8

and Edgar T. Mayhew was declared elected on the part of this branch and information thereof sent to the Common Council.

Election Assistant Assessor from Ward Four

On motion of Alderman Converse it was voted to proceed to ballot for an Assistant Assessor from Ward Four.

Aldermen Converse and Hemenway were appointed a committee to receive assort and count the ballots, and having attended to that duty they reported as follows.

Whole number of ballots 8

Necessary for choice 5

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Samuel T. Richards 8

and Samuel T. Richards was declared elected on the part of this branch and information thereof sent to the Common Council.

The Board then proceeded to the election of a President of the Board of Aldermen.

Election President of the Board of Aldermen

Aldermen Souther and Limball were appointed a committee to receive, assort and count the ballots and after attending to that duty they reported as follows:

Whole number of ballots cast 8
Necessary for choice 5
Geo. A. Limball has 3
C. M. Hemenway " 5

and Alderman Chas. M. Hemenway was declared elected and information thereof was sent to the Common Council.

Received a message from the Common Council informing this Board that Selwyn J. Bowman was elected City Solicitor by the Common Council January 10th in concurrence.

Election City Solicitor

Read for information.

Received a message from the Common Council informing this Board that Charles S. Robertson was declared elected City Auditor by the Common Council January 10th in concurrence.

Election City Auditor

Read for information.

Adjourned.

Attest

George F. Vincent
Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville Feby 3 1890 8.30 A.M.

His Honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Souther, Nickerson, and Barbour present.

Jurors — In compliance with a venire, Patrick T. O'Brien was drawn to serve as a Grand Juror at the Superior Court to be holden at Cambridge on the second Monday of the present month of February.

Jurors — In compliance with a venire, Hogen Sturtevant and Frank H. Allen were drawn to serve as Trverse Jurors at the Superior Court to be holden at Cambridge on the second Monday of the present month of February.

Adjourned.

Attest

George F. Vincent
Clerk

Meeting of Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville Feby 12 1876 8 15 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson, and Sanborn present.

Records read and approved.

In pursuance of an order passed passed January 10th publication having been made as therein directed a hearing was given on the petition of Guy H. Furbush for permission to erect and use a Stationary Steam Engine of four horse power in a wooden building used as a shoe stiffening shop, at No 9 Autumn Street, coal to be used as fuel.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, the hearing was closed.

Hearing
Guy H. Furbush
Stationary Engine
9 Autumn St.

The Mayor made the following appointments subject to confirmation by the Board of Aldermen,
City Engineer, Horace S. Eaton
Clerk of Assessors and Committees, Wm P. Mitchell
Assistant Clerk of Assessors and Committees, Albert B. Fales
Janitor of City Hall and Public Library Building, Wm H. Whitcomb
Appointments confirmed.

Appointments

The Mayor appointed, by request of the Chief of Police, subject to confirmation by the Board of Aldermen, Jeremiah J. Kenny a Special Police Officer without pay.
Appointment confirmed.

Appointment
Special Police

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Elections Assessor and Assistant Assessor

Received from the Common Council, notice of elections by that branch in concurrence with the Board of Aldermen, as follows,-

Assessor (for 3 years) -	Benjamin F. Thompson
Assistant Assessor from Ward 1 -	George H. Bartlett,
" " " 2 -	David W. Davison,
" " " 3 -	Edgar T. Mayhew,
" " " 4 -	Samuel T. Richards

Read for information

Request Water Board pictures of City Council of 1890

Received from the Common Council a note from the Mayor to the President of the Common Council, stating that the Water Board have sent him (the Mayor) a request for the pictures of the Aldermen and Common Council of last year to hang in the new pumping station, and asking the President to ascertain the wishes of his members in regard.

The note was endorsed as follows,-

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Referred to a committee consisting of three Councilmen, to confer with a committee consisting of such number as may be joined in the Board of Aldermen and report, Councilmen Pilsifer, Willey and Barber appointed on the part of this branch. Sent up for concurrence.

Chas. S. Robertson, Clerk

The Mayor explained that his note to the President was personal, and not intended for official action.

Laid on the table

Annual Reports sundry officers and boards

Received Annual Reports for the year 1895, from the

City Clerk
City Solicitor
City Engineer
City Physician

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Inspector of Buildings
Overseers of the Poor
and the
Board of Health
All referred to the Committee on Printing to be printed in the Annual Reports. Sent down for concurrence

References concurred in by Common Council Feby 13th

Received the report of the Chief of Police for the month of January
Read and sent down for information
Read for information in Common Council Feby 10th

Report Chief of Police January 1890

Received the report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department for the month of January
Read and sent down for information
Read for information in Common Council Feby 13th

Report Chief of Fire Dept January 1890

Received a notice from the School Committee that that board has, by vote, expressed the desire that the new school at Concord Square be named the "C. S. Knapp School"
Read and sent down for information
Read for information in Common Council Feby 13th

Notice School Committee desiring that school in Concord Square be named C. S. Knapp School

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Received a request from the School Committee, that flag staffs be erected on the High, the Brigham, the Prospect Hill and the C. S. Knapp Schools
Request granted. Sent down for concurrence
Request granted in concurrence by Common Council Feby 13th

Request School Committee flag staffs for sunday school houses

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Request School Committee safe for records.	Received a request from the School Committee that a safe be provided in which to keep the records of the School Committee. Referred to Committee on Public Property, Sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 18th.
Communication Board of Health permits to build Stables	Received a communication from the Board of Health calling attention to the necessity of considering carefully all applications for permits to build stables, as the stables are generally placed on the rear of the owners lots and often cause a serious nuisance to the occupants of adjoining estates. Read for information.
Notice Herbert Land Com. North Packing & Provision Dam, Millers River	Received a notice from the Harbor and Land Commissioners, of a hearing before said Commissioners February 6th at 12 M on an application from the North Packing and Provision Company for license to build a wooden dam across Miller's River, near the crossing of the Fitchburg and Boston and Lowell Railroads, in the Cities of Somerville and Cambridge. Read for information.
Petition Geo. A. Richards permit move building	Received a petition from Geo. A. Richards for permission to move a wooden building 20 feet long, 15 ft wide and 16 feet high, from land of B. F. Wild on the south side of School Street, near Evergreen Ave, through School, Medford and Lowell streets to land of M. Kelly on the south side of Lowell Street near Medford street; and moved by Alderman Nickerson that the foregoing statement is substantially correct and that, in his opinion, the proposed removal can be made without injury to public or private property. Permission granted.

Wednesday Feby 12 1890

Received a petition from Prospect Lodge No 71, N.E.O.P. for a license to give a musical entertainment in Masonic Hall, Winter Hill, Thursday evening January 30th recommended by the Chief of Police, approved by the Mayor, and license issued by the City Clerk January 30th.

Issuing of license approved

Petition Prospect Lodge No 71 N.E.O.P. license for entertainment

Received petitions each signed by a parent of the proposed license, for licenses to sell newspapers, for the following named minors

Petitions sundry persons licenses to sell newspapers

Leon A. Cameron	65 Holland St.	Aged	13
James J. Carr	1 Cook	"	13
William L. Crowe	162 Linwood	"	13
Walter Durham	9 Waverly	"	14
Charles W. French	7 Bond	"	12
James A. Fulton	586 Sam. Ave.	"	17
Francis P. Garland	Tyler St.	"	14
George P. Garland	" "	"	13
William Garland	"	"	11
Fredrick T. Grant	5 Pinckney	"	15
John Harwood Jr.	31 Avon	"	13
Ernest W. Higgins	23 Gilman	"	12
Waldron W. Hodsdon	11 Warren Ave.	"	15
William H. Carr	1 Cook St	"	12
Thomas E. Marchant	504 Sam. Ave.	"	15
John J. Murray	101 Walnut St.	"	12
William F. Purinton	45 Cross	"	17
Frank P. Robinson	97 Washington	"	12
Henry F. Sears	20 Pinckney	"	15
Norwood K. Silsbee	49 Springfield	"	10
Harry B. Stearns	2 Winter	"	10
Alvin Taylor	13 Auburn Ave.	"	12
Chester A. Tibbetts	32 Florence St.	"	13

All approved by the Chief of Police

Licenses granted

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Petition ✓ Frederick A Litchfield license sell newspapers	Received a petition for a license to sell newspapers, from Frederick A Litchfield, 16 Newbury St. Aged 21 Approved by the Chief of Police License granted.
Request ✓ G A Southworth flag staffs Prescott School	Received a request from G A Southworth, that two flag-staffs that have been purchased by the children of the Prescott School may be affixed to that building. Request granted. Sent down for concurrence Request granted in concurrence by the Common Council, Feby 6th
Petition ✓ J. Abbott Black flag staff Cedar St. School	Received a petition from J. Abbott Black that a flag staff may be placed on the Cedar Street School-house. Petition granted. Sent down for concurrence. Granted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 12
Petition ✓ John Medina abatement sewer assessment Curtis St.	Received a petition from John Medina, for an abatement from his assessment for the sewer in Curtis Street and Fairmount Ave. Referred to Committee on Sewers
Petition ✓ John Medina et al others, abatement sewer assessment Curtis St. & Fairmount Ave.	Received a petition from John Medina and others, for an abatement from all the assessments laid in 1889 for a sewer in Curtis Street and Fairmount Ave. on the ground that the rate of assessments — $1.50 per front foot — is exhorbitant, and higher than any other assessments laid during the year. Referred to Committee on Sewers
Petition ✓ Henry R. Glover sewer Merchant Street	Received a petition from Henry R. Glover for a sewer in Merchant Street. Referred to Committee on Sewers.

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Received a petition from the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts, that such action be taken as will provide for the removal of electric light wires from telephone poles and for the placing of electric light poles and wires on the opposite side of the street from the telephone poles already located.

Referred to Committee on Highways.

Petition. New Eng Tel & Tel Co. removal electric light wires from Telephone Poles

Received a petition from S. B. Pillsbury and others that such regulations be made as will prevent arrangements between the electric light and telephone companies for the fastening of the wires of the two systems to the same poles and will require each company to occupy independent supports placed upon opposite sides of the streets.

Referred to Committee on Highways.

Petition. S. B. Pillsbury et al. that electric light and telephone wires be on separate poles

Received a petition from the Somerville Electric Light Company for locations as follows; — in
Davis Square
Holland street from Davis Sq. to Curtis St.
Broadway " Curtis St. " Arlington Line
Curtis " " Broadway " Medford
Central St. " " Highland Ave. " St.
Montrose St, Albion St, Prescott St, Broadway Place,
Webster Ave from Prospect St, to Cambridge line
Somerville " " Union Sq. " Bow St. and Bow St. Place.

Referred to Committee on Highways.

Petition. Som. Electric Light Co. sundry locations

Received a petition from J. T. Butler and others, for edgestones in Medford street, south side, from Central Street to School Street.

Referred to Committee on Highways.

Petition. J. T. Butler et al. edgestones Medford St.

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Petition ✓ Richard E. Pickthall et al. brick sidewalks Home Street	Received a petition from Richard E. Pickthall and others for edgestones and brick sidewalks on both side of Home Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ Daniel Mulguenny et al. Edgestones Norfolk Street	Received a petition from Daniel Mulguenny and others for edgestones and gravel sidewalks in Norfolk Street, both sides, from Webster Ave. to the Cambridge line. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ L. B. Pillsbury et al. edgestones Hills St. & Sargent Ave.	Received a petition Lauriel B. Pillsbury and others for edgestones on both sides of Sargent Avenue and Hills Street from Broadway to Walnut Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ John Buckley Jr. et al. curbing Virginia St.	Received a petition from John Buckley Jr. and others, for a curbing on Virginia Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ Chas. K. Northrup et al. Acceptance Munroe & High Sts.	Received a petition from Charles K. North and others, for the laying out of Munroe Street, and its extension called High Street, from Walnut Street to Boston Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 13th.
Petition ✓ Henry C. Hathaway et al. crossing Central Street	Received a petition from Henry C. Hathaway and others, for a street crossing on Central Street, from Pearl St. to Vernon Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 13th.
Petition ✓ Odd Fellows Bldg Assn. crossing	Received a petition from Odd Fellows Building Association for a crossing in front of the main entrance to Odd Fellows Building on Broadway, from the sidewalk to the horse car

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mark. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 13th.	Broadway
Received a petition from M. P. Elliot, for crossing on Bolton Street, across the end of High Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 13th.	Petition M. P. Elliot crossing Bolton Street
Received a petition from John Buckley Jr and others for electric lights on Virginia Street. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 13th.	Petition John Buckley Jr et al Electric Lights Virginia Street
Received a petition from James Clarkson and others, for an electric arc light at the corner of Concord Avenue and Second Street. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 13th.	Petition James Clarkson et al Arc Light Concord Ave. & Second St
Received a petition from Hugh Martin and others, for an electric light at the corner of Hunting and South Sts. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 13th.	Petition Hugh Martin et al Electric Light Hunting & South Sts
Received a petition from J. B. Tenney and others, for two electric lights in Tenney Court. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 13th.	Petition J. B. Tenney et al electric lights Tenney Court

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Petition Som. Improvement Society place memorial tablets at places of historic interest	Received petition from the Somerville Improvement Society that the more important landmarks and places of historic interest in the City be marked by suitable memorial tablets and inscriptions, and that an appropriation of five hundred dollars be made to defray the expenses of the same. Referred to Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council, Feby 13th.
Notice of Suit Catharine Lord Action of Contract	Received a summons to appear in the Supreme Court at Cambridge on the first Monday of March next to answer and to Catharine Lord in an action of contract, to her damage in the sum of three hundred dollars. Placed in hands of City Solicitor. Sent down for concurrence. Action concurred in by Common Council Feby 13th.
Order granting Building Permits	Order granting Building Permits. Ordered. That upon obtaining the written approval of the of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit with further leave, if necessary, to encumber such portions of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Add'n Alteration	Street
Wm. K. Fletcher	Annie S. Fletcher	wood and welling		Essex
	W. H. Coffin	" "		Brooks
Hudson & Lewis	N. H. Reed	" "		Gilman
Geo. E. Ricker	G. E. Ricker	" "		Stickney Ave
	Luther Reed	2 "		Albion

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John Stackpole	G. D. Wilder	1 store (wood)		Hay	
Gillie Bros.	Patrick Lafferty	1 "		Some Ave.	
Wm. Crowell	C. M. Curren	1 shed (for storage of wood & coal)		back of Glass House off Webster Ave.	
John Ricker	P. W. Townsend	addition to house for closets		25 Low St.	
Geo. M. Starbird	G. M. Starbird		S.	104 Pearl	
" "	Martin S. King		S.	1 Gilman	
C. E. Currier	Emory S. Chiffee	addition to store & dwelling		Corner and Webster Sts.	
Israel P. Rice	J. P. Rice	2 wooden dwellings		Tufts St.	

Adopted.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

Ordered:-

That the license to sell newspapers granted Jany 10th to Frank O. Freeborn, be and is hereby revoked

Adopted.

Order
revoking newsboys license
Frank O. Freeborn

The Committee on Sewers on petition of James C. Jones, for the refunding of that portion of his sewer assessment for the sewer in Hanson street, which was abated by the Board of Aldermen of 1889 after having been paid by him, reported an order.

Accepted.

Report
Com. on Sewers
James C. Jones
refunding part of sewer ass't
that has been abated
Hanson St.

The order presented with the foregoing report is as follows.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to approve in pay-roll of Sewers Account, a bill of James C. Jones for $21.73, the same being the amount of an abatement made to said Jones by the Board of Aldermen January 3rd 1890 on his assessment for the sewer in Hanson street constructed in 1889.

Read twice and adopted.

Presented to Mayor, and approved by him Feby 19th 1890.

Order
Com. on Sewers
approve bill of J. C. Jones
sewer ass't abated
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Report ✓ Com on Sewers J.W. + P.S. Roberts sub division sewer assts. Madison + Montrose Sts.	The Committee on Sewers, on petition of J.W. and P.S. Roberts, for the sub-division of certain sewer assessments on Madison and Montrose Streets, reported recommending that the petitions be given leave to withdraw. Accepted.
Report ✓ Com. on Highways Wm. A. Muzzey et al Edgestones Newbury Street	The Committee on Highways on petition of Wm. A. Muzzey and others, for edgestones on both sides of Newbury street, reported recommending the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the east side of said Newbury street from Holland street to the southwesterly line of the estate owned by the Heirs of William Dalrymple, and submitted an order of notice for a hearing. Accepted.
Order of Notice ✓ gravel sidewalk east side Newbury Street	The order presented with the foregoing report, for a hearing, for any desiring to object to the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones on the easterly side of Newbury street, from Holland street to the southwesterly line of the estate of the Heirs of William Dalrymple, which order is recorded in full in Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction, of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Somerville, Volume 1, page 1, — was Adopted.
Report ✓ Com on Highways Myron E. Barnes et al Edgestones School Street	The Committee on Highways, on petition of Myron E. Barnes and others, for edgestones on both sides of School Street from Summer street to Highland Avenue, reported recommending that the petition be granted, and submitted an order of notice for a hearing. Accepted.
Order of Notice ✓ gravel sidewalks both sides School St. Summer to Highland Ave.	The order of notice presented with the foregoing report, for a hearing for any desiring to object to the construction of gravel sidewalks, with edgestones on both sides of School street, from Summer street to Highland Avenue, which order

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is recorded in Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and construction, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, Vol. I. Page 5 was adopted.

The Committee on Highways on petition of Chas. E. Bardwell and others, for edgestones on Irving Street, reported recommending that gravel sidewalks with edgestones, on the northwesterly side of Irving Street, from Holland Street to Broadway and submitted an order of notice for a hearing.

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
Chas. E. Bardwell et al
Edgestones
Irving Street

The order of notice presented with the foregoing report, for a hearing for any desiring to object to the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the northwesterly side of Irving street, from Holland Street to Broadway, which order is recorded in Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville Vol. I Page 9 was adopted.

Order of Notice ✓
gravel sidewalks
northwest side
Irving Street

The Committee on Highways on petition of J. P. Palmer for permission to set a hitching post in front of his residence No. 250 Broadway and another in front of his estate No. 1, Montgomery Avenue, reported recommending that the petitions be granted.

Accepted

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
J. P. Palmer
Hitching Posts
Broadway & Montgomery Av.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorized and instructed to have flag-staffs erected at the High, the Prescott, the Bingham, the Cedar street the Prospect Hill and the O. S. Knapp schools, the expense to be charged to Schoolhouse Incidentals Account.

Order ✓
Com. on Public Property
erect flag-staffs
sundry schoolhouses

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Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.
Read twice and adopted by Common Council in concurrence Feby 13th.
Approved by Mayor Feby 14th

Order naming new school in Concord Square C. A. Knapp School

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.
Ordered
That the new School on Concord Square be and it is hereby named the "C. A. Knapp School"
Adopted and sent down for concurrence.
Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 13th
Approved by the Mayor Feby 14th

Order transfer from Expend. Deficiency to Horse Schoolhouse Addition Account

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order
Ordered
That the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to transfer from Expended Deficiency Account the sum of Four thousand nine hundred fifty one & 100 Dollars and place to the credit of Horse Schoolhouse Addition account, and the Committee on Public Property are hereby authorized to spend said amount in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated.
Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.
Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 13th.
Approved by the Mayor Feby 14th.

Report Comm. Printing proposals to print Annual Reports

The Committee on Printing in pursuance of an order dated January 6th, reported the following list of proposals received to print the Annual Reports of the City of the year 1889.

Names of Bidders	Per Page	Additional Copies	Estimated Aggregate
Robinson and Stephens	$ 1.85	$ 46.75	$ 781.20
Alfred Mudge & Son	1.79	68.75	779.98
J. A. Hayden & Co.	1.79	53.00	765.84

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and the committee recommended that the contract be awarded to J. O. Hayden & Co.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by Common Council Feby 13th.

Alderman Souther offered the following order

Order
Com. on Printing make contract print Annual Reports

Ordered.-

That the Committee on Printing be and is hereby authorized to make a contract with J. O. Hayden and Co., for the printing of the Annual Reports for the year 1889, at the prices named in their proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date the sum expended under said contract to be charged to Printing and Stationery Account, and the additional copies of the City Physicians report to be bound with the additional copies of the report of the Overseers of the Poor and not with the additional copies of the Board of Health.

Lead twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Lead twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 13th.

Approved by the Mayor Feby 14th.

Alderman Souther offered the following order

Order
Com. on Printing print unpublished ordinances in Annual Reports

Ordered.-

That the Committee on Printing be and is hereby authorized and instructed to have printed in the Annual Reports for the year 1889, all ordinances that have been passed since the publication of the Annual Reports for the year 1888. The expense to be charged to Printing and Stationery Account.

Lead twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Lead twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 13th.

Approved by Mayor Feby 14th.

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Order ✓ Com on Printing print reports on High Water Service in Annual Reports	Alderman Southern offered the following order Ordered: That the report of the Joint Special Committee on High Water Service be submitted to the Committee on Printing with instructions that the report be printed with the Annual Reports of the year 1889, as an appendix to the report of the City Engineer. Received its first reading, Amended by inserting after the words Joint Special Committee, the words, and the report of M. M. Tidd. As amended received its second reading and final passage. Sent down for concurrence. As amended adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 13th. Approved by the Mayor Feby 14th.
Report ✓ Com on Fire Department on part of Mayors Address relating to a new steam Fire Engine	The Committee on Fire Department, on so much of the Mayor's Inaugural Address as relates to a new steam fire engine, reported recommending that a steamer be purchased, and that the Committee on Finance be requested to make an appropriation for a steamer when providing for the Annual appropriations for the year. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence, by the Common Council Feby 13th.
Report ✓ Com. on Finance examinations of Treasurers' Accounts	The Committee on Finance to which was referred the annual report of the Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the year 1889, reported that the Committee has, in conjunction with the Auditor, examined the Treasurer's books and vouchers and compared them with the books of the Auditor and the statements received from the several committees, boards and officers, as required by ordinance, and that the Treasurer's report agrees with his books and vouchers and that his accounts are correct; also that the Treasurer's statement of cash on hand had

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been verified by an actual count of the money and inquiries at the banks of deposit, and the committee recommended that his report be accepted and printed with the Annual Reports,

signed Chas. G. Pope
Chas. H. Hemenway
Albert W. Edmands
Chas. B. Osgood
S. Loger Wentworth
Wm. E. Pulsifer
Isaac L. Webber
} Committee

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Accepted in concurrence by Common Council Feby 13th.

Alderman Edmands offered the following order.

Order

Common Water hire man to take time of men &c Watering Streets

Ordered.

That the Committee on Water be and is hereby authorized to employ some suitable person to take the time of men employed in street watering during the comming season, and to render such other assistance in the matter of street watering as the committee shall direct; the expense of the same to be charged to Watering Streets Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 13th.

Approved by the Mayor Feby 14th.

Alderman Kimball offered the following order

Order

City Engineer plan and estimate lawn in centre of Broadway

Ordered.

That the City Engineer be requested to prepare a plan and estimate of cost for laying out a lawn and planting trees in the centre of Broadway between Sargent Avenue and Cross Street.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

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Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 18.
Approved by the Mayor Feby 19th.

Report Joint Special Com. on part of Mayor's Address concerning election of Water Board

The report of the Joint Special Committee on that part of the Mayor's Inaugural Address which relates to the election of the Water Board, which was presented Jany 22nd and recorded on page 416, action upon which was lost, passed until this evening, was taken up for consideration and was

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 18th

Order petition for amendment of Charter in relation to election of the Water Board

The order offered January 22nd with the report last mentioned (concerning the election of the Water Board) words which is recorded on page 416) was taken up for consideration

Alderman Converse moved to amend by substituting an order for a petition to amend the charter that five persons shall constitute the Water Board and be elected in convention of the City Council, - one for three years, two for two years, and two for one year, and thereafter each for three years as their several terms shall expire, -

The Amendment was lost

Amended by striking out the words "City Council by concurrent vote," in two places, and by substituting therefor in each place, the words "Board of Aldermen." As amended adopted and sent down for concurrence. (see page 443)

Order amending rules and orders of the Board of Aldermen

Alderman Converse offered the following order

Ordered, -

That Article III of the Rules and Orders of the Board of Aldermen be and it is hereby amended by adding thereto the following, -

Section 6. - Action on all appointments made by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the Board of Aldermen, shall be deferred until the next regular meeting after their presentation to this board.

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Said and action postponed until the next regular meeting.

On motion of Alderman Conversett was voted that when the board adjourns it adjourn until Thursday, the 27 inst. at 8 P.M.

Adjourned.

Attest.

George F. Vincent
Clerk.

Special meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville February 19 1890 8 P.M.

His honor, Mayor Pope, presiding.

Resignation Edwin A. Wilcox Councilman from Ward One

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Received from the Common Council the resignation of Edwin A. Wilcox, as a member of the Common Council, from Ward One endorsed.

In Common Council Feby 19 1890

Resignation accepted. Sent up for information.

In Board of Aldermen Feby 19, 1890

Read for information.

Invitation W. C. Kinsley Post G.A.R. to flag presentation Feby 22nd

Invitation W. C. Kinsley Post, No 139 G.A.R. to the Mayor and City Council to be present at the flag presentation at the M. E. Church on Row St. Feby 22, at 10 A.M.

Read and sent down for information

Read for information in Common Council Feby 19th

Invitation School Committee to flag presentation Feby 22nd

Invitation from Dr. A. H. Carvill, Chairman of the Committee of arrangements of the School Committee, to attend the flag presentation at the M. E. Church on Row Street, Feby 22, at 10 A.M.

Read and sent down for information.

Read for information in Common Council Feby 19th

Petition Charles Starkes licence to cry his calling

Received a petition from Charles Starkes for a license to cry his calling of a Cooper and Solderer, in the streets of the City.

approved by the Chief of Police

License granted

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Received petitions for licenses to ring a bell in the streets, in the pursuit of their calling of Scissors Grinders from Antonio Kreuno, 305 North Street, Boston, Giorolomo Gioci, 41 Fleet " " both approved by the Chief of Police. License granted.

Petitions ✓ sundry Scissors Grinders licenses to ring bells in streets.

Received petitions for licenses to sell newspapers each signed by a parent of the proposed licensee, for

J. Harry Cromwell	156 Washington St.	Aged	12 years
Clarence W. Dowling	278 Elm "	"	12 "
Wm Emerson Dunlap	154 Washington "	"	12 "
Ronald M. Dupee	307 Elm "	"	12 "
Louis E. Felch	9 Montrose "	"	11 "
Thomas F. Larkin	3 Tremont "	"	17 "
Edward E. Moore	50 Franklin "	"	13 "

all approved by the Chief of Police. License granted.

Petitions ✓ license to sell newspapers sundry minors.

Received a petition from Harry Wilson, 58 Park St. Woburn, for a license to give a dramatic entertainment in Lacon Hall, Tuesday evening, February 18th. recommended by the Chief of Police. approved by the Mayor. license issued Feby 14th by the City Clerk. Issuing of license approved.

Petition ✓ Harry Wilson license for entertainment.

Received a petition from C. B. Hernandez, Chambers St. Boston, for a license to give an exhibition of Magic and Ventriloquism in Clarendon Hall, Thursday evening, February 20th. recommended by the Chief of Police. License granted.

Petition ✓ C. B. Hernandez license for entertainment.

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Petition ✓ N.E. Dressed Meat & Wool Co. for permission to carry on its business Medford Street	Received a petition from the New Eng. and Dressed Meat & Wool Company, by N. E. Hollis, representing that it is a corporation duly organized by law for the purpose of slaughtering live stock and selling and dealing in the dressed meat and other parts of the same, also pulling wool and buying and selling and dealing in wools, and manufacturing into salable form and substance, and dealing in the other products of said slaughtering business; that it has purchased land on the westerly side of Medford Street at its junction with the Fitchburg Railroad, and praying for permission to carry on said business on and about said premises and in buildings to be erected therein. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Petition ✓ Syman B. Rich et al. Sidewalks Medford St.	Received a petition from Syman B. Rich and others for brick sidewalks on the northerly side of Medford Street, from Stickney Building to Central Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ I. A. Whitcomb sidewalk Broadway	Received a petition from I. A. Whitcomb and others for a brick sidewalk on the southerly side of Broadway from School Street to Sycamore Street, not to exceed 8 feet 6 inches in width. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ Sprague & Cathaway Driveway rear of Elm & Day Sts.	Received a petition from Sprague & Cathaway for a driveway in the rear of their building at the corner of Elm and Day Streets. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 19th.
Petition ✓ Henry W. Pitman crossing	Received a petition from Henry W. Pitman for a crossing on the southerly side of Columbus Avenue, at its junction with Warren Ave.

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Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. — Columbus Ave.

Reference concurred in by Common Council, Feby 19th

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order — Order revoking licenses to sell newspapers

Ordered:

That the licenses to sell newspapers, which have been granted to Dares O. Hall and Homer V. Hall, be and the same are hereby revoked, the said licensees having moved from the city, and surrendered their badges.

Adopted.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order — Order requesting Mayor to have bells rung and flags raised Washington's Birthday

Ordered:

That his honor, the Mayor, be and he is hereby requested to cause the bells of the city to be rung and if practicable, the flags displayed, in the coming anniversary of Washington's Birthday; the expense incurred to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence.

Received from the Common Council the order offered January 22nd concerning a proposed amendment to the City Charter to provide for the appointment instead of election of the Water Board, which order was amended and adopted by this board at the last meeting (see page 438), endorsed by the Common Council under date of Feby 13th to the following effect:— — Order Mayor petition for amendment of Charter concerning choosing of Water Board.

Amendments by the Board of Aldermen non concurred in.

Amended so as to provide for a board of five members to be appointed by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the City Council in joint convention, — one member for three years, two members for two years, and two members for one year, and their successors to be appointed in the

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same manner for three years as the terms of those first appointed expire. Sent up for concurrence.

Action by the Board of Aldermen was taken this Feby 19th as follows:-

Amendments by Common Council non-concurred in.

Voted that the Common Council be requested to appoint a committee of conference to confer with a similar committee to be appointed by the Mayor from this branch.

Aldermen Hemenway, Kimball and Nickerson appointed as such last named committee.

Action by the Common Council this Feby 19th was taken as follows:

Committee of Conference appointed in concurrence. Councilmen Wentworth, Dickerman & Webber appointed on the part of this branch. Sent up for information.

Report Com on Conference

The Committees of conference, appointed as above stated, reported recommending that the order as originally offered be adopted.

Report accepted by the Board of Aldermen.

Report rejected by the Common Council.

Order as originally offered adopted by the Board of Aldermen, in pursuance of the report of the Committee of Conference.

Order as originally offered rejected by the Common Council.

Order Amendment to Charter Election of Water Board

Received from the Council the following order.

In Common Council Feby 19 1896

Ordered:

That the Mayor be and he is hereby requested and authorized to petition the Legislature to so amend the charter of the City, that the City Council elected in December in the year eighteen hundred and ninety, shall as soon after their organization as may convenient, elect by joint ballot in convention five persons to be the Somerville Mystic Water Board, one for three years,

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two for two years, and two for one year, and thereafter the City Council shall annually as soon after their organization as may be convenient, elect in the same manner, one person for each expired term, who shall hold his office for the three years next ensuing, and until another shall be elected and qualified in his stead. Vacancies occurring in the Board may be filled by joint ballot of the City Council at any time, the member so elected to hold office only for the unexpired term of the member who has ceased to hold office

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Received its first reading. Amended as follows, That the board shall consist of one member from each ward and one member at large. As amended adopted and sent up for concurrence.

In Board of Aldermen Feby 19 1890

Non-concurred in. Sent down for information.

In Common Council Feby 19, 1890

Voted, That a Committee of Conference be appointed to confer with a similar committee from the Board of Aldermen. Councilmen Dickerman, Willey and Butters appointed on the part of this branch. Sent up for concurrence.

In Board of Aldermen Feby 19 1890

Accede to request for Committee of Conference, and Aldermen Hemenway, Kimball and Nickerson appointed as such committee on the part of this branch.

Report Com. on Conference

The Committee of Conference, appointed upon the foregoing order, reported that the following ought to be, viz: That the Mayor be and he is authorized to petition the Legislature to so amend the City Charter that the Somerville Water Board shall consist of five members to be appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council by concurrent vote, - who shall hold their office, one for three years, two for two years and two for one year and thereafter the mayor shall annually appoint and the city council con-

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from in the same manner one person for each expired term who shall hold his office for three years next ensuing and until another shall be appointed and confirmed in his stead.

In Common Council, Feby 19 1890.

Report accepted. Sent up for concurrence.

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Accepted in concurrence

Order ✓ Com on Highways sell manure & Junk.

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Highways be and is hereby authorized to sell manure or junk which may accumulate during the year; the proceeds to be credited to the appropriations for Highways.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 19th

Aproved by the Mayor Feby 24th

Adjourned.

Attest

George S. Vincent
Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting of Board of Aldermen
Feby 27, 1896

His Honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edwards, Kimball, Hammaway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present

Records read and approved.

Received from the City Council, the following order:
City of Somerville
In Common Council, Feby 13th 1896

Ordered:-
That the Committee on Highways ascertain and report to the City Council, as soon as possible,
1st. Whether or not the portion of the streets included within the side of the horse tracks located upon Somerville Avenue, Elm, Holland and Washington Streets, is now in repair and proper condition; and also whether or not the same is kept in repair by the City of Somerville.
2nd. Whether or not the sidewalks of eighteen inches on each side of that portion of the street occupied by said tracks is now in proper repair and condition.
3rd. Whether or not the said sidewalks are of a uniform width throughout and if so to what width.

(Signed) S. Roger Wentworth
In Common Council, Feb. 13, 1896

Received its first reading. Amended by striking out the words Somerville Avenue, Elm, Holland and Washington Streets and substituting therefore the words "any street or avenue of the City". As amended adopted and sent up for concurrence.

Chas. S. Robertson, Clerk

In Board of Aldermen
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As amended by the Common Council adopted in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor March 4th

Appointments

The Mayor made the following appointments, subject to confirmation by the Board of Aldermen.

Pound Keeper

Charles A. Small

Field Drivers

George H. Carleton, Jacob W. Skinner
George W. Bean, John G. Knight
John E. Fuller, Charles S. Ellis
Charles S. Thatcher, Stephen S. Smith
George A. Hodge

Fence Viewers

Charles A. Pearson, Adoniram J. Taylor

Measurer of Wood and Bark

Samuel T. Littlefield

Appointments confirmed

Appointment
Jesse J. Underhill
to inter bodies of soldiers
under Chap. 395 Acts of 1889

The Mayor appointed Jesse J. Underhill, to serve without compensation, under the provisions of Chapter 395 of the Acts of 1889, and whose duty it shall be, under regulations established by the Commissioner of State and Military Aid, to cause to be properly interred the body of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine who served in the army or navy of the United States during the late war and who may hereafter die in this city, without leaving sufficient means to defray funeral expenses.

Appointment
Special Police
without pay

The Mayor appointed subject to confirmation by the Board of Aldermen

Thomas F. Leahey

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a Special Police, without pay.
Appointment confirmed.

Received from the School Committee a request for the erection of a flag-staff on the Lincoln School.
Granted. Sent down for concurrence.
Granted in concurrence by Common Council Feby 27th.

Request School Committee flag-staff Lincoln School

Received from the School Committee, requests, 1st that four rooms be added to the Highland School, if practicable, or if not, that a four room building be erected on the school-lot on Elm street.
2nd That the lot at the head of Columbus Avenue, known as the Clark lot, be purchased and a twelve room building erected thereon as soon as possible.
3rd That a site be selected for an English High School and plans be procured this year, that its construction may be commenced early in 1891, with a view to its completion that year.
4th That if additions be made to the Highland School the building be provided with the best modern system of heating and ventilation and that the contractors be bonded to have these additions completed and ready for use at the beginning of the next school year.
Referred to Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence.
Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 27th.

Requests School Committee Additional schoolhouses

Received a notice from the Harbor and Sand Commissioners, of a hearing before that board this 27th inst, at 10.30 A.M. on the application of the North Packing and Provision Company, for license to build a wharf and well (wall) in tide water of Miller's River.
Read for information.

Notice Harbor & Sand Com North Packing & Provision Co Wharf & Wall, Miller's River

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Application ✓ John Byrnes permit build shed for horse Thorndike St.	Received from John Byrnes, an application for a permit to build a one story shed in which to keep a horse, on Thorndike Street. dissapproved by the Inspector of Buildings Permit refused.
Petition ✓ Geo E Dunn permit cry goods in streets	Received a petition for a permit to cry his goods in the streets, from George E Dunn, Belmont Street, Watertown. approved by the Chief of Police License granted.
Petitions ✓ sundry minors licenses sell newspapers	Received petitions, each signed by a parent or guardian of the proposed licensee, for licenses to sell newspapers, under the provisions of ordinance No 43, for the following named minors,— Herbert C Cathcart, 15 Morgan street, aged 12 years Arthur L. Hale, cor Park & Beacon Sts " 16 " Edward Mack, 216 Som Ave " 11 " Wesly A. Maynard, Forster Street " 15 " Charles F. Maxwell, 102 Sinwood " 13 " Joseph Phillips, Charlestown " 11 " all approved by the Chief of Police Licenses granted.
Petition ✓ Emeline P. Sherman Common Victualler's License 10 Webster Ave.	Received a petition from Emeline P. Sherman, for a Common Victualler's license at No 10 Webster Avenue Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Petition ✓ Oliver W. Ingalls et al sewer Sycamore St.	Received a petition from Oliver W Ingalls, and others, for a sewer in Sycamore Street Referred to Committee on Sewers.
Petition ✓ Homer C. Holt Catch-basins	Received a petition from Homer C. Holt, for a catch-basins at the corner of Wyatt and Cook Streets and at the corner of Cook and Marion Streets

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Referred to Committee on Licenses	Hyatt, Cook & Hanson Sts.
Received a petition from W. K. Fletcher, that the tree standing on the southwesterly side of Medford Street, in the middle of the entrance to Lee Street, be cut down and removed, as it is an obstruction to public travel. Referred to Committee on Highways.	Petition W. K. Fletcher removal of tree Medford St. at Lee St.
Received a petition from George A. Rugg, for permission to set a hitching post in front of his residence on Vernon St. near Bartlett Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.	Petition George A. Rugg permit set hitching post Vernon Street
Received a petition from the Assessors, the Treasurer and Collector of Taxes and the Registrars of Voters, praying that, for the purpose of facilitating the assessment and collection of taxes and the registration of Voters, measures be taken to insure the immediate numbering of all streets, courts, lanes and places in the city not already numbered, and the placing of the proper numbers on all buildings, and suggesting that the City Engineer, or some other agent of the city, be instructed to place some kind of a number on every building for which a number has been or shall be provided by the Board of Aldermen. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 27th.	Petition Assessors, Treasurer and Registrars of Voters numbering of streets
Received a petition from John McArthur and others for a crossing on South side of Morrison street across Grove street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 27th.	Petition John McArthur et al Crossing Morrison St. at Grove Street

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Petition ✓ Chas H. Ramsdell et al. Crossing Pearl St. at Aldrich St.	Received a petition from Charles H. Ramsdell and others, for a street crossing on Pearl Street from Aldrich St. to Dana Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 27th.
Petition ✓ Board of Assessors increase of salary + appn for street clerks	Received a petition from the Board of Assessors, that an appropriation of two hundred dollars be made for the pay of the Assessors' street clerks for the current year, also that a salary of $800.00 for the current year be paid to each of the principal assessors. Referred to Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Feby 27th.
Notice ✓ Bridget Condon claim for damages for injuries received on Beacon Street	Received a petition from Bridget Condon, by her Attorney William Dickson, of her claim for compensation on account of injuries received by striking her foot against the root of a tree and falling on the sidewalk in front of No 41 Beacon Street, at about six o'clock in the evening of the 30th day of January last. Referred to Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 27th.
Order ✓ granting Building Permits	Order granting Building Permits. Ordered— That upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave, if necessary to encumber such portions of the Street and Sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition,

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however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Add or Alteration	Street
Alvin Kennedy	A. Kennedy	wooden dwelling		Harrison
Chas. S. Roach	J. Sullivan	" "		"
J. W. Connor	J. W. Connor	" "		Scene
Chas. C. Bartlett	C. C. Bartlett	" "	+ stable (4 horses)	Quincy
Wm. K. Fletcher	A. S. Fletcher	" "		Sue
Gillis Bros	M. J. Devine	" "		Durham
Mrs Robinson	J. B. Sambert	" "		Kidder Ave.
Wm. Iliffe	Hugh Barnes	" "		Medford
Sylvester Woods	Catharine Shea	" "		Meriam
Israel P. Rice	I. P. Rice	2 "		Tufts
Chas. H. Sulis	C. H. Sulis	2 "		Derby
Alonzo Bowers	J. G. Morrison	addition of corner + bay windows		85 Glen
John W. Brooks	Mrs Dee		S - 2 stories	Buckingham
Ephraim C. Smith	E. C. Smith	stable	(2 horses)	Thurston
Michael Elston	Annie Elston	wooden dwelling		Green

Adopted.

Alderman Edmands offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That the four accompanying warrants, for the election, in ward one, on the first day of April next, of a Common Councilman to fill the vacancy in the Common Council caused by the resignation of Edwin A. Wilcox, be and they are hereby adopted, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to deliver said warrants to any Constable of Somerville for service and return as required by law; the publication required by Ordinance No. 3, to be made in the Somerville Journal and Somerville Citizen.

Adopted.

Order adopting warrants election Councilman Ward One

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Warrant for Election Ward 1, Precinct 1

Election Warrant, for Ward One Precinct One
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 No. One, Precinct One qualified to vote as the law directs, to assemble at the Ward Room in the Prescott Schoolhouse on Pearl street on Tuesday, the first day of April A.D. 1890 at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and from that time until five o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to give in their ballots for a

Common Councilman, who shall at the time of his election be a resident of said ward, to fill the vacancy in the Common Council caused by the resignation of Edwin A. Wilcox.

The polls for the choice of the said Common Councilman will be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon and closed at five o'clock in the afternoon.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon.

Witness Charles G. Pope, Mayor of our said City of Somerville on this twenty-seventh day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

George I. Vincent,
City Clerk.

Warrant for Election Ward 1, Precinct 2

Election Warrant for Ward One, Precinct Two

This warrant is a copy of that for Ward One Precinct One except in the number of the precinct, and the location of the polling place, which latter is as follows a room in the southerly side of the basement of the Edgerly Schoolhouse on Lowell street, (there being no convenient polling place which can be obtained within the territorial limits of said precinct.)

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Election Warrant for Ward One Precinct Three

This warrant is a copy of that for Ward One Precinct One, except in the number of the precinct, and in the location of the polling place, which latter is as follows,- a room in the Davis Schoolhouse on Tufts Street.

Warrant for Election Ward One Precinct 3

Election Warrant for Ward One Precinct Four

This warrant is a copy of that for Ward One Precinct One, except in the number of the precinct, and in the location of the polling place, which latter is as follows,- a room in the Jackson Schoolhouse on Maple Street.

Warrant for Election Ward 1, Precinct 4

The Committee on Licenses on petition of the New England Dressed Meat and Wool Company, for permission to carry on slaughtering, manufacturing &c on premises purchased by said company on Medford Street, at its junction with the Fitchburg Railroad, reported the following order

Accepted

Report from on Licenses N. E. Dressed Meat & Wool Co permission to do business

The order presented with the foregoing report is as follows,-

Ordered:-

That in the matter of the petition of the New England Dressed Meat and Wool Co, for permission to carry on slaughtering, manufacturing and other business, as represented and set forth in said petition, on premises purchased by said company on the westerly side of Medford street at its junction with the Fitchburg Railroad, a hearing be given before this board to all persons interested and desiring to be heard, at a meeting of this board to be held at its rooms in the City Hall, at eight o'clock P.M. Wednesday March 18th 1896, and that notice of said hearing be given by publication in two issues of each of the three Somerville newspapers, the expense to be charged to Miscellaneous Account

Order Hearing on petition N. E. Dressed Meat & Wool Co permission to do business

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Adopted

Order ✓
Com on Sewers
approved bill J. F. & H. S. Bacon
Abatement Sewer Assmt
Hanson St.

Alderman Homeway offered the following order
Ordered
That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to approve, in pay-roll of Sewers, a bill of John F. and Harry S. Bacon, for nine and 68/100 dollars ($9.68) the same being the amount of an abatement made to said John F. and Harry S. Bacon by the Board of Aldermen January 3, 1890 on their assessment for the sewer in Hanson Street constructed in 1889.
Read twice and adopted.
Approved by the Mayor, March 4th

Report ✓
Com on Sewers
Thos McGrath et al
Sewer
Kent Court

The Committee on Sewers on petition of Thomas McGrath and others, for a sewer in Kent Court, a private way, presented a favorable report for the taking of land necessary for the purposes of said sewer, as recorded in Records of Sewers, Taking of Land and Construction, of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Somerville, Volume 1 Page 1.
Accepted

Order of Notice ✓
land for sewer
Kent Court

Accompanying the foregoing report was an order of notice for a hearing on the taking of land for the purposes of a sewer in Kent Court, as recorded in said Records of Sewers, Taking of Land and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, Volume 1, Page 2.
Adopted

Report ✓
Com on Highways
brick sidewalks
Broadway
Marshall to School St.

The Committee on Highways, on an order of Oct 28th 1889, for a brick sidewalk on the southwesterly side of Broadway, from Marshall street to School street, fifteen feet in width, reported an order of notice for a hearing on the construction of a sidewalk as stated, except that

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its width between Marshall street and the westerly line of the estate owned by Maria P. Anderson shall be eight and 6/12 feet instead of fifteen feet.
Accepted

Accompanying the foregoing report was an order of notice for a hearing on the construction of a brick sidewalk on the south westerly side of Broadway from School Street to Marshall Street, as recorded in Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville Volume [illegible] Page 13.
Adopted.

Order of Notice
Brick Sidewalk
Broadway
Marshall to School St.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of J. A. Whitcomb and others for a brick sidewalk on the southerly side of Broadway, from School Street to Sycamore Street, not to exceed eight feet six inches in width, reported an order of notice for a hearing.
Accepted

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
J. A. Whitcomb et al
Brick Sidewalk
Broadway
School to Sycamore St.

Accompanying the foregoing report was an order of notice for a hearing on the construction of a brick sidewalk on the southerly side of Broadway from School Street to Sycamore Street, as recorded in Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville Volume [illegible] Page 17.
Adopted.

Order of Notice
Brick Sidewalk
Broadway
School to Sycamore St.

The Committee on Highways, on petition of John H. Brine and others, for edgestones on the southerly side of Columbus Avenue, from Walnut Street to the easterly end of said Avenue, and on the westerly side of Bonner Avenue from Columbus Avenue to Washington Street, reported that edgestones are already set to the easterly end of the estate of Carlisle H. Bushman, and submitted orders of notice for hearings.

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
John H. Brine et al
edgestones
south side Columbus Ave
west side Bonner Ave

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Adopted

Order of Notice gravel sidewalk south side of Columbus Ave

Accompanying the foregoing report was an order of notice for a hearing on the construction of a gravel sidewalk with edgestones, on the southerly side of Columbus Avenue, from the easterly line of the estate of Carlisle H. Bushman, to the easterly ends of said avenue, as recorded in Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville, Volume 1 Page 21.

Adopted

Order of Notice gravel sidewalk west side Homer Ave

Accompanying the last named report was also an order of notice for a hearing on the construction of a gravel sidewalk with edgestones, on the westerly side of Homer Avenue, from Washington street to Columbus Avenue, as recorded in Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Constructions of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, Volume 1, Page 25.

Adopted

Report Com on Highways Lyman B. Rich et al brick sidewalk Medford St Stickney Bldg to Central St

The Committee on Highways, on petition of Lyman B. Rich and others, for a brick sidewalk on Medford Street from the Stickney Building to Central Street, reported an order of notice for a hearing.

Accepted

Order of Notice brick sidewalk Medford St Stickney Bldg to Central St

Accompanying the foregoing report was an order of notice for a hearing on the construction of a brick sidewalk, with edgestone, on the northerly side of Medford St from the Stickney Building to Central Street, as recorded in Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, Volume 1, Page 29

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The Committee on Highways on petition of Sears Condit for a gravel sidewalk with edgestones, on the easterly side of Chester Avenue from Medford Street to a point at or near the old rangeway, recommended leave to withdraw —	Report Com on Highways Sears Condit edgestones east side Chester Ave
Accepted and sent down for concurrence.	
Reference concurred in by Common Council Feby 27th	
The Committee on Highways, on an order dated January 22nd, to raise the grade of the sidewalk on the southeast side of Cedar Street, from Summer Street southwesterly, in front of the estate of William H. Armstrong, reported that the grade has been changed as instructed in said order	Report Com on Highways raise grade sidewalk Cedar St cor Summer St at Wm H Armstrong's
Accepted and sent down for concurrence.	
Accepted in concurrence by Common Council Feby 27th.	
The Committee on Highways, on the petition of George H. Derby and others, for the laying out of Oxford Street from School Street to Central Street, under the betterment law, recommended leave to withdraw.	Report Com on Highways Geo H Derby et al laying out of Oxford Street under betterment law
Accepted and sent down for concurrence.	
Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 27th.	
Alderman Converse offered the following order.	Order Com on Fire Department
Ordered, — That the Committee on Fire Department be and hereby is authorized to exchange an old hose reel, carriage for a two horse fuel wagon, at a cost not to exceed fifty five dollars, and to be charged to Fire Department Account.	exchange old hose reel carriage for fuel wagon
Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.	
Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 27th	

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Order
Com on Public Property
place flagstaff
Lincoln School

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order
Ordered:-
That the Committee on Public Property be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to place a suitable flagstaff upon the Lincoln Schoolhouse, the expense to be charged to Schoolhouse Incidentals Account.
Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.
Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 27th
Approved by the Mayor March 4th

Order
Com on Public Property
consider matter of
adding 4 rooms Highland Sch.
erecting 4 room bldg Elm St.
& 12 room bldg on Clark lot
Columbus Avenue

Alderman Kimball offered the following order
Ordered:-
That the Committee on Public Property consider the matter of adding four rooms to the Highland School or the building of a four room building on Elm Street, and the erection of a twelve room school building on the Clark lot,- all as recommended by the School Committee,- and report their findings to the City Council.
Adopted and sent down for concurrence.
Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Feby 27th
Approved by Mayor March 4th

Order
to amend rulers orders
Board of Alderman
on confirmation of
appointments

On the order offered by Alderman Converse Feby 12th to amend the rules and orders of the board in the matter of acting on the confirmation of appointments,- action on which was postponed until this meeting,- on motion of Alderman Converse action was again postponed until the next regular meeting.

Adjourned

Attest

George F. Vincent Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville March 12th 1890, 8.15 P.M.

President Hemenway presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Aldermen Edmands offered the following order, 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 thousand dollars for a term not exceeding eight months, and the treasurer is hereby authorized under the direction of said committee to give a note or notes of the city therefore payable from the moneys collected for said taxes, to be approved by the Mayor.

Received its first reading and, under a supervision of the rules, its second reading and its final passage by a unanimous yea and nay vote. Sent down for concurrence.

Received in Common Council, March 13th, its first reading and under a suspension of the rules its second reading and final passage by unanimous yea and nay vote in concurrence.

Presented to the Mayor and approved by him March 13th 1890.

Order borrow $100,000.000 for current expenses in anticipation of taxes.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

In pursuance of an order passed Feby 27th, notice having been given, as therein directed, by publication in the last two issues of each of the three Somerville newspapers

Hearing N. E. Dressed Meat & Wool Co. license to do business

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Medford St. & F.R.R.

a hearing was given on the petition of the New England Dressed Meat and Wool Company, for permission to carry on its business of slaughtering live stock and selling and dealing in the dressed meat and other parts of the same, also fulling wools and buying, selling and dealing in the skins and wools, and manufacturing into salable form and substances and dealing in the other products of said slaughtering business on and about the premises recently purchased by said company, on the westerly side of Medford Street at its junction with the Fitchburg Railroad, in this city.

Hon. George A. Bruce appeared as Attorney for the petitioners and Oren S. Knapp Esq. as attorney for the remonstrants. Mr. Bruce introduced Mr. N. E. Hollis and Mr. Swift, both directors of the corporation making the petition.

Mr. Hollis said the New England Dressed Meat and wool Company was organized in August last with a capital of $400,000,= and bought out the Hollis Dressed Meat and Wool Company, some of the stockholders of the present company having been owners in the old company. This business is now carried on in Brighton at four different points about one third of a mile apart, and it is desirable that all be concentrated at one convenient point. It is proposed to erect a building about 100 feet wide and 475 feet deep, near the middle of which in a space about 50 feet square, and distant about 400 feet from Medford Street and 600 feet from Somerville Avenue, the sheep will be slaughtered.

Separated from this building by an avenue about 30 feet wide will be another building for the fulling of wool, about 70 feet wide and 475 feet deep. No solids will be allowed to enter the sewer, but traps will be placed in the drains to catch any small pieces, and all gases will be burned. The Company now employs 212 men at an average weekly pay of $10.76. Beginners receive $1.50 per day, thinks not more than a dozen are now receiving less than $2.00 per day. A man must be an expert to resort wool. Will employ from 200 to 250 men. All refuse will be

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immediately cooked and made into into fertilizer. Floors to be washed daily; refrigerator once a week with soda and water; cleanliness a part of their advertisements saw dust is put on the floors. Never has heard any complaint of odors outside the slaughter house at Brighton. Nothing offensive in the air from the rendering. Make a nice oil to ship across the water, for butter, which would be spoiled by bad odors. Never heard any complaint from Brighton Abattoir. A hill near it has recently been built up with houses costing from $4000 to $6000 or $8000. There is a time in the year when the company slaughters calves as well as sheep.

Mr Swift, another of the directors in the petitioning company, and a member of the firm of Swift & Co. pork packers of Chicago, Kansas City, Newark and other points said a minimum of offensive odors exists at the stock yards of Chicago but there should not be any. Some to save expense do business without proper appliances. It is practicable to slaughter sheep and hogs without a nuisance, and it is done. A machine is owned by Swift & Co. for converting the grease &c in the tankage into fertilizer, so that what is sent into the sewer is as clear as distilled water, - clearer than the majority of drinking water. The land bought by the company in Somerville has cost $70.000.00 which he considered cheap, and the buildings will cost about the same. Will not slaughter hogs; cannot if they want to in this plant. A person passing on either street would know the nature of the business so far as he could see or smell. The packing houses in New York are near one of the principal entrances to Central Park; never has heard of complaint against them. In Philadelphia some of the best residences have been built near the packing houses. Complaint was made in Chicago a year or two ago of odors from the packing houses, which are all close together, being separated only by twenty-feet alleys. A test was made of the

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Swift's by climbing to the top of the chimney and swing a wet sponge and a silk handkerchief, but the Health authorities said they must seek further for the cause of the complaint.

Mr Swift read a letter from Health Inspector Blapke of Chicago, dated Nov 1849 complimenting his firm on the manner in which their business was conducted. Mr Swift said the letter came unsolicited. The Company here will do anything reasonable that the Board of Health wants and solicits inspection. Would not consent to the limiting of the petition to the slaughtering of sheep and calves only. Occasionally during a small part of the year, a shipper might send a head or two of cattle in a mixed carload of animals, and they would not want to be debarred from slaughtering them as an accommodation to a customer. They did not intend or wish to slaughter beef here, as it could not be done profitably. The Swift firm is largely interested in the North Packing and Provision Co. That company will expend $150,000 to $200,000 on its works, in improving the sewerage, making a new refrigerator to be used without ice, which will cost $75,000.00, providing a machine to utilize the leakage, at a cost of $7000.00 or more, arranging to save suet, fat and other substances as are now dropped on the floor &c.

Thinks there will be 90 % less odor, in every way, from the North premises after the improvements are completed than now. There will be very much less odor from the sheep plant than from a livery stable. Mr Frank J. Wellington, Chairman of the Board of Health, asked Mr Swift if he was aware that complaint had recently been made that the smoke and gases from the chimney of the Swift plant in Brightwood near Springfield, settled down on the neighborhood and there remained an entire day. Mr Swift said that he was not aware of it, but he himself had complained of the inefficient manner in which the superintendent of the works near Springfield had managed them. This man had been a provision dealer but was not

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experienced in running such a business as theirs. Other incompetent men had also been employed there. There is no odor from curring sheepskins or from pulling wool. 50,000 animals and upwards, per week, are slaughtered at the Swift's work in Chicago. Mr Wellington also questioned Mr Swift as to the manner of disposing of the gases at their works near Springfield, but Mr Swift called on their expert, Mr _____ to answer.

Mr _____ an expert in the employ of Swift & Co. explained the method of burning the gases at the works near Springfield and thought it effectual. The method consisted in introducing the gases into a separate back of the fire into which the flames from over the fire passed licking up the gases. Mr Wellington questioned if, by this method, some of the gases did not escape unconsumed, and asked if a more effectual method would not be to introduce the gases under the fire, into which they might pass and be consumed, provided the moisture from the gases would not deaden the fire, and he asked too if the firm was not considering a method different from that now employed. Mr _____ said they were considering suggestions upon this matter but the present method destroyed the gases. Mr Bruce, as a citizen as well as the attorney for the petitioner favored the petition because he thought no additional nuisance would be introduced and the taxable property would be increased.

Charles A. Cushman, Superintendent of the works of the North Packing and Provision Company, spoke of the improvements which are being made therein, and of the remarkably cleanly manner in which the Swift works at Chicago and other places, which he had carefully examined, were managed.

Mess. Walter C. Kuntzer, John Kelley and John McCarty also favored the petition. Mr Kelley claiming that it was perfectly practicable to burn the gases.

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Remonstrance ✓ L. A. Vinal & others against granting petition A. E. Reversed Meat & Wool Co. license to do business Medford St & F. R. R.

Orin S. Knapp Esq. Counsel for the remonstrants, presented a remonstrance against the granting of the petition signed by Quincy A. Vinal and about one hundred and twenty five others. Mr Knapp also remonstrated because of the additional nuisance he believed this plant would be notwithstanding the statements by the petitioners, both by the rendering odors from the chimney and the gases generating in the sewers from the impurities turned into them from these works, which gases, when the mouth of the main sewer is closed, as it always is at high tide, are attempting to force their way into our houses, especially on the hills.

Ex. Mayor Mark F. Burns, objected to the granting of the petition. His section, East Somerville, had suffered many years from the odors of the present pork factories, and did not want the nuisance added to.

He thought the business of slaughtering and rendering could not be carried on without emitting bad odors, though he had no doubt every measure to ensure cleanliness would be adopted. He thought the granting of the petition a matter for serious consideration, as the business if established, would grow to much larger proportions and pass into other hands in the course of time. Ours is a city of homes and such a business as this must be detrimental. As to the financial feature he thought the city would not be the gainer, as the additional taxes would not compensate for the increased expense for schools, support of poor, and other items.

Ex. Alderman George O. Hemyss, also objected and suggested that this petition be not granted until it be ascertained how successful the new North Company will be in abating the nuisance there, by means of the improvements now being introduced.

John F. Nickerson, representing property valued at $150,000.00 George O. Haven, who also represented a large amount of property and thought it would be depreciated 25 per cent if this bus-

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iness be established here, Milo Crane, Ex Alderman E. G. Park, Sylvester L. Briggs, Ex Alderman and Ex Representative Levi F. S. Davis, and Ex Alderman Hiram G. Janvrin and F. O. Titus also appeared and remonstrated against the granting of the petitions.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, Mess Knapp and Bruce made brief arguments and the hearing was closed.

On motion of Alderman Kimball it was voted that the matter be recommitted to the Committee on Licenses.

Received a communication from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, recommending that James E. Norton be discharged from Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, for neglect of duty, he having gone to Mexico without applying for leave of absence or offering to furnish a substitute.

Recommendation Chief Eng. Fire Dept. Discharge

Discharge as recommended, made by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Received the report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department for the month of February.

Read and sent down for information

Read in Common Council, for information March 10th.

Report ✓ Chief of Fire Department February

Received the report of the Chief of Police for the month of February.

Read and sent down for information

Read for information in Common Council March 10th.

Report ✓ Chief of Police February

Received a petition from the Somerville Catholic Lyceum by J. B. McDonnell, for a license to give a sacred Concert in Eberle Hall, Sunday evening March 16th approved by the Chief of Police.

Licenses granted

Petition ✓ Som. Catholic Lyceum Sacred Concert

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Petition ✓ Daniel P. Howe 6th Class Liquor License 55 Elm Street	Received a petition from Daniel P. Howe, a registered pharmacist, for a sixth liquor license at his apothecary store No. 55 Elm Street at the corner of Cedar Street, in the front room on the first floor. Referred to Committee on Licenses
Petition ✓ M. F. Fitzsimmons et al sewer in Bunting St.	Received a petition from Matthew F. Fitzsimmons and others for a sewer in Bunting Street. Referred to Committee on Sewers.
Petition ✓ John Kneeland permit to blast rock Tufts Land Willow Ave. + Elm Street	Received a petition from John Kneeland for permission to blast rock for the purpose of making a street through land of the Heirs of Nathan Tufts from Willow Avenue to Elm Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ J. L. + F. M. Aymar removal of tree Hathorn + Broadway	Received a petition from J. L. and F. M. Aymar, for the removal of the tree on Hathorn Street at the corner Broadway, as it is injury to their house. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ J. S. Boynton et al Brick Sidewalk Washington St.	Received a petition from J. S. Boynton and others, for edgestones and brick sidewalk on the northerly side of Washington Street, from the Fitchburg Railroad to Hanover Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ James B. Bland et al Brick Sidewalk Belmont Street	Received a petition from James B. Bland and others for a brick sidewalk on the westerly side of Belmont Street, from Summer Street to land of J. H. Prindle. Referred to Committee on Highways
Petition ✓ Nathan H. Reed et al Brick Sidewalk Pearl Street	Received a petition from Nathan H. Reed and others for a brick sidewalk on the south side of Pearl Street, from Grove Street to Walnut Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.

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Received a petition from the West Somerville Baptist Church Corporation, for a brick sidewalk with edgestones on Elm Street, in front of the new Baptist Church or from Winslow Avenue to the brick sidewalk in front of Mr. W. Lowell's estate.	Petition ✓ W. Som. Baptist Church Brick Sidewalk Elm Street
Referred to Committee on Highways.	
Received a petition from Charles S. Philbrick for a brick sidewalk with edgestones on the south side of Morrison Street, from the east line of lot of Charles A. Cole and sixty feet past the house of the petitioner.	Petition ✓ Chas. S. Philbrick Brick Sidewalk Morrison Street
Referred to Committee on Highways.	
Received a petition from John H. Shaw and others, for gravel sidewalks with edgestones, on both sides of Broadway Avenue.	Petition ✓ John H. Shaw et al gravel sidewalk Broadway Avenue
Referred to Committee on Highways.	
Received a petition from Thomas J. Barker and others that the sidewalk, on the south side of Minick Street be fixed.	Petition ✓ Thos. J. Barker et al Sidewalk Minick Street
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.	
Reference concurred in by the Common Council March 13th.	
Received a petition from the West Somerville Baptist Church Corporation, for a crossing on Elm Street, across the head of Winslow Avenue.	Petition ✓ W. Som. Baptist Church Crossing
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.	Smith & Willow Ave
Reference concurred in by Common Council March 13th.	
Received a petition from G. N. Clark and others for flag stones across Willard Street on the east side of Way Street.	Petition ✓ G. N. Clark et al
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for	Crossing

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Orchard St. & Day St.	concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council March 13th.
Petition ✓ A. J. Taylor et al. Crossings Walnut & Aldersey St.	Received a petition from A. J. Taylor and others, for crossings from the corner of Walnut and Aldersey Streets to the easterly side of Walnut Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council March 13th.
Petition ✓ F. G. Ray et al. Acceptance Carleton Street	Received a petition from F. G. Ray and others for the acceptance of Carleton Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council March 13th.
Petition ✓ L. E. Nickerson et al. Acceptance Luney Street	Received a petition from Richard E. Nickerson and others, for the acceptance of Luney Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council March 13th.
Petition ✓ John W. Shaw et al. laying out of Boston Avenue	Received from John W. Shaw and others, for the laying out of Boston Avenue. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council March 13th.
Petition ✓ Thomas A. Bent et al. that new street from Summer St. to Laurel St. be named Bent Ave.	Received a petition from Thomas A. Bent and others that the new street cut from Summer Street around to Laurel Street be called Bent Avenue. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council March 13th.

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Received a notice from Walter Herbert Snow, that on Saturday, February 15th 1890, at about quarter before eleven o'clock in the evening he was severely injured while walking on the sidewalk on the northeasterly side of Jaques Street at the corner of Wheatland Street, in front of a house occupied by Charles H. Krieger, by falling on account of a defect and want of repair of the highway and sidewalk, consisting of a wire and coil of wire frozen into the ground and projecting above the surface, and of stones and rough uneven surfaces and projections in said sidewalk and said highway.

Notice
Walter H. Snow
Personal injuries
Jaques Street.

Referred to Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by Common Council March 18th.

Received a summons to appear in the Superior Court at Cambridge on the first Monday of April next and answer to Bridget Condon of Cambridge in an action of tort, damages being claimed in the sum of four thousand dollars,

Summons in Suit
Bridget Condon
Action of Tort

Placed in the hands of City Solicitor. Sent down for concurrence.

Action concurred in by Common Council March 18th.

Received a petition from the North Packing and Provision Company, that the city release to said company its right to maintain a drain a drain across its land on Somerville Avenue to Miller's Creek, acquired under an agreement with a former owner (James Murray) dated Jany 25th 1869; the same drain having long since been abandoned and said creek filled.

Petition
North Packing Provision Co
release right to
maintain drain across
petitioners' land

Referred to Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by Common Council March 18th.

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Order granting Building Permits

Order granting Building Permits

Ordered

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave if necessary to encumber such portion of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Add. or Alteration	Street
Gould & Murray	W. P. Rice	2 wooden dwellings		Wyatt
Mark Laighton	Miss S. J. Chandler	1 " "		Franklin
Wm. H. Patterson	John Beattie	1 " "		Hanson
Joseph Miller	J. Miller	1 " "		Elm
" "	" "	2 " "		Summit
Geo. E. Ricker	E. A. Perkins	2 " "		Grant
	Thos. H. Eames	wooden stable	(3 horses)	Chapel
Geo. E. Hutchinson	Benj. F. Wilder	" "		Schooll
Jesse S. Rich	H. S. Clark	" "		Berkeley
Alfred S. Sorensen	A. S. Sorensen	" "		Skeehan
Wilbur P. Rice	Wm. H. Gascott	" "	(3 horses)	310 Washington
" "	" "		addition of store	" "
Horace S. Brackett	H. S. Brackett	change shop to store		138 Pearl
Wm. E. Jones	Mrs. A. Sanborn	wooden building		Some Ave.
Stearns & Peaslee	J. Kneeland	tool house		Willow "
Wm. F. Blanchard	A. C. Blanchard		addition of L.	Elm
M. K. Norwood	N. A. Pearce		" to house	Arthur

Adopted.

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The Committee on Sewers reported, that in pursuance of orders dated February 12th and 27th bills for sums which had been abated from assessments of 1889, for a sewer in Hanson Street by the Board of Aldermen for that year, after the assessments had been paid, had been approved in payroll by said committee as follows:-

favor James C. Jones,	$ 21.73
John F. & H. S. Bacon,	9.68

Accepted.

Report
Com. on Sewers
has approved bills of
J. C. Jones & J. F. & H. S. Bacon
abatement assessments
Hanson Street.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, for the removal of electric light wires from telephone poles, and the petition of S. L. Pillsbury and others, that provision be made for the separating of telephone and electric wires from the same poles, reported that the Committee has recommended the granting of the petition of the Electric Light Company for separate poles.

Accepted.

Report
Com. on Highways
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.
S. L. Pillsbury et al
remove Elec. Light wires
from telephone poles.

The Committee on Highways, on petition of the Somerville Electric Light Company for the granting of locations (see foot of page next page for locations) reported an order for the granting of all said locations.

Action postponed until the next meeting.

Report
Com. on Highways
Som. Elec. Light Co.
sundry locations

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Wm. K. Fletcher, for the removal of a tree on the southwesterly side of Medford Street, in the middle of the entrance to Sea Street, reported an order for the removal of said tree.

Accepted.

Report
Com. on Highways
Wm. K. Fletcher
removal of tree
Medford at Sea St.

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in Davis Square; - Holland Street, from Davis Sq. to Curtis St. - Broadway from Curtis Street to the Arlington Line; - Curtis St., from Broadway to the Medford Line; Central Street from Highland Ave. to Medford St.; Montrose St.; - Albion Street; - Russell Street; - Broadway Place; - Webster Ave. - from

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Prospect Street to the Cambridge Line, Somerville Avenue from Union Square to Bow Street, and Bow Street Place.

Order
Com on Highways
remove tree
Medford Street Sec St.

The order accompanying the foregoing report is as follows:

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Highways be and are hereby authorized to remove a tree standing on the southwesterly side of Medford Street at the entrance to Lee Street, the same being an obstruction to public travel.

Lead twice and adopted.

Presented to the Mayor, and approved by him March 26th.

Report
Com on Highways
George L. Lugg
permit set hitching post
Vernon Street.

The Committee on Highways on the petition of George L. Lugg for permission to set a hitching post in front of his residence on Vernon street near Bartlett Street, reported recommending that the petition be granted.

Accepted.

Order
adopting
Numbering plan
Wesley Park

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the plan prepared by the City Engineer and presented to the board this evening for the numbering of Wesley Park dated March 6, 1890 be, and is hereby adopted, and the numbers thereon are hereby designated as the proper numbers to be affixed to the several buildings on said street, and the City Engineer is hereby directed to inform the owners of property in said Park what are the proper numbers to be affixed to their respective buildings in accordance with said plan, and in compliance with section 5 of ordinance No 15.

Adopted.

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The Committee on Highways, on the order dated in Common Council February 18th requesting said committee to ascertain and report whether that portion of any street occupied by the horse railroad tracks is in proper repair and whether it is kept in repair by the City, and whether the space of a uniform width of eighteen inches outside of said tracks is paved and kept in proper repair, reported that in many cases the space between the tracks is not in proper repair and the City has nothing to do with the repairing of the same, neither is the paving of a uniform width.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by Common Council March 18th.

Report Com. on Highways condition of St. Railway Tracks and their paving.

The Committee on Highways on the petition of the Assessors, the Registrars of Voters and the City Treasurer, that measures be taken to insure immediate numbering of all streets, courts, lanes and places in the city not already numbered, and the placing of the proper numbers on all buildings, and suggesting that the City Engineer or some other agent of the City be instructed to place the proper numbers on every building for which a number has been designated by the Board of Aldermen, reported an order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council March 13th.

Report Com. on Highways Assessors, Registrars and Treasurer numbering streets.

The order presented in the foregoing report is as follows:—

Ordered,

That the Committee on Highways be and is hereby authorized and instructed to place on all buildings not already provided with numbers, suitable figures to designate the proper numbers, the expense incurred to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Order Com. on Highways place numbers on houses.

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Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council March 13th

Presented to the Mayor and approved by him March 20th

Report Com. on Highways proposals Edgestones & Paving Stock

The Committee on Highways, in pursuance of an order dated January 22nd, submitted the following list of proposals to furnish such edgestones and paving stock as may be required by the City during the coming year.

Names of Bidders	Edge-stone	Curbing Blocks	Granite Flagging	Border	2-foot corner	5-foot corner	Paving Block #1 grade	Paving Block #2 grade
	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
A. A. Libby & Son	0.57	0.40	0.58	1.00	3.00	5.00	45.00	30.00
L. J. Lombard	0.50	0.23	0.33	0.82	2.70	3.25	40.00	26.00
No Name	0.45	0.30	0.35	0.70	2.00	3.50	43.00	28.00
J. P. Looney	0.45	0.20	0.38	0.75	2.00	3.50	39.00	26.50
Jere. McCarthy	0.44	0.18	0.35	0.55	2.00	2.90	39.50	26.00

and the committee reported an order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by Common Council March 13th.

Order Com. on Highways make contract Edgestones & Paving Stock

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows,-

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Highways be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Jeremiah McCarthy for the furnishing of such edgestones and paving stock as may be required during the year at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted, sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence March 13th.

Approved by the Mayor March 20th

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The Committee on Public Property, on the request of the School Committee for a safe for the keeping of its records in conformity with the law of the State, reported an order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Accepted in concurrence by Common Council March 13th.

Report Com on Public Property School Committee safe for records

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows;-

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorized and instructed to procure a suitable safe at a cost not exceeding seventy-five dollars for the keeping of the records of the School Committee in conformity with the State law, the expense to be charged to School Contingent Account.

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council March 13th.

Approved by the Mayor March 26th.

Order Com on Public Property provide safe for School Com records

The Committee on Printing reported, that in pursuance of an order dated January 16th, six hundred copies of the address delivered by his Honor the Mayor at the inauguration of the present City government had been printed at a cost of twenty nine dollars.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council March 13th.

Report Com on Printing has printed Mayor's Address

The Committee on Printing reported that in pursuance of an order dated January 16th 400 lists of the members of the City Government with its various committees and of the different boards connected with the City government, and also the names of the City officers, have been pro-

Report Com on Printing has printed lists of Committees

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cured of J. C. Hayden & Co. at a cost of thirty-three dollars
Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council March 19

Adjourned

Attest

George S. Vincent
Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville March 26th 1890, 8 P.M.

His Honor Mayor Pope, presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Souther, Nickerson and Scollan present.

In pursuance of an order passed February 12th, a hearing was given all parties interested and desiring to object to the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the northwest side of Irving street, from Holland street to Broadway; all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 10 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Constructions of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Hearing Sidewalk Irving Street

Mr. Gilman A. Colburn appeared and favored the petition.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, the hearing was closed.

In pursuance of an order passed February 12th a hearing was all persons desiring to object to the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the east side of Newbury Street, from Holland street to the southwesterly sideline of the estate of the Heirs of Willard Dalrymple; all parties having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 2 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Constructions of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Hearing Sidewalk Newbury Street

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

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Hearing ✓ Sidewalk School Street Summer St. to Highland Av.	In pursuance of an order passed February 12th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of gravel sidewalks, on both sides of School Street, from Summer Street to Highland Avenue, all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return, recorded on page 6 of Volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction, of the Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville. Mr. Parker Hogan appeared and opposed the measure if the grade is to be raised. Mr. Albert Fitch objected in writing on the same ground. Mr. Edwin Mercer, appeared and objected to the measure, unless the street be, at the same time widened on the easterly side to correspond with the easterly line north of Highland Avenue. Mr. John J. Keane, appeared and favored the measure. No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, the hearing was closed.
Resignation ✓ James J. Foley Police	Received the resignation of James F. Foley, as a member of the Somerville Police Force, to take effect March 8th 1890. Accepted.
Recommendation ✓ Chief of Fire Dept. Discharges	Received a communication from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, recommending that the following-named members of the Fire Department be discharged, at their own request, viz. S. Thomas Kirk, from Hose Company No. 1. George W. Lean Jr. " " " 3. Daniel J. Bennett, " " " 3 and Discharges, as recommended, made by the Mayor, and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.
Recommendations ✓ Chief Eng. Fire Dept. Annual Appointments	Received a communication from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, recommending appointments for the ensuing years as follows—

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Steamer Company No 1

James A. McLane	Foreman of Company
Frank Langer	Asst. "
Joseph Young	Hoseman
William A. Perry	"
George S. Blackbird	"
William H. Whitcomb	"
Fred S. Young	"
Benjamin H. Pond	"
Henry A. Byrnes	Engineer of Steamer
William A. Burbank	Freeman "
George F. Harris	Driver "
Sindnf D. Bixby	" " Hose Carriage

Hose Carriage No. 1

Thomas H. Daley	Foreman and Driver
Edward T. Herron	Asst. "
Edgar F. Shaw	Hoseman
Erick H. Arnold	"
Frederic E. Peterson	"
John Frizzell	"
Clarence V. Cook	"
George North	"
Albert H. Bean	"

Hose Company No. 2

Frank W. King	Foreman of Company
Daniel H. Spike	Asst. "
Joseph H. Hollis	Hoseman
Edgar T. Mayhew	"
Charles H. Timson	"
William F. Marble	"
Edwin K. Perham	"
John H. Patee	"

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Edward H. King	Driver of Wagon

Hose Company No. 3.

Charles H. Bridges,	Foreman of Company
Ira E. Nix,	Hoseman
Frank E. Draper,	"
Alfred L. Higgins,	"
John H. Cudby,	"
Charles Tault,	Driver of Company

Hose Company No. 4.

Samuel H. Stevens,	Foreman and Driver
Llewellyn Marks,	Asst. "
Manfield S. Steele,	Hoseman
Edwin F. Trefron,	"
John Gillody,	"
Charles H. Stearns,	"
Henry C. Folger,	"
Eugene H. Jones,	"
Frank A. Hussey,	"

Hose Company No. 5.

Irving C. Jackson,	Foreman & Driver
William J. Blaisdell,	Asst. "
Frank W. Blooms,	Hoseman
Frederick L. Jones,	"
James H. Banks,	"
Charles H. Hilt,	"
Oscar P. Shelton,	"

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Hook & Ladder Company No. 1

Edwin H. Bright,	Foreman of Company
Edward H. Buxton,	Asst. "
William A. McLane,	Ladderman
John E. Hill,	"
Patrick J. Follon,	"
Frank S. Brown,	"
Horace P. Ewell,	"
James M. Gould,	"
William H. Dennis,	"
Charles A. Southwick,	"
Martin S. Seacy,	"
Melvin B. Licker,	Driver of Truck

Appointments as recommended by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen

Received a petition from Wm. W. Smith and others, that said William W. Smith, residing at 319 Broadway, and who is the sexton of the Broadway M. E. Church, be appointed a Special Police, without pay, approved by the Chief of Police.

Appointment, as petitioned for, made by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Petition and appointment William W. Smith Special Police without pay

On request of the Chief of Police, the Mayor appointed George C. Foss, living on Broadway, a Special Police without pay.

Appointment confirmed.

Appointment George C. Foss Special Police without pay

The Mayor appointed for the probationary period of six months, and in accordance with the Civil Service Laws, Theodore E. Herron, as Police Patrolman.

Appointment confirmed.

Appointment Theodore E. Herron Police Patrolman

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Appointments	The Mayor appointed, subject to confirmation, as Sealer of Weights and Measures, Ammiel Colman; as Superintendent of Public Buildings and Lights, Thomas K. Coulstone; and as Registrar of Voters, for three years from May 1, William B. Hawes. Appointments confirmed.
Petition A. R. Stover, license Dramatic Entertainment	Received a petition from A. R. Stover, Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., for a license to give a dramatic entertainment in Bacon Hall, Friday evening March 21st, recommended by the Chief of Police, Approved by the Mayor, and license issued by the City Clerk March 21st. Issuing of license approved.
Petition Wm. P. Sarkin Dramatic Entertainment	Received a petition from William P. Sarkin, 290 Broadway, South Boston, for a license for a dramatic entertainment in Bacon Hall, Thursday evening March 27th, approved by the Chief of Police. License granted.
Communication Board of Health concerning petition of N. E. Dressed Meat & Wool Co. for permission to establish its business	Received a communication from the Board of Health in relation to the petition of the New England Dressed Meat and Wool Company, for permission to establish its business here, concluding that, after a careful consideration of the whole matter, the board believe the best interests of the City and the health and comfort of its citizens will not be promoted by the granting of the petition. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Remonstrances J. H. Davis & others, against granting petition of N. E. Dressed Meat & Wool Co. for permission to do business	Received remonstrances from J. H. Davis and others against the granting of the petition of the New England Dressed Meat and Wool Company for permission to establish a slaughter house in this City. Referred to Committee on Licenses.

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Received a communication from Thomas Cunningham, Treasurer of the Somerville Union Drill Company, and others, favoring the granting of the petition of the New England Dressed Meat and Wool Company for permission to do business in this City.

Referred to Committee on Licenses.

Communication Thos Cunningham Treasurer et al favoring petition of N. E. Dressed Meat + Wool Co for permission to do business

Received from Levi F. T. Davis, Chairman of a meeting of over two hundred citizens of East Somerville held March 20th, a copy of resolutions passed by said meeting, to the effect that on no account should any license for the further extension of the slaughtering and rendering business in this City, be granted.

Referred to Committee on Licenses

Resolutions Citizens of E. Somerville against extension of slaughtering business N. E. Dressed Meat + Wool Co

Received a petition from Henry H. Gilmore and others, citizens of Cambridge, that this board will refuse to grant the petition of the New England Dressed Meat + Wool Company, for permission to establish its business in this city, as said business would, in their opinion, prove prejudicial to the public health and a serious injury to the homes of hundreds of the citizens.

Referred to Committee on Licenses

Petition Henry H. Gilmore et al of Cambridge that no license be granted N. E. Dressed Meat + Wool Co to do business

Received a petition from Charles H. McBrawley, employed by G. Beck + Son, and residing at 9 Merriam Street, for an Auctioneer's License.

Referred to Committee on Licenses

Petition Chas H. McBrawley Auctioneer's License

Received a petition from Thomas Ryan, for a permit to blast rock in excavating for a drain in Elm Street, from the estate recently purchased by A. Henry Lockhart at the corner of Williams Street.

Permission granted.

Petition Thomas Ryan permit to blast rock for drain Elm Street

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Petition ✓ Dennis Ryan permit to blast rock for cellar Belmont Pl.	Received a petition from Dennis Ryan, for permission to blast rock in excavating for a cellar on land of Wilbur P. Rice, on Belmont Place. Permission granted.
Petition ✓ Thomas Geghan removal of tree 298 Broadway	Received a petition from Thomas Geghan, for the removal of a tree standing in proposed driveway in front of his estate No. 298 Broadway. Referred to Committee on Highways
Petition ✓ G. G. Ellis permit hitching posts 351 Broadway	Received a petition from G. G. Ellis, for permission to set two hitching posts in front of his residence No. 351 Broadway. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ G. H. Shaw et al Brick Sidewalk Oakland Ave.	Received a petition from G. H. Shaw and others for a brick sidewalk on the southerly side of Oakland Avenue, from Marshall Street to School street the edge-stones being already set. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ Heirs of John F. Bacon et al against setting edgestones Washington Street	Received a remonstrance from the Heirs of John F. Bacon, and others, against edgestones being placed in front of their premises on Washington Street, between the Fitchburg Railroad Bridge and Home Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ L. W. Farmer et al Brick Sidewalks Thurston Street	Received a petition from L. W. Farmer and others, for brick sidewalks on each side of Thurston Street, from Broadway to Evergreen Avenue. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ F. E. Richardson et al Curbstones Evergreen Ave and crossing	Received a petition from F. E. Richardson and others, for curbstones on Evergreen Avenue, and for a crossing at the junction of Evergreen Avenue and Portsmouth Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down

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for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council March 26th.	Evergreen & Dartmouth St
Received a petition from Elias Sathrop and others for a crosswalk across Holland Street at Russell Square. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council March 26th.	Petition Elias Sathrop et al crossing Holland at Russell Sq
Received a petition from A. A. Sanborn, for a crossing on Prospect Street across Newton Street, in line with the westerly sidewalk of said Prospect Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council March 26th.	Petition A. A. Sanborn. crossing Prospect St. at Newton St
Received a petition from the Winter Hill Baptist Church and others, for a stone crossing across School Street in front of said Church. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council March 26th.	Petition Winter Hill Baptist Ch. crossing School Street
Received a petition from A. H. Pollard and others, for a crossing in Magoun Square, at the junction of Broadway and Medford Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council March 26th.	Petition A. H. Pollard et al. crossing Magoun Square

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Petition ✓ Chas J Simpson et al acceptance Gorham Street	Received a petition from Charles J Simpson and others that Gorham Street be accepted and graded. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council March 26th
Petition ✓ Henry F Woods et al fence north west side North Street	Received a petition from Henry F Woods, that a fence be built on the northwesterly side of North Street between stone bounds 17 and 18 as per order of the County Commissioners. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council March 26
Order ✓ granting Building Permits	Order granting Building Permits. Ordered. That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit with further leave if necessary, to encumber such portions of the Street and Sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Add or Alteration	Street
Wallace M. Rice	W. M. Rice	wooden dwelling		Mountain Ave
Chas. E. Rice	W. P. Rice	"		Belmont Pl
John K. Ricker	J. K. Ricker	"		Grant St.
Frank W. Rickford	F. W. Rickford	"		Broadway
Smith & Bradshaw	R. B. Lawrence	"		Park Pl
John C. Stevens	J. C. Stevens	"		Chandler St
N. F. Berry	N. F. Berry	"		Main

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S. & C. H. Williams	S. & C. H. Williams	2 wooden dwellings		Gibbens St.	
E. O. & C. H. Abbott	Wm. Veazie	2 "	in a block	Central	
	J. W. Wilbur	3 "		Wilton	
John Stackpole	J. Stackpole	6 "		Arthur	
John McGuire	M. Fitzsimmons	Tenement House		Hunting	
C. H. Gerlach	H. Wochrn		S.	School	
Gillis Cross	Mr. McCauley		addition on house	Merriam	
S. & C. H. Williams	E. P. Girard	store		Cross	
Gillis Cross	John Kennedy	wooden stable		Church	
A. M. Godfrey	Lane Cross	"		Berkeley	
G. W. Lawson	G. W. Lawson	3 wooden dwellings		Putnam	

Adopted.

Alderman Homeway offered an order laying a common sewer assessment on the estates on the westerly side of Elm Street, between William and Summit streets, owned by Lucretia T. Carr and Rebecca L. Stearns as a benefit accruing to the said estates from the sewer in said Elm street, as recorded on page 77 of volume 1 of the Records of Sewer Assessments, by the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Sewer Assessment Elm Street

Adopted.

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.

Order adopting plans numbering of Streets

Ordered,-

That the plans prepared by the City Engineer and presented to this board this evening for the numbering of-

Ashland Street from Summer St. to Chestnut St.
Allen Street " Som. Ave. " Charlestown St.
Avon " the portion already numbered to Central St.
Arthur " from Broadway to Bonair St.
Autumn " " " to "
Aldrich " " Pearl St. to Boston & Lowell R.R.
Avon Place " Cross St. westerly
Auburn Avenue " " to Boston & Lowell R.R.

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Albion Street	from Central St.	to Cedar Street
Blackberry Court	" Somerville Avenue	southerly
Bigelow Street	" Boston St.	to Munroe St.
Bow St. Place	" Bow Street	northerly
Bradley Street	" Pearl	to Vesgie St.
Broadway Pl.	" Broadway	southerly
Bonner Avenue	" Washington St.	to Columbus Ave.
Beach Street	" Somerville Avenue	to Spring St.
Billingham	" Williams Street	to Broadway
Belmont Pl.	" Belmont Street	
Charlestown St.	" Merriam	to near Albion St.
Chester Avenue	" Cross Street	Medford St.
Cameron	" Holland	Cambridge Line
Church St Place	" Church	westerly
Church Street	" Somerville Ave	to Lake St.
Carleton	" "	" " "
Centre	" Albion Street	northeasterly
Delaware	" Aldrich	southerly
Dell	" Glen	to Tufts Street
Dana	" Pearl	Bonair
Emerson	" Brick Yard Lane	to Everett Street
Edmunds	" Broadway	southerly
Elmwood	" Holland St.	to Cambridge Line
Ellsworth	" Cross	Rush Street
Evergreen Square	" Foster	easterly
Essex Street	" Richdale Ave.	to Medford St.
East Chestnut Court	" Harvard street	westerly
Elm Place	" "	" " & easterly
Forster Street	" Sycamore	to Central Street
Gilman	" Cross	Walnut
Granite	" Somerville Ave.	Osgood
Hillside Park	" Walnut street	southerly
Homer Square	" Bonner Ave.	northwesterly
Howe Street	" Marshall Street	to School Street
Hamlet	" Highland Avenue	southerly
Hersey	" Berkeley Street	to Oxford Street

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Harvard Street	from	Beach Street	to Summer St.
Jackson	"	Medford	" Maple St.
James	"	Pearl	" Vernon St.
Kingman Court	"	Washington	" Fitchburg R.R.
Knapp Street	"	School	" Granite St.
Lee	"	Richdale Ave.	" Medford
Landers	"	School St.	westerly
Linden	"	Somerville Ave.	to Fitchburg R.R.
Munroe	"	Boston Street	" Walnut St.
Mystic	"	Somerville Ave.	" Washington St.
Montgomery Ave.	"	Broadway	" Wellington Ave.
Molloy Court	"	Somerville Ave.	southerly
Melvin Street	"	Bonair Street	northerly
Mortimer Place	"	Marshall	to Mills St.
Madison Street	"	School	" Sycamore St.
Montrose	"	"	" "
Maple Avenue	"	Marshall	" School
Morrison Place	"	Morrison	" Appleton
Newburn Street	"	"	" "
Olive Square	"	Lake Street	southerly
Osgood Street	"	easterly & westerly from Granite St.	
Perkins Place	"	Perkins Street	northerly
Parker	"	Porter	" westerly
Pearl Street	"	Pearl	" northerly
Preston Street	"	School	to Summer St.
Pitman	"	Beach	" Belmont
Rosemore	"	Som. Ave.	" Washington St.
Rurey	"	Cross Street	" Aldrich St.
Randolph Place	"	"	westerly
Rurey	"	Rurey	" northerly
Sargent Avenue	"	Broadway	to Mills Street
Sunnyside	"	Wigglesworth St.	westerly
Summit Street	"	Elm St.	to Billingham St.
Snow Place	"	Belmont Place	
Sycamore Street	"	Highland Avenue	to Medford St.
Stickney Avenue	"	Marshall St.	to School Street

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Sydney Street	from	Wheatland St to Temple St
Thorpe Place	"	Highland Ave southerly
Tenney Court	"	Mystic " northerly
Taylor Lane	"	Highland " to Oxford St
Vernie Street	"	Walnut Street westerly
Virginia	"	Aldrich " to Jasper Street
Winthrop Ave	"	Broadway " Mystic Ave
Water Street	"	South Street northerly
White	"	Elm " to Maple Place
Williams Court	"	Porter " westerly
Wesley Street	"	Pearl " to Otis Street
Wigglesworth Street	"	" " Bonair
West Chestnut Court	"	Harvard Street westerly
Williams Street	"	Elm Street to Chandler Street
Woodlawn	"	Benton " northwesterly
Rickdale Ave	"	School " to Sycamore St

All dated March 26th 1890, be and they are hereby adopted, and the numbers thereon are hereby designated as the proper numbers to be affixed to the several buildings on said streets and avenues, respectively, and the City Engineer is hereby directed to inform the owners of property in said streets and avenues what are the proper numbers to be affixed to their respective buildings in accordance with said plans, and in compliance with section 5 of ordinance No 15.

Adopted.

Order construct sidewalk Irving Street.

Alderman Kimball offered an order, for the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones on the northwest side of Irving street, from Holland street to Broadway, of the width of six and ½ feet, as recorded on page 11 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

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Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones on the east side of Newbury Street, from Holland Street to the southwesterly line of the estate of the Heirs of Willard Dalrymple, of the width of six and 5/12 feet, - as recorded on page 3 of Volume 1, of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction, - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.	Order construct Sidewalk Newbury Street
Read twice and adopted.	
The Committee on Highways, on the petition of George E. Skilton and others, for the laying out of Mills Street, from Walnut Street to Sargent Avenue, presented a favorable report as recorded on page 27 of Volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.	Report Com on Highways Geo E Skilton et al laying out of Mills Street
Accepted and sent down for concurrence.	
Acceptance concurred in by the Common Council March 26th.	
Accompanying the foregoing report was an order of notice for a hearing on the laying out of Mills Street, from Walnut Street to Sargent Avenue, as recorded on page 30 of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.	Order of Notice laying out of Mills Street
Adopted and sent down for concurrence.	
Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council. March 26th.	
The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Joseph H. Wescott and others, for the laying out of Sargent Avenue, from Broadway to Mills street, presented a favorable report as recorded on page 37 of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.	Report Com on Highways J. H. Westcott et al laying out of Sargent Avenue

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Accepted and sent down for concurrence
Accepted in concurrence by Common Council March 26

Order of Notice laying out of Sargent Avenue

Accompanying the foregoing report was and order of notice for a hearing on the laying out of Sargent Avenue, from Broadway to Mills Street, as recorded on page 36 of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Adopted and sent down for concurrence.
Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council March 26th.

Report Com on Finance on request of School Committee additional School house

The Committee on Finance, on the request of the School Committee, for an addition of four rooms to the Highland School if practicable, or if not the erection of a four room school house on the Elm Street lot, - also that the Black lot at the end of Columbus Avenue, be purchased and a twelve-room schoolhouse erected thereon, and that a site be selected for an English High School and places for the same procured this year, - recommended the borrowing on Funded Debt Account, as follows, -
for Schoolhouse in Ward Two, - Fifty Thousand Dollars
for Schoolhouse in Ward Four, - Twenty five Thousand Dollars
Laid on the table.

Report Com on Finance borrow $26.000.- for Water Works Extension

The Committee on Finance, on request of the Water Board, recommended an appropriation of Twenty-five thousand Dollars for Water Works Extension, and that the said sum be borrowed on Funded Debt Account.
Accepted and sent down for concurrence
Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council March 26th

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Alderman Edmands offered the following order

Ordered.

That for the purpose of providing, in part for the payment of Water Loan Bonds No 55, 279, 303, 304 and 305, and for the further extension and improvement of the water works of the City, the sum of Thirty three thousand dollars be and is hereby appropriated to the following accounts, viz.

Renewals of funded debt $8.000.

Water works extension 25.000.

and the Committee on Finance are hereby authorized to borrow the said sum for a term not exceeding thirty years from the first day of October, 1890, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized under the direction of said Committee, to issue a bond or bonds of the city for the same.

Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by the unanimous yea and nay votes of more than two thirds of the entire number of members of the board. Sent down for concurrence.

Received in Common Council March 26th, its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by the unanimous yea and nay votes of more than two thirds of the entire members of the Common Council, in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor April 1st, 1890.

Order borrow $33.000 renewal of Water Loan and extension Water Works

Report of the Committee on Finance
City of Somerville
In Committee on Finance March 21. 1890.
To the City Council
of Somerville

The Committee on Finance, required by section 1 of ordinance number 4 to prepare and lay before the City Council an estimate of the amount of money necessary

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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, and estimates from the City Treasurer of the sums required for interest and the reduction of the funded debt, 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 salaries of		
Chief Engineer	1,240 00	
Assistant	300 00	
Engineer of Steamer	1,080 00	
Firemen of Steamer	900 00	
Drivers each	900 00	
and of call men		
Foremen each	116 00	
Asst " "	100 00	
other call men	95 00	
Lineman	900 00	32,000 00
Health Department		
including salary of Inspector	1,000 00	6,000 00
Highways		
including salary of Supt of Streets		
(the City to furnish his teams)	1,500 00	42,000 00
Indigent Soldiers & Sailors		900 00
Interest (on funded debt and temporary loans		
to which amount shall be added the		
sums received from the State for Cor-		
poration and bank taxes		34,000 00
Miscellaneous		
for contingent purposes, and pay of		
Ward Officers		

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	Wardens each per day	6 00	
	Depty "	6 00	
	Clerks "	6 00	
	Depty "	6 00	
	Inspectors or Tellers	5 00	
	Depty "	5 00	
	Sealer of Weights & Measures	100 00	
	Pound Keeper	25 00	
	Memorial Tablets	500 00	6.500 00
Police.	for contingent purposes and salaries of		
	Chief	1.700 00	
	Captain	1.400 00	
	Sergeants (3) each	1.100 00	
	Keeper of Lockup	100 00	
	Patrolmen		
	for first years services from date of appointment each per day	2 50	
	for services after one year from date of appointment each per day	2 75	32.000 00
Police Station Incidentals (including salary of Janitor		850 00	2.600 00
Public Library			
	(to which amount shall be added the sums received from the County Treasurer as the City's part of the fees for dog licenses		3.000 00
Public Grounds			6.000 00
Printing & Stationery			5.000 00
Reduction of Funded Debt			45.000 00
Relief & Burial of Indigent Soldiers & Sailors			4.000 00
Steam Fire Engine & Equipments			4.600 00
Salaries of			
	Mayor	1.000 00	
	City Clerk (hits furnish his own Asst)	2.500 00	
	City Treasurer (")	3.900 00	

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City Engineer (he to furnish his own team)		2.200	00		
City Solicitor		1.500	00		
City Physician (he to furnish his own team)		950	00		
City Auditor		450	00		
Clerk of Common Council		200	00		
Clerk of Assessors & Committees		1500	00		
Asst Clerk of		1.000	00		
City Messenger (the City to furnish his team)		1.200	00		
Superintendent of Public Buildings & Lights to					
he to furnish his own team		1800	00		
Inspector of Buildings		250	00		
Inspector of Milk		300	00		
Assessors (3) each $700		2100	00		
Asst (4) 250		1.000	00		
Registrars of Voters (4) each 200		800	00		
City Engineers Assistants		3.200	00		
Street Clerks for Assessors		200	00		
Department Clerk (to be employed in the Assessors department, and other departments of the City as the Mayor shall direct)		700	00		
Janitor of City Hall and Public Library Building		750	00	27.500	00
School Contingent				20.500	00
School Fuel				7.000	00
Schoolhouse Incidentals				16.000	00
School Teachers Salaries (to which amount shall be added the sum received from the City of Boston for returns on State Tax)				43.500	00
Sewers				16.000	00
Sidewalks				9.000	00
Street Lights				20.000	00
Support of Poor (including salary of					
Agent		1.200	00		
Secretary		250	00		

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Water Maintenance	18 000	00
Watering Streets	4 000	00
amounting in the aggregate to	411 100	00

Chas. G. Pope
Chas. H. Hemenway
A. E. Edmands
Charles B. Osgood
L. Roger Wentworth
Wm. E. Pulsifer
Isaac L. Webber
} Committee on Finance

Said on the table

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

Ordered -

That the Committee on Public Property be and are hereby authorized and instructed to purchase all school furniture which shall be necessary to provide for the new schoolhouse in Ward Two, the cost of the same to be charged to Schoolhouse Incidentals Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council, March 26, 1890.

Approved to the Mayor, April 1st.

Order. Com. on Public Property purchase furniture new Schoolhouse Ward 2 Concord Square

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The Committee on Public Property, on the order dated Feby 27th to consider the matter of adding four rooms to the Highland School, or erecting a four room schoolhouse on the Elm Street lot, and the erection of a twelve room building on the Clark lot Columbus Avenue, reported in favor of a four-room addition to the Highland School and the erection of a twelve room schoolhouse in Ward Two, but recommended the purchase of the Allen Estate at the Corner of Washington Avenue and Boston Street for the location of said twelve room schoolhouse.

Report Com. on Public Property add to Highland School and Grant Schoolhouse in Ward Two.

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Order petition W.E.St. Ry. Co. for location Medford St. Referred to Com. on Highways	Laid on the table
	Alderman Souther offered the following order Ordered,- That the petition of the West End Street Railway Company for a location for a single track, with suitable turnouts and connections in Medford street, from the terminus of the present track near Central Street, to Broadway - no action having been taken on said petition since the hearing thereon which was given by the Board of Aldermen, December 11th 1889 - be taken from the files and referred to the Committee on Highways for consideration and report. Adopted.
Order Board of Health investigate abate nuisance complained of in E. Somerville	Alderman Kimball offered the following order Ordered,- That the Board of Health be requested to investigate the cause of the bad odors complained of by the residents of East Somerville, and to take such measures as may be necessary to abate the same. Adopted.
Order amend Rules & Orders concerning action on appointments	The order passed Feb 12th to amend the rules and orders of the board so as to provide that action on all appointments subject to confirmation, shall be defined until the next regular meeting, - the consideration of which was postponed Feb 12th and 27th, - (see pages 438 and 466) was taken from the table and rejected
Election Assessor to fill vacancy	Voted to proceed to the election of an assessor to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hiram M Smith. Alderman Souther and Kimball were appointed to receive, assort and count the votes, and after attending to that duty, they reported as follows, - Whole number of ballots 8

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Necessary for choice 5
Edgar T. Mayhew has 3
Saml T. Richards 5

and Samuel T. Richards was declared elected on the part of this branch and information thereof was sent to the Common Council.

Information was received later, from the Common Council that Samuel T. Richards was elected an assessor to fill the vacancy by that branch in concurrence

Received from the Common Council the resignation of Frank E. Merrill, Councilman from Ward Four, on account of anticipated change of business; the same having been accepted by the Common Council.
Read for information.

Resignation
Frank E. Merrill
Common Councilman
Ward 4.

On motion of Alderman Converse, it was voted that when the board adjourns it adjourn until Tuesday evening April 1st at 8 O'clock.

Adjournment.

Adjourned.

Attest.

George S. Vincent
Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville April 1, 1890 8 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Nickerson and Sanborn present

Request School Committee for convention to choose successor to Dr. H. P. Hemenway

Received a request from the School Committee that the City Council meet with the School Committee, in convention, on the evening of Wednesday, April 23rd, for the purpose of choosing a member of the School Committee to succeed Dr. H. P. Hemenway, deceased.

Read and sent down for concurrence.

Read for information, in the Common Council April 1st.

Request School Committee additional school accommodations Winter Hill District

Received a request from the School Committee, that additional school accommodations be furnished for the Winter Hill District.

Referred to Committee on Public Property and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by Common Council April 1st.

Resignation Saml. T. Richards Assistant Assessor Ward 4

Received a resignation of Samuel T. Richards, as Assistant Assessor from Ward Four, he having been recently elected an Assessor.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council April 1st.

Recommendation Chief Eng. of Fire Dept Discharge

Received a communication from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, recommending the discharge of Theodore E. Horan (Assistant Foreman of Hose Co. No. 1) at his own request, he having recently been promoted a Police Patrolman.

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Discharge as recommended, made by the Mayor, and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Received from Rufus B. Wade Chief Inspector, a copy of the report of John T. White and Warren B. Buxton State Inspectors of Factories and Public Buildings, that they inspected, March 21st, the new building on Bow Street Somerville, known as the Connors' building, and find that the work of strengthening the walls and roof trusses in said building as directed by them, has been apparently faithfully done, and the condition of the building greatly improved thereby, and that the ways of egress have been widened and properly protected against fire as directed. That they think the building is now safe for occupation for the purposes for which it is intended, and that they wish to acknowledge their indebtedness to Capt. J. K. Hopkins, the local inspector of buildings, for information and courtesies extended.

Read for information.

Report State Inspectors Connors' Building

Received a petition from Robert Sweet, for a license to give a dramatic entertainment in Odd Fellow's Hall Winter Hill, Friday evening March 28th, the same being recommended by the Chief of Police, approved by the Mayor, and endorsed by the City Clerk that the license was issued March 28th.

Issuing of license approved.

Petition Robert Sweet license entertainment

Received a petition from A. K. Stover (Uncle Tom's Cabin Company), for a license to give a dramatic entertainment in Clarendon Hall, Monday evening March 31st, the same being recommended by the Chief of Police, approved by the Mayor, and endorsed by the City Clerk that the license was issued March 31st.

Issuing of license approved.

Petition A. K. Stover license entertainment

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Petition ✓ Joseph E. B. Severing 6th Class liquor license Pearl & Franklin Sts.	Received a petition from Joseph E. B. Severing - a registered Pharmacist - for a license of the sixth class, for the sale of intoxicating liquors at his apothecary store, at the easterly corner of Pearl and Franklin Street. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Petition ✓ Frank H. Sheldon et al. Sewer Elm Street	Received a petition from Frank H. Sheldon and others for a common sewer in Elm Street, between Kidder Avenue and Broadway. Referred to Committee on Sewers.
Petition ✓ Claude W. Eldridge et al. Brick Sidewalk Tufts Street	Received a petition from Claude W. Eldridge and others, for a brick sidewalk on the northeasterly side of Tufts Street, from Washington Street to Cross Street. Received to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ H. F. Wild more driveway School St. to Oakland Ave	Received a petition from H. F. Wilde, that the driveway in front his estate 293 School Street be changed to the Oakland Avenue side of said estate. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council April 1st.
Petition ✓ A. H. Kubel et al. remove defects & driveways in sidewalks Everett Ave & Webster St.	Received a petition from A. H. Kubel and others, for the removal of sundry defects in the sidewalks on Everett Avenue, and that driveways, that have not been used for several years, may be discontinued, as follows, one or more in front of the Grimes' estate on Everett Avenue, one in front of A. N. Kalis estate on said avenue, and one in front of the Ellis estate on Webster Street near Cross Street. Referred to Committee on Highways, and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council April 1st.

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Received a petition from Ernest S. Snowman and others, for the acceptance of Sewall Street.
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
Reference concurred in by the Common Council April 1st.

Petition ✓
Ernest S. Snowman et al.
Acceptance
Sewall Street

Received a petition from George W. Lake and others, for the laying out of Carleton Street, from Somerville avenue to Lake Street.
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
Reference concurred in by the Common Council April 1st.

Petition ✓
George W. Lake et al
laying out of
Carleton Street.

Order granting Building Permits.

Ordered:-

That upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave if necessary to encumber such portions of the Street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Order ✓
granting
Building Permits

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Add or Alteration	Street
Wm. C. Fletcher	A. S. Fletcher	wooden dwelling		Medford
Robt. H. Collupy	S. S. Higgins	"		Summer
Ingram B. Phinney	Mrs. Walker	"		Connell Ave.
Jesse S. Rich	S. B. Rich	"		Highland
Sylvester Woods	M. Murphy	"		Merriam St.
Arthur W. Berry	A. W. Berry	"		Hudson
Joseph W. Brown	E. T. Harrington	30		Meacham
Chas. W. Nickerson	C. W. Nickerson	8	in a block	Pearl
Thos. Linehan	H. C. Holt	double house wood		Marion

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	H. C. Norwood	A. A. Sanborn		addition to the	School
	Franklin Railway	Mrs. F. Robbins		addition to house	"
	Wm. A. Crowell	Mrs. A. S. Sanborn		tailor shop rear 23	Sam. Ave.
	Gardiner Packard	E. A. Spencer		Shop	Elm St.

Adopted

Officer's Returns on Warrants for election in Ward 1 April 1

On the warrants adopted February 27th, for the election in the four voting precincts of ward one April 1st of a Common Councilman to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Edwin A. Wilcox, Jairus Dunn, Constable of the City of Somerville, made return on each of the four warrants, under date of March 31st, that he had warned and notified the citizens of said precinct, qualified to vote as the law directs, in accordance with the warrant, by posting a true and attested copy of said warrant in not less than ten public places in said precinct, and by publishing a like copy in the Somerville Journal and the Somerville Citizen, newspapers published in this City, in their issues of March 8th and 14th 1890, said posting and publication having been made at least seven days before the time of holding the meeting as specified in the warrant.

Order adopting warrants for election in Ward 4 April 29

Alderman Edmands offered the following order

Ordered.

That the four accompanying warrants for an election, in the several voting precincts of Ward Four, of a Common Councilman to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Frank E. Merrill, be and they are hereby adopted, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to commit the said warrants to any constable of the City of Somerville, for service and return as provided by law, the publication required by ordinance No. 3 to be made in the Somerville Journal, the Somerville Sentinel and the Somerville Citizen.

Adopted.

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Election Warrant for Ward 4 Precinct 1.
City of Somerville.

Greeting,

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to warn the citizens of Ward No. Four, Precinct One, qualified to vote as the law directs, to assemble at a room in the Beach Street School House on Beach Street on Tuesday, the twenty-ninth day of April A.D. 1890 at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and from that time until five o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to give in their ballots for a Common Councilman who shall at the time of his election, be a resident of said ward, to fill the vacancy in the Common Council caused by the resignation of Frank E. Merrill.

The polls for the choice of the said Common Councilman, will be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and closed at five o'clock in the afternoon.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon.

Witness, Charles G. Pope Mayor of our said City of Somerville, on this first day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

George I. Vincent,
City Clerk.

Election Warrant
Ward 4 Precinct 1.

Election Warrant for Ward 4, Precinct 2.

An exact copy of the warrant (above recited) for Ward 4, Precinct 1, except in the number of the precinct and the location of the polling place, which latter is as follows; "a room in the Burns Schoolhouse on Cherry Street."

Election Warrant
Ward 4, Precinct 2.

Election Warrant for Ward 4, Precinct 3.

An exact copy of the warrant (above recited) for Ward 4, Precinct 1, except in the number of the precinct and the location of the polling place, which latter is as follows; "a room in the Highland Schoolhouse on Highland at the corner of Grove St.

Election Warrant
Ward 4, Precinct 3.

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Election Warrant ✓ Ward 4 Precinct 4	Election Warrant for Ward 4, Precinct 4. On exact copy of the warrant (above recited) for Ward 4, Precinct 1, except in the number of the precinct and the location of the polling place, which latter is as follows, the store numbered 280 Elm Street near Winter Street.
Order ✓ abate Sidewalk Assmt Herbert K. Woodman Putnam Street	Alderman Kimball offered the following order. Ordered, That the sum of nine and 73/100 dollars, from an assessment of forty-nine and 3/100 dollars, assessed to Herbert K. Woodman, as his proportional part of the cost of laying a brick sidewalk on the northeast side of Putnam Street, be and the same is hereby abated. Adopted.
Order ✓ adopting plans numbering sundry streets	Alderman Kimball offered the following order. Ordered, That the plans prepared by the City Engineer and presented to this board this evening, for the numbering of

Appleton Street from Lowell Street to Lawrence Street,
Adrian " " Marion " " Joseph "
Brooks " " Main " " Meacham "
Beach Avenue " Webster Ave " Columbia "
Benedict Street " Broadway " Mystic Ave
Buckingham " Beacon Street " Dimick Street
Chester Place " Chester " northwesterly
Chestnut Street " Cedar Street to Cherry Street
Clyde " " " " Boston & Lowell R.R.
Crescent " " Washington " Pearl Street
Chandler " " Park Avenue " Broadway
Chapel " " Elm Street " Chandler Street
Clarendon Avenue " Broadway " Cambridge Line
Calvin Street " Washington Street to Beacon Street
Claremont " " Holland " " Mead "
Cooney " " Beacon " " Line

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Cottage Place	from	Washington Street	northeasterly
Clark Street	"	Newton "	northwesterly
Chauncey Avenue	"	Broadway to Mystic Avenue	
Chapel Court	"	Sycamore Street	northwesterly
Cedar Avenue	"	Cedar "	easterly
Cook Street	"	Wyatt " to Marion Street	
Curtis "	"	Broadway " Medford Line	
Columbia Court	"	Webster Ave. " Columbia Street	
Conlan "	"	Columbia Street	northeasterly
Columbia Street	"	Cambridge Line to Glass House Court	
Craigie "	"	Somerville Ave. " Summer Street	
Dane Court	"	Dane Street	southeasterly
Dimick Street	"	Concord Avenue to Calvin Street	
Dickinson "	"	Springfield Street " Beacon "	
Elm Court	"	Villa Avenue	northwesterly
Everett Street	"	Webster " to Brick Yard Lane	
Eliot "	"	Vine Street " Park Street	
Fitchburg "	"	Fitchburg "	easterly
Franklin Avenue	"	Washington to Franklin Street	
Fremont Street	"	Main " " Meacham "	
Forest "	"	Beacon " " Cambridge Line	
Fairlee "	"	Cherry "	northwesterly
Frost Avenue	"	Somerville Avenue to Dane Street	
Gibbons Street	"	Central Street	westerly
George "	"	Broadway to Sinclair Avenue	
Greene "	"	Summer Street	southwesterly
Gorham "	"	Holland " to Howard Street	
Glass House Court	"	Columbia " " Webster Avenue	
Hinckley Street	"	Broadway " Laurel Street	
Howard "	"	Willow Avenue " Whipple	
Harrison "	"	Ivaloo Street " Mondamin Court	
Hanson "	"	Vine " " Washington Street	
Howard "	"	Thorndike	westerly
Hathorn "	"	Broadway to Arlington Street	
Hall "	"	Cedar Street	northwesterly
Hennessey Court	"	Medford " to Fiske Avenue	

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Herbert Street	from	Chester Street	to Day Street
Irving	"	Holland	" Broadway
Joseph	"	Newton	" westerly
Jay	"	Holland	to Howard Street
Lawrence	"	Hinckley	" B. & L. R.R.
Lendon	"	Linwood	" B. & L. R.R.
Lowell	"	Somerville Ave.	" Medford St.
Line	"	Washington Street	" Cambridge Line
Lincoln Ave.	"	Mt Vernon	" Lincoln Street
Leon Street	"	Concord Ave.	" Dickenson
Merriam	"	Somerville	" Charlestown
Meacham	"	Mt Vernon	" Medford Line
Marion	"	Concord	" Cook Street
Murdock	"	Cedar Street	" Clyde
Mondamin Court	"	Ivaloo	" Harrison
Mousal Place	"	No Union	southeasterly
Mystic Street	"	Mystic Ave.	to Benedict Street
Meacham	"	Cambridge Line	northeasterly
Maple	"	Poplar Street	to Medford Street
Mason Avenue	"	Orchard	" Cambridge Line
Mead Street	"	Cameron Ave.	" Moore Street
Moore	"	Holland Street	" Mead "
Newbury	"	"	" Cambridge Line
North Union	"	Mystic Ave.	northeasterly
Norwood Avenue	"	Medford St.	to Broadway
Nevada	"	Village	" Hanson Street
Oxford	"	School	" Central
"	"	Beacon	" Cambridge Line
Porter	"	Summer	" Highland Ave.
Palmer Avenue	"	Franklin	southwesterly
Loseland Street	"	Beacon	to Cambridge Line
Russell	"	Cambridge Line	" Elm Street
South Wyatt	"	Concord Ave.	" Wyatt's Pit
Skehan	"	Dane Street	" Durham Street
Smith Avenue	"	Beacon	" Line
Sacrement Street	"	Cambridge Line	" Somerville Ave.

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Sherman Street	from	Somerville Ave.	to Frost Ave.
Thorndike	"	Holland Street	southerly
Taggard Court	"	Beacon "	northwesterly
Vine Street	"	Somerville Ave.	to Beacon Street
Villa Avenue	"	Winslow "	" Arlington R.R.
Village Street	"	Dane Street	" Vine Street
Winslow Ave.	"	Elm "	" Grove "
Ward Street	"	Medford	Earle "
Wheatland	"	Broadway	Mystic Ave.
Wyatt Court	"	Wyatt Street	westerly
Washington Ave.	"	Washington	northerly
Wallace Street	"	Holland	to Broadway

all dated April 1, 1890, be and they are hereby adopted, and the numbers thereon are hereby designated as the proper numbers to be affixed to the several buildings on said streets, courts, and avenues, respectively; and the City Engineer is hereby directed to inform the owners of property in said streets, courts and avenues what are the proper numbers to be affixed to their respective buildings, in accordance with said plans, and in compliance with section 5 of ordinance No. 15.

Adopted.

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.

Order convention with School Committee to choose successor to Dr. H. P. Hemenway

Ordered,

That in compliance with the desire of the School Committee, the Board of Aldermen and the Common Council meet in convention with the School Committee, in the Common Council Chamber, Wednesday April 23rd 1890, at 8 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of electing a member of the School Committee, from Ward One, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Horace P. Hemenway, M.D., in accordance with section 20, of the City Charter.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by Common Council April 1.

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Report Com on Finance Annual Appropriations

The report of the Committee on Finance, of appropriations for the current year, presented at the last meeting was taken from the table and acted upon as follows,

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Amended as follows, by changing items, in Fire Department, of Chief Engineers Salary to $1400, Assistant Engineers salary to $400, changing appropriation for Hydrants to $46.000, salary of City Clerk to $2700 (including $600 for assistant), salary of City Engineer to $2,300, salary of assistant clerk of assessors and Committees to $1100, to for Salaries to $27900, appropriation for sidewalks to $16.000, appropriation for Street Lights to $21.000 and the aggregate of the report to $416.500

As amended accepted and sent down for concurrence

In Common Council,

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Amended by reducing the amount of Assistant Engineers salary to $200, amended by adding $900 to total amount of appropriation for Fire Department, making that appropriation $32.900 adding $100 to City Messengers salary making it $1300, making the total salary appropriation $28.000, adding $1000 to appropriation for Street Lights, making it $22.000 and the aggregate appropriation $418.500, otherwise concurred in

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Concurred in all amendments by Common Council except that of salary of the Assistant Engineer of Fire Department upon which item the board adhered to its former action. Sent down for information

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Alderman Hemenway offered the following order

Order
Com. on Conference
salary of
Asst. Eng. of Fire Dept.

Ordered,-

That a committee of conference be appointed to confer with a similar committee on the part of the Common Council, upon the item in the report of the Committee on Finance recommending appropriations for the current year, upon which the two branches of the City Council disagree, namely,-

	Fixed by Alderman at	Fixed by Com. Council at
Salary of Assistant Engineer of Fire Dept.	$400.	$200.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence Aldermen Nickerson, Sanborn and Carpenter appointed as the Committee on the part of this branch.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Councilmen April 1st and Councilmen Pulsifer, Willey and Wentworth appointed on the part of this branch.

Report
Com. on Conference
Salary of
Asst. Eng. of Fire Dept.

The Committee on Conference appointed under the foregoing order reported that the salary of the Assistant Engineer of the Fire Department be $300.00, and presented the accompanying order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council April 1st.

Order
fixing salary
Asst. Eng. Fire Dept.

The order presented with the foregoing report is as follows,-

Ordered,-

That the salary of the Assistant Engineer of the Fire Department, for the current year, be and it is hereby fixed at Three hundred dollars.

Read twice and adopted sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council April 1st.

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Presented to Mayor, and approved by him April 9/90

Order making annual appropriations

Received from the Common Council the following order.

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 1890 laying a specific tax therefor, in part, for the payment of the same, and authorizing the collection of interest on non-payment of taxes.

In Common Council,

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Ordered,-

That for the purpose of defraying the current expenses of the City for the financial year 1890, the following named sums of money be, and they are hereby respectively appropriated to the accounts and for the objects and purposes as hereinafter explained, that is to say,-

Fire Department		
Thirty-two thousand nine hundred dollars	32,900	00
Health Department		
Six thousand dollars	6,000	00
Highways		
Forty-five thousand dollars	45,000	00
Indigent Soldiers and Sailors		
Nine hundred dollars	900	00
Interest		
Thirty-four thousand dollars	34,000	00
Miscellaneous		
Six thousand five hundred dollars	6,500	00
Police		
Thirty-two thousand dollars	32,000	00
Police Station Incidentals		
Twenty-six hundred dollars	2,600	00
Public Library		
Three thousand dollars	3,000	00

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Public Grounds		
Six thousand dollars	6.000	00
Printing & Stationery		
Five thousand dollars	5.000	00
Reduction of Funded Debt		
Forty five thousand dollars	45.000	00
Relief and Burial of Indigent Soldiers & Sailors		
Four thousand dollars	4.000	00
Steam Fire Engines & Equipments		
Forty six hundred dollars	4.600	00
Salaries		
Twenty eight thousand dollars	28.000	00
School Contingent		
Twenty thousand five hundred dollars	20.500	00
School Fuel		
Seven thousand dollars	7.000	00
Schoolhouse Incidentals		
Sixteen thousand dollars	16.000	00
School Teachers Salaries		
Forty three thousand five hundred dollars	43.500	00
Sewers		
Ten thousand dollars	10.000	00
Sidewalks		
Ten thousand dollars	10.000	00
Street Lights		
Twenty two thousand dollars	22.000	00
Support of Poor		
Twelve thousand dollars	12.000	00
Water Maintenance		
eighteen thousand dollars	18.000	00
Watering Streets		
Four thousand dollars	4.000	00
amounting in the aggregate to	$418.500	00
State of Massachusetts		
such sum as has been or may be assessed by the General Court of the state, as the City's		

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portion of a State tax for the year 1890.

County of Middlesex

such sum as has been or may be assessed as the City's portion of a County tax for the year 1890.

Overlay & Abatements

such sum as the Assessors may add to the whole amount of taxes to be assessed, as fractional divisions for convenience in the apportionment.

and it is further

Ordered,

That the aforesaid sum of Four hundred and eighteen thousand five hundred 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, which interest shall be added to and be considered a part of such taxes,

and it is further

Ordered,

That in addition to the sums hereinbefore specified, which are to be raised by taxation, appropriations be and they are hereby made as follows, — for

Interest,

the sums received from the State for corporation and bank taxes.

Public Library

the sums received from the County Treasurer as the City's part of the fees for dog licenses.

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School Teachers Salaries

the sums received from the City of Boston forfeitures on water-rates

S. Roger Wentworth

Order received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by a unanimous yea and nay vote. Sent up for concurrence

In Board of Aldermen,

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Read twice and adopted in concurrence

George I. Vincent

Approved by the Mayor, April 9/90 Clerk

The report of the Committee on Finance, recommending the borrowing and appropriating for a schoolhouse in Ward Two, of Fifty thousand dollars and a schoolhouse in Ward Four of Twenty-five thousand dollars, which report was presented and laid on the table March 26th, was taken from the table

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council April 1st

Report Com. on Finance borrow for schoolhouses

Alderman Lemenway offered the following order

Order borrow $75,000 for schoolhouses Wards 2 + 4.

Ordered:-

That for the purpose of providing for the cost of erecting a schoolhouse in Ward Two and to provide for additional school accommodations in Ward Four, the sum of Seventy-five thousand dollars be and is hereby appropriated to the following accounts namely:- see page

Schoolhouse in Ward Two (Prospect Hill District)

Fifty thousand dollars

Highland Schoolhouse Addition

Twenty-five thousand dollars

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and the Committee on Finance is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum for a term not exceeding ten years from the first day of October 1890 and the Treasurer is hereby authorized, under the direction of said Committee, to issue a bond or bonds of the city of the same.

Received its first reading and, under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by the unanimous yea and nay vote of two thirds of the whole number of members of the Board. Sent down for concurrence.

Received read and laid on the table until the next regular meeting of the Common Council.

Adjourned

Attest

George S. Vincent Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville April 9-1896. 8.10 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hamenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Records read and approved

In pursuance of an order passed February 27th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the westerly side of Bonner Avenue, from Washington Street to Columbus Avenue; all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 26 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Hearing Sidewalk Bonner Avenue

In pursuance of an order passed February a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the southerly side of Columbus Avenue, from the easterly side line of the estate of Carlisto H Bushman to the easterly end of said Avenue, all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officers Return, recorded on page 22 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Hearing Sidewalk Columbus Avenue

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Hearing ✓
Sidewalk
Broadway
School to Marshall

In pursuance of an order passed February 27th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of a brick sidewalk, the Edgestones being already set, on the southwesterly side of Broadway, from School Street to Marshall Street, all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 14 of volume 1 of the Record of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Hearing ✓
Sidewalk
Broadway
School to Sycamore

In pursuance of an order passed February 27th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of a brick sidewalk, the Edgestones being already set, on the southerly side of Broadway, from School Street to Sycamore Street, all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 18 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Hearing ✓
Sidewalk
Medford Street
Stickney Bldg. to Central

In pursuance of an order passed February 27th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of a brick sidewalk with edgestones, on the northerly side of Medford Street, from the Stickney Building to Central Street, all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 20 of volume 1 of the Record of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Captain Charles H. Brown appeared and objected to a brick sidewalk because he would have to clear it of snow in winter, and as he had found considerable difficulty in getting men to attend properly to the removal of snow from

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the sidewalk in front of his estate on Sycamore Street, he feared the same trouble with this proposed sidewalk be laid. He would not object to edgestones and a gravel sidewalk.

Captain Brown also objected in behalf of Mrs Eliza A. Johnson, who did not feel able to meet the expense of brick and edgestones or of edgestones alone.

Mr Henry Hainty appeared and said Mr R. B. Stickney, Mr Kettell and himself owned all the land between Stickney Building and School Street, that they contemplate building on their respective lots within a year and must these fill the land considerably and cart the filling across the sidewalk. They therefore asked that the building of the sidewalk in that part of the street be postponed for the present. A written statement to the same effect signed by Mess. Stickney and Hainty and Mrs Kettell was also received.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Hearing Sewer Kent Court

In pursuance of an order passed February 27th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the taking of land for a sewer in Kent Court, from Kent Street to the westerly end of said Court; all parties interested having been duly notified as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 3 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Mr Edward T. O'Neil, Heir of Catherine O'Neil deceased appeared and said a sewer was needed in the Court but he was not prepared to meet his part of the expense at present and desired that action be postponed for the present.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

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Appointment ✓ Edward F. Backus Operator + Repairer of Electric Lines + Apparatus	Under the provisions of Ordinance No. 45 the Mayor appointed, subject to confirmation, Edward F. Backus Operator and Repairer of Electric Lines and Apparatus. Appointment confirmed.
Request ✓ Water Board Appoint Engineer as Special Police	Received from the clerk of the Water Board a request, in behalf of the President of the Water Board, that Sidney E. Hayden, the Engineer at the High Service pumping station, be appointed a Special Police Officer without pay, the same being approved by the Chief of Police. Appointment as requested made by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.
Report ✓ Chief of Police month of March	Received the report of the Chief of Police for the month of March. Read and sent down for information. Read for information in the Common Council April 14th.
Report ✓ Chief Eng. of Fire Dept. month of March	Received the report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department for the month of March. Read and sent down for information. Read for information in Common Council April 10th.
Resignation ✓ Saml T. Richards Warden Ward 4, Pct. 1	Received the resignation of Samuel T. Richards as Warden of Elections for precinct 1 of Ward 4. Accepted.
Declination ✓ A. J. Taylor Fence Viewer	Received the declination of A. J. Taylor to serve as Fence Viewer. Accepted.
Petition ✓ John Doley permit to move building	Received a petition from John Doley, for permission to move a wooden building 40 feet long, 20 feet wide and 12 feet high, from the westerly side of Medford Street, near Dowell Street through Medford Dowell and Appleton Streets to land

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of Howe on the southerly side of Appleton Street near Lowell Street; and endorsed by Alderman Nickerson that the measurements are substantially correct and that, in his opinion, the proposed removal can be made without injury to public or private property.

Permission granted.

Medford Lowell & Appleton Streets

Received petitions each signed by a parent or guardian of the proposed licensee, that licenses be granted to the following named minors, to sell newspapers, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 43.

Petitions licenses to sell newspapers

J. Alfred Anderson,	254 Washington Street,	aged 12 years
John H. Barche,	52 Ward	" 12 "
Kenneth C. Brown,	12 Elmwood	" 12 "
Michael Carey,	Vine	" 15 "
Thomas J. Crombie,	28 Lincoln	" 12 "
John H. Cummings,	16 Wallace	" 11 "
Philip J. Fitzpatrick Jr,	230 Somerville Ave	" 16 "
Clarence P. Johnson,	9 Vinal	" 12 "
Charles F. H. McDonald,	490 Somerville	" 14 "
Edward Ryan,	Garden Court	" 10 "
Edwin C. Scranton,	467 Somerville Ave	" 14 "
Alfred J. Saunders,	16 Summer Street	" 15 "
Neil C. Yeaton,	49 Clay	" 12 "

all approved by the Chief of Police.

Licenses granted

Received a petition from Frank H. Leavitt, for a permit to build a Wheelwright and Blacksmith shop at 472 Somerville Avenue

Referred to Committee on Building Permits.

Petition Frank H. Leavitt permit to build Wheelwright & Blacksmith Shop

Received a petition from A. S. Willard, endorsed by J. Foster Clark and Martha B. Clark, the owners of the land on which the building stands, for a license to keep a pool table on Broadway and Franklin Streets.

Petition A. S. Willard license for pool table Broadway

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	Licenses granted
Petition ✓ George F. Stone license for Intelligence Office Hotel Warren	Received a petition from George F. Stone, for a license to keep an intelligence office at Room 6, Hotel Warren. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Petition ✓ Thos. H. Fenelon 6th Class Liquor License	Received a petition from Thomas H. Fenelon, for a license of the sixth class at his apothecary store No. 44 Union Square. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Petition ✓ Hallowell & Hoppie 6th Class Liquor License 44 Union Square	Received a petition from Charles A. Hallowell and Frank E. Hoppie, for a sixth class liquor license at their apothecary store No. 8 Elm Street. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Petition ✓ Wm. A. Stone 6th Class Liquor License 7 Washington Street	Received a petition from William A. Stone for a sixth class liquor license at his apothecary, No. 67 Washington Street, at the corner of Florence Street. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Remonstrance ✓ Porter S. Roberts et al against granting petition N. E. Dressed Meat & Wool Co. for license to slaughter	Received a remonstrance from Porter S. Roberts and others, against the granting of the petition of the New England Dressed Meat and Wool Company, for permission to slaughter animals in this City. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Remonstrance ✓ S. S. Tower et al against granting permit for another slaughter house	Received a remonstrance from S. S. Tower and others, against the granting of a permit for another slaughtering establishment in this city. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Statement Wm. G. Haffod et al favoring petition of N. E. Dressed Meat & Wool Co. permit to slaughter	Received a statement from Wm. G. Haffod and others, representing that in their opinion the petition of the New England Dressed Meat and Wool Company ought to be granted. Referred to Committee on Licenses.

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Received a petition from Mrs E. H. Snow, for a sewer in Pearl Street, from the sewer in Cross Street to Rush Street. Referred to Committee on Sewers	Petition ✓ Mrs E. H. Snow Sewer, Pearl Street
Received a petition from S. J. Bowman and others, for the extension of the sewer in Broadway, from its end at School Street to Thurston Street. Referred to Committee on Sewers	Petition ✓ S. J. Bowman et al extension of sewer Broadway
Received a petition from Margaret Hayes, for the removal of a willow tree standing at the corner of Sacramento and Beacon Streets, as it interferes with the erection of a dwelling house which she proposes to build on her lands. Referred to Committee on Highways	Petition ✓ Margaret Hayes removal of tree Sacramento & Beacon Sts
Received a petition from S. J. Bowman, for permission to cut down a tree in the sidewalk on the southerly side of Broadway, which obstructs the entrance to a private way nearly opposite Hadmouth Street. Referred to Committee on Highways	Petition ✓ S. J. Bowman for permission remove tree Broadway
Received a petition from George H. Shaw for a brick sidewalk in front of his estate, No 12 Oakland Avenue, the edgestones being already set, he agreeing to pay for the bricks. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council April 23rd	Petition ✓ George H. Shaw Brick Sidewalk 12 Oakland Avenue
Received a petition from R. H. Sturtevant and others, for a brick sidewalk on the southerly side of Sanborn Avenue, the petitioners to pay for the material of the same. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down	Petition ✓ R. H. Sturtevant et al Brick Sidewalk Sanborn Ave

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for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council April 23rd.

Petition
Anna M. Herrenberg et al.
acceptance & grading
Madison Street.

Received a petition from Anna M. Herrenberg and others for the acceptance and grading of Madison Street.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council April 10th.

Notice
City Engineer
encroachments
on School, Irving
and Newbury Street.

Received from the City Engineer, notice of encroachments on certain streets in front of estates, as stated below.

School Street

West End Street Railway Co. John M. Woods, Mary E. Teardale, Emma A. Tourtellott, Heirs of Thomas Young.

Irving Street

Gilman D. Colburn.

Newbury Street

Warren Locke, Horatio Locke, Henry Holton and H. C. Ferry (lot 39)

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by Common Council April 10th.

Petition
W. C. Kinsley Post G.A.R.
appropriations for $300
Memorial Day expenses

Received a petition from Willard C. Kinsley Post, No. 139 G.A.R. for the usual appropriation of three hundred dollars, for Memorial Day expenses.

Referred to Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council April 10th.

Jurors

In compliance with a venire,

Frederick Balch, &

Myron E. Barnes,

were drawn to serve as Traverse Jurors in the Supreme Judicial

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Court to be holden at Lowell on the third Wednesday of the present month of April; the said jurors to be notified to attend said court at that time.

Order granting Building Permits

Order granting Building Permits

Ordered,

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave if necessary, to encumber such portions of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Addition or Alteration	Street
Jason E. Harrick	J. E. Harrick	wooden dwelling		Chandler
Marvin O. Royce	M. O. Royce	" "		Bonair
	Mrs Laura E. Briggs	" "		Court off Broadway
John Coon	John Coon	"		Cherry
Joseph Miller	Joseph Miller	"		Elm
" "	" "	"		Summit
Gould + Murray	Gould + Murray	2 "		Albion
" "	" "	2 "		Hardson
James Elston	James Elston	2 "		Dickerson
Wm J. McLane	Sarah E. Kidder	2 "	in a block	Rosmore
E. K. + Wm E. Blaikie	Wm Egin	2 "	" "	Appleton
	John J. Morey	2 blocks of 2 houses each		Temple
J. H. Wilbur	J. H. Wilbur	7 wooden dwellings		Nashua
John C. Thompson	M. E. Barnes	carriage house		School
C. W. + S. H. Abbott & Co.	Herbert E. Hill		S.	Elm
Elisha Grant	Albert Cole	Stable - wood	(3 horses)	42 Oliver

Adopted.

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Report Com on Elections result of election in W. 1 April 1st

The Committee on Elections, having examined the returns of votes cast in the several precincts of Ward one, in this city, at the election held therein April 1st for a Common Councilman to fill the vacancy in the Common Council caused by the resignation of Edwin A. Wilcox, and having compared the said returns with the City Clerk's record thereof on pages 18 and 19 of volume 1 of the Records of Elections of the City of Somerville, - reported that the said returns are in due form and that the City Clerk's record thereof agrees therewith, and that, as the result of said election, S Walker James has been elected to fill the aforesaid vacancy in the common council.

Accepted.

Order declaring result of election in Ward 1 April 1

Alderman Edmands offered the following order.

City of Somerville.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen April 9th 1890

Ordered.-

That the result of the election held in ward one, of this city, April 1st, for a common councilman to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Edwin A. Wilcox, be, and it is hereby, declared to be as stated in the report of the committee on elections presented to this board this day; and the City Clerk is hereby directed to notify S. Walker James of his election, as stated in said report, and to request him to be present in the common council chamber in the city hall, Wednesday April 23rd, at 8 o'clock P.M. to take the oath of office.

Adopted.

Order Com on Sewers construct sewer Kent Court

Alderman Hammaway offered an order for the construction of a sewer in Kent Court, as recorded on page 485 of volume 1 of the Records of Sewers, Taking of Land and Orders to Construct, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted. Approved by the Mayor April 25

Wednesday April 9, 1890

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of L. L. Ellis, for permission to set two hitching posts in front of his residence No 357 Broadway, reported recommending that the petition be granted.

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com on Highways
L. L. Ellis
permit set hitching posts
357 Broadway

The Committee on Highways, reported recommending leave to withdraw, on petitions for sidewalks, from:

Levi A. Hammond and others, for a brick sidewalk on the westerly side of Putnam Street, from Summer Street to Highland Avenue, the edgestones being already set.

L. H. Shaw and others, for a brick sidewalk on the southerly side of Oakland Avenue, from Marshall Street to School Street.

L. H. Farmer and others, for a brick sidewalk on Thurston Street, from Broadway to Evergreen Avenue.

E. S. Potter and others, for a brick sidewalk on the northwest side of Wallace Street, from Broadway to Holland Street, the edgestones being already set.

J. S. Boynton and others, for a brick sidewalk, with edgestones on the northerly side of Washington Street, from the Fitchburg Railroad to Blanc Street.

the report on said last named petition also covering the remonstrance of the Heirs of John F. Bacon and others against the construction of such sidewalk.

Accepted

Report ✓
Com on Highways
sundry petitions
and a remonstrance
sidewalks

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of the West End Street Railway Company, (taken from the files of 1889, and referred to said Committee, by an order passed March 26th) for leave to construct maintain and use a single track on Medford Street, with suitable turnouts and connections, from the junction of said Medford Street and Broadway to a point connecting with the existing track on said Medford Street with a turnout near

Report ✓
Com on Highways
West End St. Ry Co
location
Medford Street

Wednesday April 9 1890

Central street, - reported on order

Accepted

Order granting location to West End St. Ry Co. Medford Street.

The order presented with the foregoing report, is for a location to the West End Street Railway Company for a single track in Medford street, from the present track near Central street to the line of the town of Medford, with suitable turnouts and connections, and is recorded on page 203 of volume 1 of the Record of Locations for Poles and Wires, and Street Railways, and permits to move Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville

Acceptance & agreement filed April 23-1890

Adopted

Order adopting plans for numbering sundry streets

Alderman Kimball offered the following order

Ordered, -

That the plans prepared by the City Engineer and presented to this board this evening, for the numbering of of

Adams Street,	from	Broadway to Medford Street
Albion	"	" " Line
Alfred	"	" "
Allen Court	"	Park Street, northwesterly
Alpine Street	"	Cedar " south easterly
Alston	"	Cross " to Shawmut Place
Ames	"	Bartlett " Robinson Street
Arnold	"	Harrison " Broadway
Bartlett	"	Vernon " Medford street
	"	Washington " Asylum Grounds
Bedford	"	South " Cambridge line
Belmont	"	Summer " Highland Ave
Bennett	"	Prospect " Bennett Court
Bennett Court	"	Bennett " Prospect Street
Benton Avenue	"	Summer " Highland Ave
Bishop Place	"	Glen " easterly
Blakeley Ave	"	Winthrop Ave, " Cross street

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Bolton Street	from	Oak Street	to	Houghton
Boston Ave	"	Medford Line	"	Medford Line
Bowdoin Street	"	Washington Street		westerly
Bradford Avenue	"	School	"	southeasterly
Braston	"	Sowell	to	Porter Street
Buckingham Street	"	Beacon	"	Olmick
Broadway	"	Williams	"	Arlington Line
Cambria Street	"	Central		northwesterly
Cedar St. Place	"	Murdock	"	south "
Charles Street	"	Washington	"	Asylum grounds
Chestnut "	"	Poplar	"	southeasterly
Clifton	"	Morrison	"	Arlington Br. R.R.
College Avenue	"	Broadway	"	Medford Line
Connell	"	Curtis Street	"	westerly
Connell Street	"	Highland Avenue		Porter Street
Cooney	"	Beacon Street	"	Line
Cottage Place	"	Washington		northwesterly
Crocker Street	"	Highland Avenue	to	Brown street
Crown "	"	Porter Street	"	Sowell "
Cutter Avenue	"	Summer	"	Highlands Ave
Cypress Street	"	Morrison	"	Orange street
Derby "	"	Temple	"	Wheatland
Dexter "	"	Broadway	"	Medford Line
Distillhouse	"	South Street		Cambridge
Dix Place	"	Linwood		south westerly
Dunham Street	"	Beacon	"	Hanson street
Dow "	"	North	"	easterly
Earle "	"	South	"	Fitchburg R.R.
" "		Broadway		southwesterly
Eastman Place	"	Highland Avenue		"
Elm Street	"	Somerville		to Medford Line
Emery "	"	Fitchburg R.R.	"	South Street
Endicott Avenue	"	Broadway		south westerly
Fairmount	"	Curtis Street		north "
Fanning	"	Willow Avenue	to	Lexington Ave
Farragut	"	Broadway		southwesterly

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Fisk Avenue	from Hinckley Street	to	Lowell Street
Francesca	Elm		Liberty Avenue
Franklin Court	Somerville Ave		B. & S. R.R.
Place	Franklin Street		south easterly
Fremont Avenue	Parker		easterly & westerly
Fitchburg Street	Summer		"
Gardner Court	Somerville Ave	to	Fitchburg R.R.
Garfield Avenue	Broadway		Mystic Avenue
Garrison	"		south westerly
Giles Place	Walnut Street		north
Gill Court	Franklin		"
Grant Street	Broadway	to	Mystic Avenue
Grove	Elm Street		Morrison Street
Hadley Court	Franklin		westerly
Hall Avenue	Elm		Liberty Avenue
Hammond Street	Dickinson		Concord
Harding	South		Cambridge Line
Harris	Beacon		"
Hawthorne	Willow Avenue		north westerly
Heath	Temple Street		Brooks Street
Henry Avenue	Highland Ave		Lexington Ave
Hillside	Pearl Street		south westerly
Park	Walnut		north
Hodgdon Place	Lane Court		easterly
Holt Avenue	Oak Street		south
Horace Street	South	to	Fitchburg R.R.
Hudson	Cedar		Central Street
Hunting	South		Cambridge Line
Harrison	Elmwood		southerly
James	Broadway		Holland Street
Jasper	Pearl Street		Gilman
Jenny Lind Ave	Vernon		Broadway
Jerome Street	Sycamore		Montrose Street
Joy	Washington		Poplar
Joy St. Place	Joy		southwesterly
Jacob Street	Billingham		Elm Street

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Kensington Ave.	from	Broadway	to	Berkeley Avenue
Kent Street	"	Somerville Ave.	"	Beacon Street
" Court	"	Kent Street		northerly
Kidder Avenue	"	Elm	"	Liberty Avenue
Leonard Place	"	Joy	"	northeasterly
Lamson Court	"	Linwood	"	"
Leland Street	"	Washington		"
Lesley Avenue	"	Highland Ave.	to	Lexington Ave.
Leslie Place	"	"		easterly
Lexington Avenue	"	Willow	"	south
Liberty	"	Appleton Street		north
Linden	"	Summer	"	"
" Place	"	Linden Avenue	"	westerly
Loring Street	"	Somerville	to	" easterly
Lincoln Avenue	"	Lincoln Street		Mt Vernon Street
Main Street	"	Broadway	"	Medford Line
Mansfield	"	Somerville Ave.		Washington St.
Maple Place	"	White Street		south easterly
Meacham Street	"	Arlington Branch R.R.	to	Orchard St.
Melrose	"	Mystic Avenue		Middlesex Ave.
Middlesex Avenue	"	"	"	Medford Line
Mill St. Place	"	Somerville	"	southwesterly
Miller Street	"	Sacramento Street		north
Miner	"	Vernon	"	to Ames Street
Minehan Court	"	Linwood Street	"	Chestnut St.
Linwood Place	"	"	"	southwesterly
Morrison Street	"	Willow Ave.	"	Cedar Street
Mountain Avenue	"	Linden	"	Porter
Mt Pleasant Court	"	Broadway		southwesterly
" " Avenue	"	Curtis Street		north
" Vernon	"	Main	to	Meacham Street
Murray Street	"	Washington		southerly
Mystic Avenue	"	Charlestown Line		Medford Line
Nashua Street	"	Appleton Street		B. & S. R.R.
Norfolk	"	Webster Avenue		Cambridge Line
North	"	Broadway		Medford

Wednesday April 9, 1890.

Newton Place	from Newton Street		southeasterly
Oak St. Place	Oak		northerly
Orange Street	Broadway	to	Cedar Street
Orient	Morrison		Orange Street
Packard Avenue	Broadway		Medford Line
Parker Street	Washington St		Fremont Ave
Patten Court	Cutter		southeasterly
Pembroke Street	Central		Sycamore Street
Poplar	Somerville Ave		Joy
Professors Row	College		Curtis
Prospect Place	Prospect Street		Brick Yard Lane
Randel Street	Morrison		Orange Street
Raymond Ave	Curtis		North
Record Place	Broadway		southwesterly
Rudd Court	Olivers Street		" "
Renick	Cutter		" easterly
Rideout Street	South		Cambridge Line
Robinson	Central		Bartlett Street
Sellon Court	Marshall		northwesterly
Sewall Street	Grant		Temple Street
" Court	Sewall		southwesterly
Shawmut Place	Shawmut		Alston Street
Sibley Court	Cutter		northwesterly
" Place	"		"
Simpson Ave	Broadway		Holland Street
South Street	Medford Street		westerly
Spring Court	Somerville Ave		"
St James Avenue	Elm Street		Summer Street
Stone "	Union Square		Columbus Ave
" Place	Stone Avenue		southeasterly
Taylor	Somerville		southerly
" Street	Mystic	to	Sydney Street
Thurston	Medford Street		Richdale Ave
Tower	Brown		Highland
" Court	Tyler		northeasterly
Tremont Street	Webster Avenue		Cambridge Line

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Trull Street	from	Vernon Street	to	Medford Street
Tube Works Court		Somerville Ave		southwesterly
Tyler Street		Vine Street		Hanover street
Union Place		Linwood		southwesterly
Vernon Street		Central		Lowell Street
Warren		Medford		Cambridge Line
Warwick		Cedar		southeasterly
Waverly		Washington		southerly
Wenus		Curtis		northwesterly
Willington Ave		Walnut		southeasterly
West Street		Broadway		Heath Street
		Hawthorne		Arlington Br R.R.
Weston Ave		Glendale Ave		Broadway
Whipple Street		Hawthorne Street		Arlington Br R.R.
Willoughby		Central		Sycamore Street
Willow Avenue		Elm		Broadway
" Place		Cambridge Line		South Street
Wilson Avenue		Broadway		Cedar
Wilton Street		Lowell Street		Lawrence
Winter		Elm		Holland
Wyatt		Washington		westerly

all dated April 9, 1890, be and they are hereby adopted and the numbers thereon are hereby designated as the proper numbers to be affixed to the several buildings on said street and avenue, respectively; - and the City Engineer is hereby directed to inform the owners of property in said street and avenue what are the proper numbers to be affixed to their respective buildings, in accordance with said plans, and in compliance with section 5. of ordinance No. 15.

Adopted.

Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of a gravel sidewalk with edgestones, on the westerly side of Bonner Avenue, from Washington Street to Columbia Avenue, to be 5 ft. and 12 feet in width, - as recorded on page 27 of volume 4, of the Record of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen, - of the City

Order
Construction of Sidewalk
Bonner Avenue

Wednesday April 9, 1890

of Somerville

Read twice and adopted

Approved by the Mayor April 14th

Order construction sidewalk Columbus Ave.

Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the southerly side of Columbus Avenue, from the easterly side line of Barlista C. Bushman to the easterly end of said avenue, to be six and 1/2 feet in width, as recorded on page 23 of volume 1 of the Record of Sidewalks, - Hearings and Construction, - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted

Approved by the Mayor April 14th

Order construction sidewalk Broadway School to Marshall St.

Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of a brick sidewalk, the edgestones being already set on the southwesterly side of Broadway, from School Street to Marshall street, to be of the width of eight and 1/2 feet from School street to the westerly line of the estate owned by Maria P. Anderson, and from that point to Marshall street fifteen feet, as recorded on page 15 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, - Hearings and Construction, - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted

Approved by the Mayor April 14th

Order construction sidewalk Broadway School to Sycamore

Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of a brick sidewalk, the edgestones being already set, - on the southerly side of Broadway, from School Street to Sycamore Street, to be of the width of eight and 1/2 feet, as recorded on page 19 of volume 1 of the Record of Sidewalks, - Hearings and Construction, - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted

Approved by the Mayor April 14th

Wednesday, April 9, 1890

Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of a brick sidewalk with edgestones, on the northerly side of Medford street, from School street to Tennyson street, to be of the width of eight 8 4/12 feet, as recorded on page 31 of volume 1 of the Record of Sidewalks, - Hearings and Constructions, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Order construction sidewalk Medford St. School to Tennyson

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor April 14th

Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of a gravel sidewalk with edgestones, on both sides of School Street from Summer Street to Highland Avenue, to be of the width of six 6 8/12 feet, as recorded on page 7 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, - Hearings and Constructions, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Order construction sidewalk School St. Summer to Highland Ave.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor April 14th

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.

Order changing names southerly part Church St. to South Church Street & Brick Yard Lane to Newton Street.

Ordered, -

That the name of that part of Church Street, lying between Somerville Avenue and Lake Street, be and the same is hereby, changed to South Church Street, also - that the name of the street known as Brick Yard Lane, between Prospect Street and Webster Avenue, be, and the same is hereby, changed to Newton Street.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council April 10th. Approved by the Mayor April 14th

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Thomas A. Kent and others, that a new street, - extending from Summer Street to Laurel Street, be called Kent Avenue, reported recommending that the petitioners be given leave to withdraw.

Report Com. on Highways Thos. A. Kent et al changing name of Laurel Street to Kent Avenue

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council April 10th.

Wednesday April 9, 1890.

Report Com. on Fire Dept. exchange of hose carriage for a fuel wagon

The Committee on Fire Department, authorized by an order dated February 27th, to exchange an old hose reel carriage for a two horse fuel wagon, at a cost not to exceed fifty-five dollars, reported that the exchange had been made with Wm. T. Henderson, at an expense of fifty five dollars.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council April 10th.

Order Com. on Fire Dept. purchase a steam fire engine

Alderman Converse offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Fire Department, be and hereby authorized and instructed to purchase a steam fire engine and equipments, at a cost not to exceed forty-six hundred dollars, and to be charged to Steam Fire Engine and Equipments Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council April 10th.

Approved by the Mayor April 14th.

Order Com. on Fire Dept. exchange horses of Steam Fire Engine

Alderman Converse offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Fire Department, be and are hereby authorized to exchange one or two horses now used on Steam Fire Engine No. 1,- the expense of said exchange to be charged to Fire Department Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council April 10th.

Approved by the Mayor April 14th.

Wednesday April 9 1890.

The Committee on Public Property, which was authorized and instructed, by an order dated March 12th to procure a suitable safe in which the records of the School Committee may be kept, at a cost not exceeding seventy-five dollars to be charged to School Contingent Account, reported that a safe has been purchased of W. C. Ireland & Co. at a cost of fifty-five dollars, and the bill of the same forwarded to the School Board.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council April 10th.

Report ✓
Com on Public Property
procuring of safe for School Committee Records.

Alderman Converse offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Property, be and is hereby requested to investigate and report the manner in which the Lincoln Schoolhouse has been heated from the time of its construction to the present time, and to state in said report how many times the schools in said building have been closed in each winter on account of cold, and how much any of the pupils have had to exercise with their outside garments on to keep warm in the school room during school hours; also the condition of the atmosphere as indicated by the thermometer, and if the heating by the present apparatus is sufficient, and if not what can be done to remedy the defect.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Order ✓
Com on Public Property
investigate manner of heating &c. Lincoln School

On motion of Alderman Souther, the report of the Committee on Highways, submitting an order for the granting of sundry locations to the Somerville Electric Light Company, action on which was postponed March 12th was taken from the table, and

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
Som. Electric Light Co.
sundry locations

Wednesday April 9, 1890

Order granting sundry locations Som. Elec. Light Co.	The order submitted with the foregoing report, for the granting of sundry locations to the Somerville Electric Light Company, is recorded on page 2 of volume 1, of the Record of Locations for Poles and Wires and Street Railways and Permits to move Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Agreement filed May 14-1890.	Adopted.
Order borrow $100.000 for current expenses.	Alderman Edmands offered the following order Ordered, That for the purpose of 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 thousand dollars, for a term not exceeding eight months, and the treasurer is hereby authorized under the direction of said committee to give a note or notes of the city therefore, payable from the moneys collected for said taxes, to be approved by the mayor.

Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by unanimous yea and nay votes. Sent down for concurrence.

Received in the Common Council April 10th its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by unanimous yea and nay votes in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor April 10th.

Adjourned.

Attest.

George S. Vincent Clerk

Meeting of Board of Aldermen.
City Hall.
Somerville April 23, 1890. 8.15 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Records read and approved.

Alderman Sanborn offered the following order,—
Ordered,—

That a message be sent to the common council, requesting a convention of the two branches of the city council in the common council chamber this evening, for the following-named purposes:—

1. To witness the taking of the oath of office by S. Walker Janes, Councilman-elect from Ward one;

2. To elect, by ballot, an overseer of the poor, from Ward one, for four years.

Adopted, and Alderman Sanborn appointed a messenger to convey the request to the common council.

In Common Council, Apr 23, 1890.

Request granted, and Councilman Willey appointed to convey the information to the Board of Aldermen.

Order
Convention
swear Councilman-elect Janes, and elect an Overseer of the Poor.

In Convention of the City Council.

Convention City Council

His honor the Mayor presiding

Aldermen, Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn, President Osgood and Councilmen Webber, Pulsifer, Barber, Dickerman, Caswell, Willey, Wentworth, Armstrong, McLean, Eldridge

Wednesday April 23, 1890

and Prichard present.

Oath of Office administered to S. Walker James Councilman-elect from Ward 1.

In pursuance of an order passed this evening, the Mayor appointed Councilman Willey a committee of one to present S. Walker James, Councilman-elect from Ward one, for qualification.

The oath of office was then administered to Councilman-elect James, by his honor the Mayor, Charles G. Pope Esq. Justice of the Peace, and the oath was subscribed by the Councilman-elect and certificate thereof made by the Mayor, the oath, signature and certificate being recorded on the blank page opposite page 3 in volume 2 of the record of Oaths, in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Somerville.

Election Overseer of the Poor

In pursuance of the same order the convention proceeded to the election of an Overseer of the Poor, from Ward One, for four years.

The Mayor appointed Alderman Hemenway and Councilmen Barber and Caswell a committee to receive, assort and count the ballots, and after performing that duty, the Committee reported as follows,-

Whole number of ballots	21
Necessary for choice	11
Levi F. S. Davis has	21

and Levi F. S. Davis was declared elected.

The purposes for which it was assembled having been accomplished, the convention dissolved.

Convention City Council and School Com.

In Convention of the City Council and the School Committee.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Wednesday April 23, 1890

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn, President Osgood. Councilmen Webber, Pulsifer, Barber, Dickerman, Carwell, Willey, Wentworth, Armstrong, McLean, Eldridge, and Pickard, and Mess. Cutter, White, Carroll, Shepard, Bingham, Dickerman, Hill and Bryant of the School Committee, present.

Election of member of School Committee

In pursuance of an order passed April 1st the convention proceeded to the election of a member of the School Committee, from Ward One, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Horace P. Hemenway, in accordance with the provisions of the City Charter.

The Mayor appointed Alderman Edmands, Councilman Pulsifer and Mr. White, a committee to receive, assort and count the votes, and after performing that duty the committee reported as follows:-

Whole number of ballots 29
Necessary for choice 15
Sanford Hanscom has 29

and Sanford Hanscom was declared elected.

The purpose for which it was assembled having been accomplished, the convention dissolved and the Aldermen returned to their chamber.

Board of Aldermen

In Board of Aldermen

His Honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Wednesday April 23 1890

Report ✓
Com. on Finance
Schoolhouses
Wards 2 + 4

Received from the Common Council, the report of the Committee on Finance, made to this board March 24th, and laid on the table until April 1st, recommending the borrowing, on Funded Debt Account, and the appropriation, Schoolhouse in Ward Two of Fifty thousand Dollars & Schoolhouse in Ward Four Twenty thousand Dollars, endorsed as follows, -

In Common Council, April 10th

Laid on the table until the next regular session of the Common Council.

In Common Council, April 10th

Taken from the table. Amended by changing the amount of appropriation for Schoolhouse in Ward Four, from $25,000 to $15,000. As amended, accepted and sent up for concurrence.

Chas. S. Robertson, Clerk.

On motion of Alderman Souther the report was laid on the table.

Order ✓
borrow on Funded Debt
for Schoolhouses
Wards 2 + 4.

Received, from the Common Council, the order passed by this board April 1st, for the borrowing on Funded Debt Account, and the appropriating, for Schoolhouse in Ward Two, of Fifty Thousand Dollars & Highland Schoolhouse Addition Twenty-five Thousand Dollars, endorsed as follows, -

In Common Council,

April 1. 1890.

Read and laid on the table, until the next regular session of the Common Council.

In Common Council, April 10 - 1890

Taken from the table. Received its first reading. Amended by changing the amount of appropriation for Schoolhouse in Ward Four from $25,000 dollars to $15,000 dollars. Under a suspension of the rules received its second reading and final passage, as amended, by the unanimous yeas and nays votes of more than two thirds of the whole number of members of the Common Council in non-concurrence. Sent up for concurrence.

Wednesday April 23, 1890

On motion of Alderman Souther, the order was laid on the table.

Received from the Common Council the following order:-

Order borrow on Funded Debt for School-house Ward 3.

Ordered:-

That $35000 be borrowed on the funded debt account, to be applied towards the purchase of a suitable lot of land in Ward 3 & the erection of an 8 room school building thereon, said school-house to be built during the current year.

In Common Council

April 16th 1890

Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules its second reading and final passage by the unanimous yea & nay voter of more than two-thirds of the whole number of members of the Common Council. Sent up for concurrence.

In Board of Aldermen

April 23-1890

Said on the table.

Received from the Common Council, the following order.

Order Com. on Public Property get plans for a School-house, Ward 2

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorized and empowered to procure plans and specifications for a twelve-room school building on land to be purchased in Ward Two.

In Common Council,

April 16-1890

Lead twice and adopted. Sent up for concurrence.

In Board of Aldermen,

April 23,-1890

Lead twice and adopted in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor Apr. 25th

Wednesday April 23 1895

Resolution ✓
by Common Council
requesting this board to
cause poles in streets
to be set erect and painted

Received from the Common Council the following resolution

Somerville April 10 1895

In Common Council

Resolved,

That the Board of Aldermen be and hereby are requested to cause all the telegraph, telephone and Electric light poles in the City to be set erect and placed in proper position and painted

In Common Council

April 10 - 1895

Adopted and sent up for information

In Board of Aldermen

Apl 23 - 1895

Read for information

Order ✓
Com on Public Property
investigate heating &c
Lincoln School

Received, from the Common Council, the order passed by this board April 9th requesting the Committee on Public Property to investigate and report the manner in which the Lincoln School house has been heated, &c, - endorsed as follows, -

In Common Council

April 15 - 1895

Referred to next City Government, in new concurrence Sent up for information.

On motion of Alderman Converse the order was laid on the table.

Petition ✓
H. J. McSean
substitute Arc for
Incandescent light
Cor Concord Ave & Sean St

Received, from the Common Council, a petition from H. J. McSean, that the incandescent light on the corner of Wyatt, Dickerson and Sean Streets and Concord Avenue, be removed and an Arc light put in its place

In Common Council,

April 23 1895

Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent up for concurrence

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In Board of Aldermen,

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Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights in concurrence.

Alderman Edmands offered the following order,— Order

Ordered,— borrow $100,000

That for the purpose of providing for the cost of erecting a School house in Ward Two, purchasing the land and erecting a school-house thereon in Ward Three, and enlarging the Highland schoolhouse in Ward Four, the sum of one hundred thousand dollars be and is hereby appropriated to the following accounts, viz, for schoolhouses Wards 2, 3 + 4.

Schoolhouse in Ward Two, (Prospect Hill District) the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000)

Schoolhouse in Ward Three, the sum of thirty five thousand dollars, ($35,000)

Highland schoolhouse addition the sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000), and the Committee on Finance are hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of one hundred thousand dollars for a term not exceeding two years from the first day of October 1890, 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,

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Received its first reading, and under a suspension of the rules its second reading and final passage by the unanimous yea and nay votes of more than two thirds of the whole number of members of the board of aldermen. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council,

Apr. 23, 1890

Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules its second reading and final passage by the

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unanimous yea and nay votes of more than two-thirds of the whole number of members of the Common Council in concurrence.

Wm P. Mitchell, Clerk pro tem.

Apr 25/90 approved.

Chas G. Pope,
Mayor.

Communication School Committee hired rooms Prospect Hill Dist.

Received a communication from the sub-committee of the School Committee, of the Prospect Hill District, stating that it will be necessary to use the rooms now rented for school purposes in the "Irving" building on Somerville Ave, and in the hall on Bow Street known as the Union Square Baptist Church, as well as the basement room in the S. V. Bell School, as they are used as overflows for the Bennett, Jackman, Bell and Cummings schools, in which schools respectively there are now 71, 75, 53 and 59 scholars of the first grade.

Referred to Committee on Public Property and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Apr 23rd

Recommendation Chief Eng. Fire Dept Discharges and Appointments

Received a communication from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, recommending the discharge, at their own request, of

Frank W. Downs, a member of Hose Company No 5, 3d
Erick H. Arnold " " " " " " 1,

also recommending the appointment to fill vacancies, of

James D. Perkins Jr, as a member of Saddes Company No 1,
Albert W. Higgins, " " " Hose " " 3,
& Edgar T. Shaw, " Assistant Foreman of " " " 1,

Discharges and appointments, as recommended, made by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

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Received a petition from Simon Connor, that Israel E. Winterbottom the janitor of Connor Building, be appointed a Special Police without pay, approved by the Chief of Police. Appointment, as requested, made by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen	Petition ✓ Simon Connor Appt. I. E. Winterbottom Special Police without pay
Received a petition from the North Packing and Provision Company, for the appointment of John S. Raven and Frederick S. Sawyer, both citizens of Somerville, as Special Police Officer, without compensation, approved by the Chief of Police. Appointments, as requested, made by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen	Petition ✓ North Packing & Prov. Co. appointment of John S. Raven, F. S. Sawyer Special Police without pay
Received a petition from George O. Richards, for permission to move a wooden building, 30 feet long, 15 feet wide and one story high, from land of Wm. Armstrong, corner of Somerville Avenue and Spring Street, across Somerville Avenue to land of T. Gallagher on the North side of Harden's Court near Somerville Avenue; endorsed by Alderman Edmands that, in his opinion the permit should be granted without injury to public or private property. Permit granted	Petition ✓ George O. Richards permit move building Somerville Ave.
Received a petition from John Beck, Agent for Frank A. Robbins Circus of New York, for a license to give a tent show on Clark Street, Thursday, May 15th, recommended by the Chief of Police. License granted	Petition ✓ John Beck Agent license tent show
Received a petition from James J. Muldoon, for a license to give a concert and entertainment in Odd Fellows Hall, Winter Hill, Thursday evening May 1st. License granted	Petition ✓ James J. Muldoon license entertainment

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Petition ✓ Dennis Haley license collect junk	Received a petition from Dennis Haley for a license to collect junk, approved by the Chief of Police. License granted.
Petition ✓ sundry persons license cry goods	Received petitioners for licenses to cry their goods in the streets, from

Charles F. Dowley	394	Washington Street,	Somerville
Daniel Fallon	222	Franklin "	Cambridge
John Fitzgerald	15	Belmont "	Somerville
Michael H. Gartland	609	Somerville Ave.	Cambridgeport
Edgar F. Gross	291	Main Street	Somerville
Dennis Haley	rear 26	Myrtle "	Boston
Alexander Harrigan	314	Commercial "	Charlestown
Guy S. Kendall	319	Main "	Somerville
John F. Syms	14	Chestnut "	"
Timothy J. Syms	17	" "	"
Arthur C. Sellon	28	Glen	"
John Sweeney	210	Somerville Ave.	"

all approved by the Chief of Police.
Licenses granted.

Petitions ✓ sundry persons license ring bell in streets	Received petitions for licenses to ring a bell in the streets for the sales of their goods, consisting of Ice Cream, from

Francesco Capciante	76	Prince Street,	Boston
Luigi Fenochietti	"	"	"
Gaetano Garaboni	163	Endicott "	"
William McFarland	491	Main "	Charlestown

all approved by the Chief of Police.
Licenses granted.

Petitions ✓ sundry minors license sell newspapers	Received petitions, each signed by a parent or guardian of the proposed licensee, that licenses be granted, for the sale of newspapers, under the provisions of ordinance No. 43, to the following named minors, —

George E. Flagg, 14 Elmwood Street, Aged 11 years

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Peter F. Manning,	556 Somerville Ave.	aged 13
Martin Ryan,	Garden Court,	" 13
Arthur S. Saunders,	Granite Street,	" 14
Daniel W. Shea,	Dane Court,	" 14

all approved by the Chief of Police.
Licenses granted.

Received petitions for Auctioneer's licenses, from
Jerome S. Daniels,
Joseph J. Giles,
Stillman H. Libby,
Charles W. Sawyer
all of Somerville, and all holding licenses that will expire May 1st.
Licenses granted.

Petitions sundry persons Auctioneer's licenses.

Received petitions for sixth class liquor licenses from the following named apothecaries,

Christopher C. Brady,	71 Summer Street
E. F. Chaffee,	cor. Cross & Webster
George H. Cowdin,	25 Union Square
G. Henry Creighton,	2 Studio Bldg. Davis Sq.
Augustine Cunningham,	186 Somerville Ave.
Jeffers & Co.	310 Broadway
Henry D. Padelford,	cor. Marshall & Pearl Sts.
Frank E. Studley,	Elm & Dover
George T. Unwin,	178 Washington Street
Emory F. Kenneth	cor. Cross & Alston
S. T. Phipps	Bow Street
and Darius W. Pollard,	Junction Broadway & Medford

Referred to Committee on Licenses.

Petitions sundry persons 6th class liquor licenses.

Received a petition from Frederick W. Slade, for a Common Victualler's license, at No. 15 Union Square.
Referred to Committee on Licenses.

Petition Frederick W. Slade Victualler's License

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Petition ✓ Hugh Gallagher license Pool & Billiards	Received a petition from Hugh Gallagher, for a license to keep a billiard and pool room at No. 571 Somerville Avenue. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Petition ✓ Wm A. McCarthy license pool tables	Received a petition from Wm A. McCarthy, 898 Meridian St, East Boston, for a license to keep three pool tables in connection with a cigar and tobacco store, at No. 69 Washington Street, Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Petition ✓ N. E. Dressed Meat & Wool Co. for leave to amend former petition for leave to slaughter	Received a petition from the New England Dressed Meat and Wool Company, for leave to amend its former petition for permission to establish its slaughtering business in this city, so that it shall cover the slaughtering of sheep and calves only. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Remonstrance ✓ John Herbert & others against petition N. E. Dressed Meat & Wool Co.	Received a remonstrance from John Herbert and others, against the granting of the petition of the New England Dressed Meat and Wool Company for permission to establish a slaughter house in Somerville. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Petition ✓ S. S. Gross license sell fireworks	Received a petition from S. S. Gross, for a permit to sell fireworks for the coming holidays, June or July. Referred to Committee on Fire Department.
Application ✓ A. Johnson for Wm Armstrong permit to build Som. Ave. & Spring St.	Received an application from Alexander Johnson for a permit to build a block of two stores and four dwellings on land of William Armstrong, at the corner of Somerville Avenue and Spring Street. Referred to Committee on Building Permits.

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Received a petition from William Armstrong, for permission to have two bay windows, in the second story of a building to be erected on his land at the Corner of Somerville Avenue and Spring Street, project about twenty inches over the sidewalk of said Avenue.	Petition ✓ Wm Armstrong leave for bay windows to project over sidewalk Somerville Ave
Petitioner given leave to withdraw	
Received petitions for drain layers licenses from Andrew W. Bryne, who offered Julius A. Durell, as surety on his bond	Petitions ✓ sundry persons drain layers licenses
Maurice Buttimer, Frank Buttimer	
Dennis C. Collins, Wm Armstrong	
John J. Dorey, Jeremiah McCarthy (Bonaire St.)	
Nicholas Leonard, Dennis F. McCloskey	
Charles A. Morgan, Charles S. Butters	
Wm A. Muzzey, Asa Durgin	
Referred to Committee on Sewers	
Received a petition from George G. Fox and others, for a sewer in a new street running from Broadway to Heath street, nearly opposite Thurston Street, to connect with an extension of the Broadway sewer already petitioned for.	Petition ✓ Geo. G. Fox et al Sewer new street off Broadway
Referred to Committee on Sewers	
Received a petition from E. G. Park and others, that two electric light poles on Arlington street be removed, and more suitable ones erected in their places.	Petition ✓ E. G. Park + others unsuitable poles removed, Arlington St.
Referred to Committee on Highways	
Received a petition from George W. Ireland and others, that curbstones be set in front of their property on Preston St.	Petition ✓ George W. Ireland et al curbstones, Preston St.
Referred to Committee on Highways	
Received a petition from John Kennedy and others, for brick sidewalks on the easterly side of Church street, from Somerville Avenue to Summer Street, the edgestones being al-	Petition ✓ John Kennedy et al Brick sidewalk

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Church Street	ready set. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition ✓ Wm A. Muggey Brick Sidewalk Newbury Street	Received a petition from William A. Muggey, for a brick sidewalk in front of his estate on Newbury street, the bricks to be furnished by him, and the edgestones having already been ordered set. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council April 23rd.
Petition ✓ Wm H. Preston Brick Sidewalk 91 Boston Street	Received a petition from William H. Preston, for a brick sidewalk in front of his estate No. 91 Boston Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council April 23rd.
Petition ✓ W. H. Berry edgestones Beacon & Harris Sts.	Received a petition from W. H. Berry, that an edgestone, to be furnished by him be set in front of his estate on Beacon and Harris streets. Referred to Committee on Highways, and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council April 23rd.
Petition ✓ S. S. Tower & others acceptance & grading Tyler Street	Received a petition from S. S. Tower and others, for the acceptance and grading of Tyler Street. Referred to Committee on Highways, and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council April 23rd.

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Received a petition from Willard A. Morrow and others, that William Street be accepted and graded. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council April 23rd.	Petition ✓ Willard A. Morrow et al. acceptance William Street
Received a petition from T. B. Williams and others, that Claremon Street be repaired. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Apr. 23rd.	Petition ✓ T. B. Williams et. al. repairing of Claremon Street
Received a petition from Edwin L. Bradshaw and others, that a crossing be laid across Elm Street, from the westerly side of James Avenue. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council April 23rd.	Petition ✓ Edwin L. Bradshaw and others Crossing Elm St. & Highland Ave
Received a petition from Thomas Kirk, Captain of Company M. 8th Regiment, M. V. M. that the 500 yard distance at the Mystic Avenue Rifle Range be completed as soon as possible. Referred to Committee on Public Property and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council April 23rd.	Petition ✓ Capt. Co. M. 8th Regt. M. V. M. that 500 yards distance at Rifle Range be finished
Received a petition from Thomas Kirk, Captain of Company M. 8th Regiment, M. V. M. that permission be granted his command to use the public grounds on Highland Avenue, between the Steamer House and the High School, about ten times each year between April and October, for the purpose of skirmish and other drills, or that	Petition ✓ Capt. Co. M. 8th Regt. that grounds be provided for purposes of drill

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other suitable grounds be furnished for the purpose in accordance with sec. 92, Chap. 411, Acts of 1887.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by Common Council, April 23rd.

Petition A. O. Elston + others that Preston Street be lighted

Received a petition from Abraham O. Elston and others, that Preston Street be lighted, there being, at present, no lights on that street.

Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by Common Council April 23rd.

Notice of Suit Francis S. Aldrich Action of Tort

Received a notice to appear in the Superior Court at Cambridge, on the first Monday of May next, and answer unto Francis S. Aldrich, of Somerville, in an action of Tort, - damages being claimed in the sum of one thousand dollars.

Placed in hands of City Solicitor, and sent down for concurrence.

Action concurred in by the Common Council April 23rd.

Notice of Suit George L. Foss Action of Tort.

Received a notice to appear in the Superior Court in Cambridge on the first Monday of May next, and answer unto George L. Foss, of Somerville, in an action of Tort, - damage being claimed in the sum of one thousand dollars.

Placed in hands of City Solicitor, and sent down for concurrence.

Action concurred in by the Common Council, April 23rd.

Order granting Building Permits

Order granting Building Permits.

Ordered, -

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave if necessary, to encumber such portions of the street and sidewalk

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as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Add. or Alteration	Street
J. C. Paul	J. E. Paul	wooden dwelling		Hudson
Geo. K. Ricker	John O'Brien	"		Durham
Daniel E. Robbins	D. E. Robbins	"		Francesca Ave
James T. Chisholm	Wm. Crocker	"		18 Bonair
Robt. H. Collupy	S. S. Higgins	"		Albion
A. S. Teele	E. S. Russell	"		Moore
George E. Ricker	John S. Ambrose	"		Columbus Ave
Wm. E. Jones	M. J. Conany	"		Wheatland
John Stackpole	Geo. C. Webber	"		Dover
Geo. M. Starbird	E. P. Higgins	"		Medford
Isaac Scherman	A. B. Cushing	"		Albion
Henry A. Christopher	John Alexander	"		Green
Joseph Miller	J. Miller	2 "		William
Geo. M. Starbird	C. Callahan	2 "	in a block	Medford
Mark Saighton (Minnie L. Underhill)		"		Hathorn
Geo. W. Marston	Mrs. Marston		add. to building	45 Dover
Oscar Freeman & Co.	A. E. Cross		" " house	58 Oxford
John C. H. Snow	Mr. Boynton		" of S	210 Summer
Thos. F. Farrington	J. Seland Norcross		" " S.	60 Marshall
Robt. McPherson	B. & S. R. R.	one office		Medford
H. J. West	H. J. West	carriage house		Lillingham
Alexander Johnson	Holland & Daniels	window	shade factory	cor. Vine & Beacon
Sylvester Woods	James Buckley	shed		London
Jesse S. Rich	C. E. McLeod	stable		Evergreen Ave
Mr. Higgin	Clara A. Brooks		addition bay window	266 Summer

Adopted

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Order taking land for Sewer Kent Court

An order for taking of land for the purposes of a Common Sewer in Kent Court, as recorded on pages 4 to 8, inclusive of volume 1, of the Record of the Taking of Land for, and Orders to Construct, Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, — was

Adopted.

Order adopting Jury List

Alderman Carpenter offered the following order

Ordered:

That the accompanying jury list, prepared by this board this evening, be and it is hereby adopted; and the city clerk is hereby directed to cause the same to be posted in several of the public places in this city as required by section 23 of chapter 170 of the Public Statutes, and to present said list, after it shall have been so posted at least ten days to the Common Council for revision and acceptance.

Adopted.

Jury List

City of Somerville

Jury List prepared by the Board of Aldermen under Sect 23, of Chap. 170 P.S.

Ward One Precinct One

Atwood, Ebenezer S,	Hawkins, Hugh A,
Brainard, Joseph A,	Kane, Alonzo
Chandler, John P,	Sibley, Hebron A,
Cummings, David	Sund, Walter,
Cutter, Fitch H,	Moore, Henry H,
Dalton, Arthur H,	Newcomb, Frederick,
Daniels, Gardner F,	Nickerson, Charles G,
Dustin, Edward O,	Porter, Charles H,
Elliott, Russell C,	Pratt, Charles A,
Gleason, Fred A,	Rich, John D,
Goodspeed, Oliver F,	Snow, George W,
Ham, Elias, Jun,	Webster, Humphrey P,
Harper, Arthur H,	

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Ward One Precinct Two

Atwood, Charles E,
Bailey, Calvin A,
Bartlett, Frank D,
Burgess, Henry W,
Clark, Elijah C,
Crosby, Warren A,
Dame, Thomas C,
Foster, Alexander jun,
Gates, Charles E,
Griffin, George H,
Hammett, Charles L,
Houghton, Edgar,
Hutchinson, William L,
Jones, Henry W,
Lombard, Henry F,
Perkins, George S,
Lemick, George W,
Robinson, William F S,
Scott, Daniel L,
Sellew, Lewis S,
Southworth, Edwin W,
Turbox, Horace E,
Tompkins, Franklin
Tyler, Arthur W,
Wentworth, Dexter L,

Ward One Precinct Three

Ayer, Fred C,
Bemis, Arthur W,
Carpenter, Reuben
Chick, Herbert A,
Coffin, Herbert S,
Fisher, John,
Gallelly, James,
Gerrish, Charles E,
Haskell, Enoch jun,
Higgins, Alexander M,
Jones, Robert K,
Hunt, Samuel, jun,
Melvin, James N,
Nichols, John D,
Noyes, Frank A,
Palmer, Benjamin P,
Poole, Frank A,
Robinson, Charles F,
Sargent, Thomas T M,
Stearns, Hiram N,
Tarbell, Henry W,
Tewksbury, J Gardiner,
Waterhouse, Edwin J,

Ward One Precinct Four

Atwood, George W,
Bodge, Daniel W,
Chandler, Oscar M,
Clarry, Oliver C,
Dowd, Richard,
Fay, Francis L,
Griffin, William W,
Harney, William T,
James, S Walker,
Judge, Daniel
Kirby, Michael
Manning, John
Mattson, William S,
Mayo, Zeda H,
Mildram, Frank S,
Moore, John,

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Randall, Joseph H.,
Shaw, Clarence W.
Smith, Alpheus E.,
Timson, Albert E.,
Walker, Osgood L.,
Webber, Albert H.,
White, William V.,

Ward Two Precinct One

Adams, Charles L.,
Allen, Herbert T.,
Baxter, George E.,
Beard, James F.,
Blaikie, Thomas L.,
" William E.,
Bonner, George C.,
" William H.,
Burbank, Charles G.,
Drouet, Ernest Charles,
Eberle, Philip,
Gilson, Henry E.,
Gookin, Abijah L.,
Hartwell, Haywood,
Hines, Alfred H.,
Holt, Samuel W.,
Howe, William S.,
Kidder, Arthur T.,
Lovejoy, Alvan S.,
" Edwin S.,
Elliot, Matthew P.,

Ward Two Precinct Two

Adams, Frank H.,
Ahern, Maurice J.,
Barnes, Walter S.,
" Walter S., Jun.
Burroughs, Chas. H.,
" Wm. Henry,
Butters, Chas. S.,
Connor, Simon,
Cox, Francis H.,
Doten, Benjamin F.,
" Herbert W.,
Draper, Edward S.,
Elliot, Charles D.,
Farrington, Charles C.
" Thomas F.,
Fillebrown, George W.,
Foster, Alexander,
" Charles H. S.,
Grove, William S.,
Howes, Alonzo C.,
Kingman, Edward A.,
" Walter E.,
Lingley, Oscar J.,
Maynard, George A.,
" Lambert H.,
McLaughlin, Amos L.,
McMasters, George C.,
Murdock, George L.,
Odiorne, George A.,
Robinson, George D. B.,
Simonds, Charles H.,
Snell, Mason A.,
Solomon, Frank S.,
" William H.,
Souther, Nathan T.,
Stone, Frederick W.,
Thorpe, Harry,
Tufts, Albert C.,

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Ward Two Precinct Three

Armstrong, William,	Knowles, Thomas,
Atherton, Adams H.,	Leavitt, Frank W.,
Bacon, John Franklin,	Legallee, Charles A.,
Bedell, Adington D.,	Merrifield, John A.,
Bucknam, Davis P.,	Pratt, Edgar J.,
Chase, Charles H.,	Rodgers, George H.,
Collins, Dennis C.,	Sheerin, John J.,
Dwyer, Timothy C.,	Tower, Levi S.,
Haskell, Albert S.,	Triggs, Robert H.,
Hunnewell, George G.,	Wyman, George E.,
Knapp, Gardiner,	

Ward Two Precinct Four

Brackett, Lyman F.,	Lorentzen, Henry,
Brine, William H.,	McLane, James A.,
Brown, Henry D.,	Merrill, Lewis E.,
Carr, Lawrence M.,	Munroe, Alexander,
Clark, S. Adams,	Page, Daniel W.,
Davlin, James F.,	Rafferty, Thomas,
Eaton, William E.,	Shannon, Robert,
Elston, John F.,	Silsbee, Charles W.,
Farland, Robert,	Southwick, Charles A.,
Graham, Robert C.,	Stevens, Charles W.,
Hutchinson, Daniel F.,	Teukles, Frank L.,
Kent, Joseph S.,	Winterbottom, Israel,

Ward Two Precinct Five

Bean, Enoch T.,	Lyons, Jeremiah J.,
Belcher, Horace A.,	Holmes, Charles A.,
Bennett, Dana W.,	McPhillips, John T.,
" Dexter F.,	Laybold, William E.,
Cadwallader, Thomas J.,	Sanborn, David A.,
Corliss, Joseph S.,	Tsull, Charles Walter,
Gilpatrick, Jason W.,	Walker, Irason L.,
Guthrie, George E.,	Wiggin, Harrison D.,
Kidder, Andrew M.,	" Harry H.,

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Ward Three Precinct One

Abbott, Sheldon H,	Hopkins, Samuel H,
Andrews, James M,	King, Martin S,
Burns, Edward A,	Sovering, Hiram A,
Carroll, Frank T,	McGregor, David S,
Cobb, Charles H,	Moody, Stephen N,
Cole, Barnard,	Munday, William F,
Condit, Sears,	Porter, Samuel A,
Cuthbertson, James	Potter, Henry K,
Dodge, John T,	Rich, Solomon D,
Fortier, Thomas	Richards, George A,
Fuller, Charles R,	Stackpole, John
Gill, Martin,	Thacher, Cyrus
Gleason, Joseph H,	Underhill, Jesse J
Hall, Horace E,	Whipple, Tyler S,

Ward Three Precinct Two

Adams, George W,	Hunt, Edgar R,
Bacon, Fred C,	Jaques, Frederick W,
Bartlett, Edward T,	Jeffers, Samuel T. jun.
Billings, Henry S,	Nelson, Alexander O.
Butler, Jacob T,	Osgood, Willard F,
Colman, Ammiel	Perkins, Charles A,
" Charles W,	Pillsbury, Ernest D,
Currant, John F,	Sanborn, Charles H,
Dunmore, John S,	Seavey, Leonard C,
Dusseault, John H,	Slater, Fred R,
Fuller, Frank A,	Thompson, George R,
Gifford, William R,	" William S,
Harts, Charles,	Woodbury, James H,
Harvey, William R,	Young, Fred S,
Hobbs, Alfred R,	

Ward Three Precinct Three

Angier, Henry A,	Crompton, John T,
Butler, Joshua T,	Cushman, William H,
Chaplin, Charles	Dearborn, Luther G,
Corwin, Charles R,	Desmond, Daniel W,

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Farrar, Willard S,	Kilmer, Frederick M,
Fitz, N. Everett,	Sadd, Hale M,
Foote, Edward H,	Sitchfield, James A,
Gleason, Walter H,	Sittlefield, Samuel T,
Gould, Oscar O,	Nelson, Edwin S,
Hall, William F,	Norwood, Moses K,
Hardison, Frank H,	Parks, Charles E,
Hathaway, Henry C,	Lich, Syman B,
Hollis, Joseph H,	Sears, Eben
Irish, Thaddeus P,	Stevens, Edward E,
Stillson, Daniel C,	Whitaker, James E,
Studley, Stillman S,	" James S,
Underhill, S. Augustus	Wilcox, Charles A,
Ware, Francis A,	Willoughby, George T,

Ward Three Precinct Four

Adams, George E,	Hollis, Lewis B,
Andrew, John,	Huse, George W S,
Baldwin, Lillian M,	McKenna, George F,
Benner, Dexter G,	Norton, Edwin M,
Berry, Andrew C,	O'Brien, Edward,
Eaton, Edward L,	Richardson, Homer S,
Elliott, George E,	Robie, Francis E,
Felton, Burton R,	Whittemore, John G,
French, David O,	" John O,
Fuller, George F,	Wilkins, Franklin,
" James H,	" George F,
Gray, Henry,	Williams, Frank G,
Griffiths, William F,	

Ward Four Precinct One

Banks, David S,	Daniels, Edward S,
Benton, Lewis C,	Davis, Frederick S,
Bradshaw, Charles H,	David, James B,
" Edward H,	Dunne, Frank S,
Brock, John F,	Edmands, Warren H,
Bullard, Charles H,	Egerton, Wales S,
Cox, John	Flannegan, Lewis C,

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Foster, William C,	Quinlan, John J,
Gordon, George A,	Richards, Samuel T,
Hall, Walter P,	Robinson, Charles T,
Higgins, Solomon S,	" Frank D,
Savey, John T,	Taylor, George E,
Lynch, James L,	Tibbetts, Frank W,
McDermott, Daniel W,	Pitman, Harold A,
Morgan, Charles E,	White, William J,
Nichols, John S,	Winnard, Walter,
Pitman, Charles L,	

Ward Four Precinct Two

Alden, William L,	Somax, George H,
Brett, Charles G,	McDonald, William M,
Brown, Horace E,	Mead, Frank W,
Buckman, William E,	Mink, Louis
Chandler, Charles S,	Moore, Thomas
Currier, James L,	Pickett, Charles M,
Densmore, Charles D,	Lowe, James S,
Dunbar, Alfred T,	Schroeder, John M,
Friend, Frederick W,	Shannon, Patrick,
Johnson, Charles S,	Sherman, Thomas L,
Jones, Enoch L,	Stiles, William K,
Keating, John,	Wilde, Maximilian S, G
Lacy, Patrick,	

Ward Four Precinct Three

Ball, John N,	Knapp, Samuel,
Lowers, Frank E,	Prior, George H,
Lowers, Harrison G D	Laynes, Charles N,
Colcord, Charles A,	Lolfe, Frank A,
Cook, John W,	Loss, Burton S,
Crocker, David W,	Shedd, Frank S,
DeWick, Egbert W,	Stacy, Albert C,
Fallis, John,	Steele, Danforth S,
Felt, Irving G,	Tucker, D Wallis,
Fobes, Walter K,	Wilder, Loring S,

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Ward Four Precinct Four

Atwell, Horace F,	Evans, Lester C,
Bailey, Charles A,	Fay, Henry C, Jun
Bertwell, Charles F,	Fenton, James J,
Burgess, Edwin M,	Gaffney, William H,
Chadbourne, Henry	Heald, W. Irving,
Coggin, William H,	Hobart, Franklin A,
Colvin, Horace J,	Hollis, Samuel,
Cressey, Charles N,	Huntress, Franklin E,
Dasey, Otis N,	Libby, George L,
Dickey, Frank W,	Pierce, Walter E,
Dow, Henry W,	Pushee, Frank S,
" Walter A,	Snow, Winsor S,

Adopted as specified in order of even date.

The Committee on Building Permits, on the application of Frank W. Seavitt, for permit to build a wheelwright and blacksmith shop at 472 Somerville Avenue, reported recommending that a permit be granted.

Report ✓
Com on Bldg Permits
Frank W. Seavitt
Wheelwright & Blacksmith Shop 472 Som. Ave.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered,

That the licenses granted Jany 10th, Feby 12th and Feby 27th to Alfred List, Alfred Bolger, Edward J. Bradshaw, Leon A. Cameron, William F. Purinton, Louis E. Felch, Edward E. Moore, Charles F. Maxwell, and Joseph Philips, to sell newspapers, under the provisions of ordinance No 43, be and they are hereby revoked, the said licensees having failed to procure badges as required by said ordinance.

Adopted.

Order ✓
revoking licenses
sell newspapers

The Committee on Licenses, on petition of Emeline P. Sherman for a Common Victualler's license at 16 Webster Ave, reported an order.

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com on Licenses
Emeline P. Sherman
Victualler

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Order ✓ Victualler's License Emeline P. Sherman 10 Webster Ave	The order accompanying the foregoing report is as follows, Ordered:- That a Common Victualler's license be issued to Emeline P. Sherman at No 10 Webster Avenue, under the provisions of Chapter 102 of the Public Statutes, the same to remain in force until the first day of May 1891, unless sooner revoked, Adopted.
Report ✓ Com. on Licenses Chas. H. McCawley Auctioneer's license	The Committee on Licenses on petition of Charles H. McCawley, for an Auctioneer's License reported an order. Accepted.
Order ✓ Auctioneer's License Chas. H. McCawley	The order accompanying the foregoing report is as follows,- Ordered,- That an Auctioneer's license be issued to Chas. H. McCawley, when he shall have paid the fee of two dollars for the use of the City as required by law, said license to expire May 1st 1891 unless sooner revoked or rendered void. Adopted.
Report ✓ Com. on Licenses George F. Stone Intelligence Office	The Committee on Licenses, on the petition of George F. Stone, for a license to keep an Intelligence Office at the Hotel Warren, reported recommending leave to withdraw. Accepted.
Report ✓ Com. on Sewers Michael Dalton drain layer's license	The Committee on Sewers, on the petition of Michael Dalton, for a Drain Layer's License, reported recommending leave to withdraw. Accepted.
Report ✓ Com. on Sewers M. M. Prescott	The Committee on Sewers, on the petition of M. M. Prescott, for a sewer in Russell Street, from Orchard Street to the Cambridge line, reported an order.

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Accepted.

Sewer Russell Street

The order accompanying the foregoing report, for the construction of a common sewer in Russell Street, from the sewer in Orchard Street to the Cambridge Line, as recorded on page 48, of the Record of the Taking of Land for, and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was

Read twice and adopted

Approved by the Mayor April 25th.

Order ✓
Com on Sewers
construct sewer
Russell Street

The Committee on Sewers, on the petition of Mrs E. M. Snow, for a sewer in Pearl Street, from the sewer in Cross Street to Rush Street, reported recommending leave to withdraw,

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com on Sewers
Mrs E. M. Snow
Sewer Pearl Street

The Committee on Sewers on petition of Frank M. Sheldon and others, for a sewer in Elm Street, between Kidder Avenue and Broadway reported recommending leave to withdraw

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com on Sewers
Frank M. Sheldon et al
Sewer Elm Street

The Committee on Sewers, on the petition of Oliver W. Ingalls and others, presented a report, in due form, for the taking of land for the purposes of a common sewer in Sycamore Street, a private way as recorded on page 9 of volume 1 of the Record of the Taking of Land for, and Orders to Construct, sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com on Sewers
Oliver W. Ingalls et al
Sewer Sycamore St

Accompanying the foregoing report was an Order of Notice for a hearing on the taking of land for the purposes of a sewer in Sycamore Street from Highland Avenue to Madison Street, as recorded on page 10 of volume 1, of the Record of the Tak-

Order of Notice ✓
Taking of land
sewer
Sycamore Street

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ing of Land of for, and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville

Adopted

Report Com on Sewers M. F. Fitzsimmons et al. Sewer Hunting Street

The Committee on Sewers on petition of Matthew F. Fitzsimmons and others, presented a report, in due form, for the taking of land for the purposes of a common sewer in Hunting Street, a private way, as recorded on page 17 of volume 1 of the Record of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

Accepted

Order of Notice taking of land Sewer Hunting Street

Accompanying the foregoing report was an Order of Notice for a hearing on the taking of land for the purposes of a common sewer in Hunting Street, from South Street to the Cambridge line, as recorded on page 18 of volume 1 of the Record of the Taking of Land for, and Orders to Construct, Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

Adopted

Order Com on Police add 3 signal boxes to signal system

Alderman Souther offered the following order

Ordered,

That the Committee on Police be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to add three street signal boxes to the Police Signal System, the expense so incurred to be charged to Police Account.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor April 25th

Report Com on Highways Sidewalk Elm Street

The Committee on Highways, on an order of Oct. 29, 1895, for a brick sidewalk on Elm street, from the estate of Wm. T. Henderson to Mossland street, reported an order of notice for a hearing on the construction of a brick sidewalk, with edgestones, on the southwesterly side of Elm street, from a point 135 feet southeast of the northwesterly side line of the estate of Wm. T. Henderson, on Mossland Street.

Wednesday April 28, 1896.

Accepted

The order of notice submitted with the foregoing report, for a hearing on the construction of a brick sidewalk, with edgestones, on the southwesterly side of Elm street, from a point one hundred and forty five feet southeast of the northwesterly side line of the estate of William T. Henderson to Morrison street, is recorded on pages 18 of volume 1 of the Record of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, and the said order was

Order of Notice ✓
Sidewalk
Elm Street

Adopted

The Committee on Highways on the petition of Richard E. Pickthall and others, for a brick sidewalk, with edgestones, on both sides of Howe street, reported an order of notice for a hearing on the construction of gravel sidewalks with edgestones on both sides of Howe street as petitioned for.

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
R. E. Pickthall et al
Sidewalks
Howe Street

Accepted

The order of notice submitted with the foregoing report for a hearing on the construction of gravel sidewalks with edgestones, on both sides of Howe street, from School street to Marshall street, is recorded on pages 19 of volume 1, of the Record of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville; and the said order was

Order of Notice ✓
Sidewalks
Howe Street

Adopted

The Committee on Highways on petition of John Buckley and others, for edgestones and gravel sidewalks in Virginia street, reported an order of notice for a hearing on the construction of gravel sidewalks, with edgestones, on both sides of Virginia street, from Aldrich street to Josephs street

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
John Buckley et al
Sidewalks
Virginia Street

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	Accepted
Order of Notice Sidewalk Virginia Street	The order of notice, submitted with the foregoing report, for a hearing on the construction of gravel sidewalks, with edge stones, on both sides of Virginia Street, from Aldrich street to Jasper street, is recorded on page 41 of volume 1, of the Record of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, and the said order was
	Adopted
Report Com on Highways F. E. Richardson et al Sidewalks Evergreen Avenue	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of F. E. Richardson and others, for edgestones on Evergreen Avenue, reported an order of notice for a hearing on the construction of gravel sidewalks on both sides of Evergreen Avenue, from School street to Thurston street
	Accepted
Order of Notice Sidewalks Evergreen Avenue	The order of notice, submitted with the foregoing report, for a hearing on the construction of gravel sidewalks, with edgestones, on both sides of Evergreen Avenue, from School street to Thurston street, is recorded on page 45 of volume 1, of the Record of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, and the said order was
	Adopted
Report Com on Highways S. J. Bowman removal of tree Broadway	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of S. J. Bowman for the removal of a tree on the northeasterly side of Broadway, nearly opposite Austin street, reported an order
	Accepted

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The order presented with the foregoing report, is as follows:

Ordered:

That the Committee on Highways, be and are hereby authorized and instructed to remove a tree standing on the northeasterly side of Broadway, nearly opposite Dartmouth Street, the same being an obstruction to a private way.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor April 25th.

Order ✓
Com on Highways
remove tree
Broadway opposite
Dartmouth Street

The Committee on Highways on the petition Margaret Hayes, for the removal of a willow tree standing at the corner of Sacramento and Beacon Streets, reported an order.

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com on Highways
removal of tree
Sacramento + Beacon St

The order presented with the foregoing report is as follows:

Ordered:

That the Committee on Highways be and are hereby authorized and instructed to remove a willow tree standing at the corner of Sacramento and Beacon streets, as said tree interferes with a house about to be erected.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor April 25th.

Order ✓
Com on Highways
remove tree
Sacramento + Beacon St

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of J. H. + T. H. Aymar, for the removal of a tree at the corner of Hathorn Street and Broadway, reported an order.

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com on Highways
J. H. + T. H. Aymar
removal of tree
Hathorn St. + Broadway

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Order ✓ Com on Highways remove tree Hathorn St Broadway	The order submitted with the foregoing report, is as follows:- Ordered:- That the Committee on Highways, be and are hereby authorized and instructed to remove a tree standing at the corner of Hathorn Street and Broadway said tree being an injury to the house. Read twice and adopted. Approved by the Mayor April 26th.
Report ✓ Com on Highways Thomas Geghan removal of tree 298 Broadway	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Thomas Geghan, for the removal of a tree in front of No 298 Broadway, as said tree is standing in front a proposed driveway, reported recommending leave to withdraw. Accepted.
Order ✓ adopting numbering plans sundry streets	Alderman Kimball offered the following order Ordered:- That the plans prepared by the City Engineer and presented to this board this evening, for the numbering of Newton Street, from Prospect Street to Concord Avenue, South Church Street, from Somerville Ave to Lake Street, Richardson Street, from Lowell Street, to Lawrence Street, Sycamore Street, from Medford Street to Broadway dated April 23 1890, be and they are hereby adopted, and the numbers thereon are hereby designated as the proper numbers to be affixed to the several buildings on said streets respectively, - and the City Engineer is hereby directed to inform the owners of property in said streets what are the proper numbers to be affixed to their respective buildings, in accordance with said plans, and in compliance with section 5 of ordinance No 15. Adopted.

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The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Henry F. Woods, for the building of a fence on the northwesterly side of North Street, between stone bounds numbered 17 and 18, as per order of the County Commissioners, reported an order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council April 28th.

Report Com on Highways Henry F. Woods that a fence be built North Street

The order submitted with the foregoing order is as follows:

Ordered,

That the Committee on Highways, be and are hereby authorized and instructed to build a fence on the Northwesterly side of North Street, between stone bounds 17 and 18 as ordered by the County Commissioners, the expense of the same to be charged to the appropriation for Highways.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council April 28, 1890.

Approved by the Mayor April 28th.

Order Com on Highways build a fence North Street

The Committee on Highways, on petitions for street crossings, from

the Odd Fellows Hall Association, for one in front of their building on Broadway to the horse railroad track,

C. N. Clark and others, for one on Orchard Street, at the east side of Clay street,

John H. Ordway and others, for one on the south side of Morrison street across Grove Street, and

the Winter Hill Baptist Church and others, for one in front of said church on School street.

reported that crossings have been constructed as prayed for.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Report Com on Highways sundry petitions street crossings

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Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council April 23rd.

Report Com on Highways Sprague & Hathaway driveway

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Sprague & Hathaway for a driveway in the area of their building at the corner of Elm and Clay streets, reported that a driveway has been constructed as prayed for.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council April 23rd.

Report Com on Highways L. F. Wild change driveway School St. to Oakland Av.

The Committee on Highways on the petition of L. F. Wild, for the changing of the driveway in front of his residence No. 239 School Street, to the Oakland Avenue side, reported that the driveway has been changed as prayed for.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council April 23rd.

Report Com on Highways James Kolger et al for the repairing of St. James Ave.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of James Kolger and others for the repairing, and placing in good condition, of St. James Avenue, reported that the Avenue has been placed in good condition, as prayed for.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council April 23rd.

Report Com on Highways contract for edgestones Jeremiah McCarty

The Committee on Highways, which was authorized, by an order dated March 18th, to make a contract with Jeremiah McCarty, for the furnishing of such edgestones and paving stock as may be required during the year, reported that a contract has been made as authorized by said order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in Concurrence by Common Council April 23rd.

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Alderman Kimball offered the following order

Ordered;

That the Committee on Highways, be and are hereby authorized to sell sods from the Waltham gravel lands at a price not less than 24¢ per foot, the amount so received from said sale to be credited to the appropriation for Highways

Adopted and sent down for concurrence

Adopted in concurrence by Common Council April 23rd

Approved by the Mayor April 25th

Order ✓
Com on Highways
sell sods from
Waltham Gravel lands

Alderman Kimball offered the following order

Ordered;

That the Committee on Highways, be and are authorized to negotiate with the City of Cambridge for the lowering of the water way under the Archbridge on Broadway over Alewife Brook,

Adopted and sent down for concurrence

Laid on the table by the Common Council April 23rd

Order ✓
Com on Highways
negotiate with Cambridge for lowering
of water way
Alewife Brook &
Broadway

Alderman Kimball offered the following order

Ordered;

That the Committee on Highways be and are hereby authorized to exchange a horse now in department and to purchase a new pair of horses, at a cost not to exceed five hundred and fifty five dollars, the expense of the same to be charged to the appropriation for Highways

Read twice and adopted sent down for concurrence

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence April 23rd

Approved by the Mayor April 25th

Order ✓
Com on Highways
exchange and buy
horses

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Order ✓ Comm on Highways buy double cart	Alderman Kimball offered the following order. Ordered. That the Committee on Highways be and are hereby authorized to purchase a double cart the expense of the same to be charged to appropriation for Highways. Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence. Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence April 23rd. Approved by the Mayor April 25th.
Order ✓ Comm on Highways sell & buy crushed stone	Alderman Kimball offered the following order. Ordered. That the Committee on Highways be and are hereby authorized to sell such amount of crushed stone as they may deem advisable, and to purchase in its stead, other crushed stone, the expense of the same to be charged to appropriation for Highways. Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence. Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence April 23rd. Approved by the Mayor April 25th.
Order ✓ changing name of Appleton St Ward 2 to Richardson St	Alderman Kimball offered the following order. Ordered. That a street heretofore called Appleton street, extending from Lowell street to Lawrence street be hereafter designated and known as Richardson street. Adopted and sent down for concurrence. Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council, April 23rd. Approved by the Mayor April 25th.
Report ✓ Com on Finance Kinsley Post 139 G.A.R. appropriation for	The Committee on Finance, on the petition of Willard C. Kinsley Post, 139, G.A.R. for the usual appropriation of three hundred dollars for the observance of Memorial Day, reported an order.

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Accepted and sent down for concurrence. — Memorial Day

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council April 23rd.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows. — Order — Common Accounts appropriate $300.00 for Memorial Day expenses.

Ordered,—

That the Committee on Accounts be and is hereby authorized to approve, on payroll of miscellaneous, the sum of three hundred dollars, in favor of Willard B. Kinsley Post 139, G.A.R. for the customary observance of Memorial Day.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence, April 23rd.

Approved by the Mayor April 25th.

Alderman Kimball offered the following order. — Order — Mayor employ extra clerical help Assessors Department

Ordered,—

That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized to employ such clerical help as may be required in the Assessors' Department during the present season, the expenses so incurred to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council April 23rd.

Approved by the Mayor April 25th.

Alderman Dickerson offered the following order. — Order — Com. on Public Property buy land of Albert Davis on Boston & Washington sts.

Ordered,—

That the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorized and instructed to purchase of Herbert T. Allen and Joseph N. Davis, at a price not to exceed fifty-five cents per square foot, a certain parcel of land on the northwesterly corner of Washington and Boston streets, bounded as follows, namely,—

Southerly by Washington street one hundred fifty eight and

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34/100 feet (158 34/100)

Westerly by land of Mary A. Holt, one hundred fifty three and 53/100 feet (153 53/100)

Northerly by land of Heirs of Henry Y. Gilson and of land of June Y. Gay, one hundred and ninety six and 86/100 feet (196 86/100), and

Easterly by Boston Street one hundred sixty one and 7/100 feet (161 7/100), and containing 27,286 square feet more or less, the cost of the same to be charged to School house in Ward Two (Washington Street) Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence April 23rd.

Presented to the Mayor April 25th.

Order ✓ Com on Public Property sell old material at Morse School

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered

That the Committee on Public Property be and are hereby authorized to sell old bricks and materials at the Morse Schoolhouse, the sum so received from such sale to be credited to the appropriation for Schoolhouse Incidentals.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council, April 23rd.

Approved by the Mayor April 25th.

Order ✓ Com on Public Property sell old junk at Public Library

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered.

That the Committee on Public Property be and are hereby authorized to sell old junk which may be stored in the basement of the Public Library, the proceeds from such sale to be credited to Miscellaneous Account.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council, April 23rd.

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Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

Ordered:

That the Committee on Public Property be and are hereby authorized and instructed to procure plans and specifications for the erection of an eight-room schoolhouse in Ward Three, and for addition to the Highland School in Ward Four, the expenses so incurred to be charged to Schoolhouse in Ward Three Account, and Highland Schoolhouse Account, respectively.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the common Council, April 23rd.

Approved by the Mayor April 25th.

Order
Com on Public Property
procure plans
Schoolhouse Ward 3
and
addition Highland School

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorized and instructed to erect a flag-staff at the Cummings and Jackson Schoolhouses, the cost of the same to be charged to Schoolhouse Incidentals Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council April 23rd.

Approved by the Mayor April 25th.

Order
Com on Public Property
erect flag-staffs
Jackson & Cummings
Schools

On motion of Alderman Converse it was voted to proceed to the election of an Assistant Assessor, from Ward Four to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Samuel T. Richards.

The Mayor appointed Aldermen Converse and Edmands a committee to receive, assort and count the ballots, and after performing that duty, the committee reported as follows;-

Whole number of ballots 8.
Necessary for choice 5.

Election
Assistant Assessor
from Ward 4.

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Henry A. True has 8
and Henry A. True was declared elected, on the part of this
board and information thereof sent to the Common Council.

Adjourned

Attest

George F. Vincent
Clerk

Meeting of Board of Aldermen,
City Hall,
Somerville May 5, 1890. 7.45 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Edmands, Kimball, Limenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

On the warrants adopted by this board April 1st, for an election April 29th in the four several precincts of Ward Four, for a Common Councilman to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Frank E. Merrill, — Jairus Mann, Constable of Somerville, made returns, April 28th, to the Wardens of said precincts, respectively, that he had warned and notified the citizens of said precincts, qualified to vote as the law directs, in accordance with said warrants, by posting true and attested copies of said warrants in not less than ten public places in their respective precincts and publishing like copies in the Somerville Journal, Somerville Sentinel, and Somerville Citizen, newspapers published in this city, in their issues of April 12th and 18th 1890, said posting and publication having been made at least seven days before the time of holding the meetings as specified in said warrants.

Officers' Return on Warrants for election of Common Councilman in Ward 4.

The Committee on Elections, having examined the returns of votes cast in the several precincts of ward four, in this city, at the election held therein April 29th, for a Common Councilman to fill the vacancy in the common council caused by the resignation of Frank E. Merrill, and having compared the said returns with the City Clerk's record on page 20 and 21 of Volume 1, of the Record of Elections of the City of Somerville, — reported that the said returns are in due form and the City Clerk's record agrees therewith, and that, as the result of said election, as appears by said returns and record, Solomon S. Higgins has been elected to fill the aforesaid vacancy

Report Com. on Elections result of election of Common Councilman in Ward 4.

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in the common council

Accepted

Order declaring result of election of a Common Councilman in Ward 4

Aldermen Edmands offered the following order

Ordered

That the result of the election held in Ward Four, of this city April 29th, for a common councilman to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Frank E. Merrill, be, and it is hereby declared to be as stated in the report of the committee on Elections presented to this board this day; and the City Clerk is hereby directed to notify Solomon S. Higgins of his election, as stated in said report, and to request him to be present in the common council chamber in the City hall, Wednesday, May 14th, at 8 o'clock P.M. to take the oath of office

Adopted

Adjourned

Attest

George S. Vincent
Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall,
Somerville, May 14, 1896. 8 P.M.

His honor, Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther and Sanborn present.

Records approved.

Alderman Sanborn offered the following order Ordered;

That a message be sent to the Common Council requesting a convention of the two branches of the City Council in the common Council chamber this evening, for the following-named purposes;-

1. to witness the taking of the oath of office by Solomon S. Higgins, councilman-elect from Ward four;

2. to give hearings in pursuance of orders passed March 26th on the laying out of Mills Street and Sargent Avenue;

3, to elect an Overseer of the Poor, from ward one, for four years from May 1st in place of Levi F. Davis, who has declined to accept the office.

Adopted and Alderman Sanborn appointed to convey the message to the Common Council.

In Common Council May 14th, request granted Order adopted in concurrence, and Councilman Hutters appointed to convey message to the Board of Aldermen.

Order ✓
Convention
qualify Councilman-elect Higgins
hearings on laying out of streets
election of an Overseer of Poor

Received the declination of Levi F. S. Davis, to accept the office of Overseer of the Poor, to which he was elected April 28th.

Declination ✓
Levi F. S. Davis
Overseers of Poor

Read and sent down for information.

Read for information, in the Common Council May 14th.

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Convention

In Convention of the City Council

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn, President Osgood, and Councilmen Hunnewell, Webber, Barber, Blackman, Jones, Caswell, Armstrong, Butters, McLean, Elbridge and Prichard present.

Qualification Solomon S. Higgins Councilman-elect from Ward Four

In pursuance of an order passed this evening the Mayor requested the City Messenger to present Solomon S. Higgins, Councilman elect from Ward Four, for qualification.

The oath of office was then administered to Councilman-elect Higgins, by his honor the Mayor Charles G. Pope, Justice of the Peace, and the oath was subscribed by Mr. Higgins and certification thereof made by the Mayor; the oath, signature and certificate being recorded on the unnumbered page opposite page 3, in volume 2 of the record of Oaths, in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Somerville.

Hearing laying out of Mills Street

In pursuance of the same order and of an order of notice passed May 26th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to the laying out of Mills street, from Walnut street to Sargent Avenue; all parties interested having been duly notified as appears by the Officers Return on the Order of Notice, recorded on page 31 of Volume 1 of the Record of Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Matthew E. Hanes appeared and objected because the proposed laying out might be prejudicial to his interests in a possible future extension of Sargent Avenue.

Mrs. Mills and Pillsbury favored the measure.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be

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heard, the hearing was closed.

In pursuance of an order passed this evening and an order passed March 26th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the laying out of Sargent Avenue, from Broadway to Mills street; all parties interested having been duly satisfied, as appears by the Officer's Return on the Order of Notice, recorded on page 39 of Volume 1 of the Record of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, the hearing was closed.

Hearing laying out of Sargent Ave. ✓

In pursuance of an order passed this evening the convention proceeded to elect a member of the Board of Overseers of the Poor, from Ward One, for four years from May 1st, in place of Levi F. S. Davis, who has declined to accept the office to which he was elected, April 28th.

The Mayor appointed Alderman Hemenway and Councilman Dickerman a committee to receive, assort and count the votes, and after attending to that duty the committee reported as follows;

Whole number of ballots cast 21
Necessary for choice 11
Nathan L. Leed has 21

and Nathan L. Leed was declared elected.

Election Overseer of the Poor

The purpose for which it was assembled having been accomplished the convention dissolved and the Mayor and Aldermen returned to their chamber.

In Board of Aldermen.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Board of Aldermen

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Mahoney, Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Barbour present

Appointment ✓ Councilman Armstrong to Com. on Fire Dept.

Received from the Common Council notice of the appointment of Councilman Armstrong to fill the vacancy on the Committee on Fire Department caused by the resignation from the Common Council, of Frank E. Merrill.

Read for information.

Appointment ✓ Councilman James to various Committees.

Received from the Common Council, notice of the appointment of Councilman James as a member of the following-named Committees,-

Claims

Firemen

Ordinances

Enrolled Ordinances and Resolutions.

to fill the vacancies caused by the resignation from the Common Council of Edwin A. Wilcox.

Read for information.

Appointment ✓ Councilman Higgins to Com. on Printing.

Received from the Common Council notice of the appointment of Councilman Higgins to the Committee on Printing, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation from the Common Council, of Frank E. Merrill.

Read for information.

Election ✓ Harry A. True Assistant Assessor Ward 4.

Received from the Common Council notice of the election by that branch, April 28th, of Harry A. True, as Assistant Assessor from Ward Four, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Samuel T. Richards, in concurrence with this board.

Read for information.

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Received from the Common Council the following resolution;	Resolution from Common Council requesting West End St. Ry Co. to equip its road with electricity.
Resolved. That the City Council of Somerville hereby requests the corporation known as the West End Street Railway Company to take measures as soon as possible to equip the lines of railroad now operated by said Company in said Somerville, with suitable electric appliances for operating a system of electric cars on said lines of rail-road; also, that said Company be requested to make use of the most modern appliances both as to cars and propelling power in equipping the proposed system.	
In Common Council, April 23, 1890. Adopted, and sent up for concurrence.	
In Board of Aldermen, May 14, 1890. Read and laid on the table.	
On petition received from the Boston and Maine Railroad appointed C. C. Wooley and G. E. Slack, Weighers of Beef, of Boilers and Heavy Machinery, of Coal and of Hay and Straw.	Appointments on petition B. & M. R. R. C. C. Wooley & G. E. Slack Weighers
Appointments confirmed.	
Received the report of the Chief of Police for the month of April.	Report Chief of Police April 1890.
Read and sent down for information.	
Read for information in the Common Council May 14th.	
Received the report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department for the month of April.	Report Chief of Fire Dept. April 1890.
Read and sent down for information.	
Read for information in the Common Council May 14th.	

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Notice ✓ Harbor & Land Commr. hearing on application of Boston & Albany R.R. Co. permit rebuild bridge	Received from the Harbor and Land Commissioners notice of a hearing before that board April 17th, on the application of the Boston and Albany Railroad Company, for leave to rebuild its bridge over its Grand Junction Branch Railroad in the tide water of Mystic River in Somerville and Everett. Lead for information.
Petition ✓ Som. Branch B.A.A. licence for entertainment	Received from the Somerville Branch No. 15 B.A.A. a petition for a licence to give a musical and literary entertainment in Pythian Hall, 58 Union Square, Tuesday evening April 29th, recommended by the Chief of Police, approved by the Mayor, and licence issued by the City Clerk April 29th. Issuing of licence approved.
Petition ✓ Boston Maine R.R. permit move building Medford St.	Received a petition from the Boston and Maine Railroad for permission to move a wooden building, 25 feet long, 18 feet wide and 23 feet high, from land of the Boston and Lowell Railroad Company on the southerly side of Medford street near the railroad bridge through Medford street to land of said Boston and Lowell Railroad Company on the same side of Medford street near School street, certified by Alderman Nickerson that in his opinion said removal can be made without injury to public or private property. Lead for information
Petition ✓ Michael Murphy permit move building from Putnam & Summer to Morrison Street	Received a petition from Michael Murphy, for permission to move two wooden buildings, measuring respectively, 45 and 30 feet in length, 24 and 20 feet in breadth, and 24 and 24 feet in width, from land of N. B. Bates on the westerly corner of Putnam and Summer streets, through Summer and Bow streets, Union Square, Somerville Avenue and Morrison Streets to land of said Murphy on the easterly side of Morrison street near Somerville Avenue, certified by Alderman Carpenter

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that in his opinion the proposed removal can be made without injury to public or private property.
Lead for information.

Received petitions for licenses to collect junk, from

Patrick Barry	Somerville Ave,	Somerville,	Petitions ✓
Daniel J Cassidy	41 Allen Street,	"	sundry persons
Wm E Cassidy	42 "	"	licenses
Wm Concannon	82 South "	"	collect junk
Wm J. Crothers	Oak "	Cambridgeport	
John F. Fallon	Columbia	Somerville	
Michael J Galvin	Garden Ct	"	
John Haley	93 Sinwood St	"	
Patrick Healy	11 Dimick	"	
Joseph Savety	Taggard Ct	"	
John McDonald	12 Columbia St	"	
William Murray	117 Medford,	"	
Christopher Russell	7 Water	"	
Henry Russell	40 Mystic Ave	"	
James Sugrue	211 Columbia St	Cambrige	
Oscar W. Short	67 Beacon	Somerville	

All approved by the Chief of Police
License granted.

Received petitions for licenses to cry their goods in the streets, from

Cosmo Albano,	4 Davis Square,	Somerville,	Petitions ✓
William Breyant,	83 Webster Ave.	"	sundry persons
Timothy Brosnahan,	91 "	"	licenses
Daniel J. Luckley,	21 Sinwood St	"	cry goods in streets
John J. Luckley,	4 Sondon "	"	
Charles W. Caldwell	Alston "	Cambridge	
Terrence Campbell	Joy "	Somerville	
Thomas F. Casey	85 Somerville Ave	"	
Daniel J. Cassidy	41 Allen Street	"	
William Concannon	82 South "	"	

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Henry Cutler	13 Princeton Street	Charlestown
John N. Cutler	13 "	Somerville
Michael Curran	39 Hunting	"
" "	136 Sinwood	"
Timothy Dacey	London	"
Joseph H. Dailey	76 Sacramento	"
Frank C. Day	48 Joy	"
John F. Fallon	Columbia	"
Michael Galvin	Garden Court	"
Joseph W. Green	48 Medford St.	"
Saul Grishaver	275 Washington	"
Robert J. Gormley	5 Mystic Place	Charlestown
John Haley	43 Sinwood Street	Somerville
Patrick Healy	11 Dimick	"
Alden L. Joy	20 Belmont	"
Patrick Kelly	14 Clyde	"
James O. Laverty	13 Dane Ct.	"
Joseph Laverty	Taggard	"
John Lynch	46 Spruce St.	N. Cambridge
Simon Marchant	Conlon Ct.	Somerville
John McDonald	22 Columbia St.	"
John Moulton	52 Charles	East Cambridge
Peter F. Murray	9 Maple	Somerville
Patrick McLaughlin	Mystic Ave.	"
Michael O'Connell	38 Sinwood St.	"
Thomas H. O'Neil	56 "	"
Thomas J. O'Neil	192 Somerville Ave.	"
Lorenzo F. Powers	35 Laney St.	"
William Reed	194 Somerville Ave.	"
Dominic Rogers	278 Cedar St.	"
Christopher Russell (Junk)	7 Water	"
" " (Fish)	7 "	"
G. Santangelo	Tufts	"
Timothy Scannell	Joy	"
Robert Shaw	130 Main	Charlestown
Michael Splane	Sowell	Somerville

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John St George	4 Lake St	Somerville	
James Sugrue	21 Columbia St	Cambridge	
William Tobin	117 Medford	Somerville	
Salvatore Trani	4 Davis Sq	"	

All approved by the Chief of Police
Licenses granted.

Received petitions for licenses to ring a bell to announce their calling, in the streets, from the following-named scissors sharpeners:

Angelone Carlone	215 North Street	Boston	
Illaminato Milano	Jasper Place	"	
Nichelo Milano	" "	"	
Fortunato Pulauge	2 "	"	

All approved by the Chief of Police
Licenses granted.

Petitions sundry persons Scissors Sharpeners license to ring bell

Received petitions for licenses to ring a bell, for the sale of their goods, consisting of Ice Cream, in the streets of the city, from

John H. Follett	47 Washington St	Somerville	
Gaetano Garaboni	163 Endicott	Boston	
Sem Escante	24 Medford	Somerville	
Guiseppe Suchine	36 Cambridge	Charlestown	
Emeline P. Sherman	10 Webster Ave	Somerville	

All approved by the Chief of Police.
Licenses granted.

Petitions sundry persons Ice Cream venders ring bell in streets

Received petitions for licenses to sell newspapers under the provisions of Ordinance No 43, each license signed by a parent of the proposed licensee for the following-named minors:

William F. Bowman	Kent Court	Aged	12
Clarence E. Dow	441 Somerville Ave	"	15
Ernest Elwin	68 Concord	"	10
Robert Glass	17 Morgan St	"	14

Petitions sundry minors sell newspapers

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	Ernest S. Mills 14 Oakland Ave Aged 13
	Frederick A. Smith 319 Broadway " 14
	all approved by the Chief of Police
	Licenses granted
Petition ✓ David S. Donovan license sell newspapers	Received a petition for a license to sell newspapers, under the provisions of Ordinances No. 43, from David S. Donovan 6 Harris Street, Aged 22
	Approved by the Chief of Police
	License granted
Petitions ✓ sundry persons Auctioneers licenses	Received petitions for Auctioneers' licenses, from
	J. Albion Briggs
	Wm. H. Brine, 40 Houghton Street
	Wm. A. Davis,
	F. De Witt Sabham
	Samuel Magann
	Licenses granted
Petitions ✓ sundry persons 6th Class Liquor Licenses	Received petitions for Sixth Class Liquor licenses, from the following-named apothecaries:-
	Charles L. Crane, Corner of Perkins & Franklin Sts
	Edgar J. Howland 367 Somerville Ave
	Jason P. Routh 524 "
	Wm. A. Whitney 305 Broadway
	Referred to Committee on Licenses
Petitions ✓ sundry persons Innholders licenses	Received petitions for Innholders' licenses, from Silas D. Cauter, Hotel Warren, Union Square Ellen F. Needham and Frank B. Moulton, Hotel Woodbridge, Elm Street and Winslow Ave.
	Referred to Committee on Licenses
Petition ✓ Arthur G. Pearson Common Victualler's license	Received a petition for a Common Victualler's license, from
	Arthur G. Pearson, 5 Marshall Street,

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Referred to Committee on Licenses.

Received a petition from Wm. S. Keyes and Elphonso I. Everton, for a license for six billiard tables at No 9 Bow Street.
License granted.

Petition ✓ Wm S Keyes & E. I. Everton licens for billiard tables 9 Bow Street

Received a petition from Mary S. Uniats, for a license to keep an Intelligence Office at No 26 Union Square
Referred to Committee on Licenses.

Petition ✓ Mary S. Uniats Intelligence Office

Received a communication from James McCrossen and others, representing that, in their opinion, the petition of the New England Dressed Meat and Wool Company ought to be granted.
Referred to Committee on Licenses

Communication ✓ James McCrossen etal favoring petition of N. E. Dressed Meat & Wool Co

Received petitions for licenses to sell Fireworks, from

George W. Bartlett,	115 Perkins Street	Sundry persons
S. L. Chandler,	146 " "	licenses
George W. Leitch,	50 Union Square	sell fireworks
Frank H. Leavitt,	Davis "	
Alexander Munroe,	5 Newton Street	
M. H. Tattan,	456 Somerville Ave.	
Mrs S. A. Ricker,	578 " "	

Petitions ✓

Referred to Committee on Fire Department.

Received petitions for Drain Layer's Licenses, from

James M. Buckley
Christopher Burke
Richard Falvey
Michael E. Flynn
Dennis Ryan
Maurice Terry
Adna A. Winning

Petitions ✓ Sundry persons Drain Layers' Licenses

Referred to Committee on Sewers.

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Communication City of Cambridge removal deposit Bridge St Sewer Outlet	Received a communication from the Mayor of Cambridge to the Mayor of Somerville, enclosing a copy of an order passed by the City Council of Cambridge, requesting the cooperation of this city in removing sewage deposits that have accumulated at and near the outlet of the Bridge Street sewer. Referred to Committee on Sewers.
Petition David Butler et al. removing of terminus Charlestown line of horse cars Union Square	Received a petition from David Butler and others, representing that the standing almost constantly of two or more horse cars in front of their places of business on the southerly side of Union Square, at the terminus of the Charlestown line of cars, is detrimental to their business, as their stores are thereby hidden from view from the other sides of the Square, and suggesting that this line might be extended across the head of Webster Avenue, on Washington Street, where it would not incommode or damage any one, and praying that measures be taken to relieve them from further loss and inconvenience as stated. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petitions sundry persons permits to blast rock	Received petitions for permits to blast rock, from Christopher Burke, to blast boulders in middle of large field owned by the J. B. Tyler Estate, between the Arlington Branch Railroad and Broadway. Dennis Ryan, in excavating for the cellars on land of Joseph Muller on William Street. Adam C. Winning, in excavating for the setting of about ten electric light poles in Holland Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition Som. Electric Light Co. Locations Preston St.	Received a petition from the Somerville Electric Light Company for locations for poles for wires in Preston Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.

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Received a petition from the West End Street Railway Company for a location for a double track on Broadway, from the present tracks near Temple Street to the location recently granted in Hadford street, with a cross connection and curve at Hadford Street.

Referred to Committee on Highways.

Petition ✓ West End St. Ry. Co. location Broadway Temple St. to Hadford

Received a petition from Charles A. Ramsdell, for edgestones in front of his estate on Pearl and Elm Streets - northeast corner, the cost of the edgestones to be paid by him.

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

Reference concurred in by Common Council May 14th.

Petition ✓ Chas. A. Ramsdell edgestones Pearl & Elm Sts.

Received a petition from Sylvanus Spencer and Hannah K. Woodward, that the brick sidewalk about to be constructed on Elm street to Hosland street, may be extended down Hosland street in front of their estates, the bricks and edgestones used to be paid for by them, the edgestones being already set in front of Mrs. Woodward's estate.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council May 14th.

Petition ✓ S. Spencer & H. K. Woodward brick sidewalk Hosland St.

Received a petition from Matilda B. Wright, Charles H. Hastings and G. H. Hills, for a brick sidewalk on the northerly side of Summit Avenue, from estate of E. Streeter Brooks to Walnut street, and on Walnut street to the estate of T. Clarence Lockander, the cost of the bricks to be paid by them.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Petition ✓ Matilda B. Wright et al brick sidewalks Summit Ave & Walnut St.

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Reference concurred in by the Common Council May 14th.

Petition ✓ C. C. Ellis & S. J. Bowman removal of sidewalk &c at entrance to private way Broadway

Received a petition from Charles C. Ellis and S. J. Bowman, for the removal of the sidewalk and the grading and putting in proper condition of that part of the Street which it now occupies, at the entrance to a private way between their lots northeasterly from Broadway, nearly opposite Dartmouth Street.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council May 14th.

Petition ✓ C. C. Ellis et al. crossing Broadway.

Received a petition from C. C. Ellis, and others for a crossing across Broadway at the head of Dartmouth Street.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Referred to Committee on Highways in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th.

Petition ✓ John Kennedy driveway 31 Church Street

Received a petition from John Kennedy, for the lowering of the curbstone so as to form a driveway at his estate No. 31 Church Street at his expense.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council May 14th.

Petition ✓ Aloah M. Thompson driveway 19 Cedar Street

Received a petition from Aloah M. Thompson, for the construction of a driveway in front of his estate No. 19 Cedar Street, at his expense.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council May 14th.

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Received a petition from Sturtevant Bros. and others, that Lake Street be lighted, there being no light there at present. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council May 14th.	Petition ✓ Sturtevant Bros. et al. Street lights Lake Street
Received a petition from Ashbel V. Bartlett and others, for one or more street lights in Madison Street. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council May 14th.	Petition ✓ A. V. Bartlett et al. Street lights Madison Street
Received a petition from C. A. Hall and others, for an Arc light at the corner of Wheatland and Derby Streets. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council May 14th.	Petition ✓ C. A. Hall et al. Arc light Wheatland & Derby Sts.
Received a petition from Henry K. Syman and others, for an electric light on Stickney Avenue. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurrence in by Common Council May 14th.	Petition ✓ Henry K. Syman et al. Electric light Stickney Ave.
Received a petition from W. H. Wesmond and others, that several electric lights be placed in Montrose Street. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council May 14th.	Petition ✓ W. H. Wesmond et al. Electric lights Montrose Street

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Petition ✓ Josiah B. Mayhew Incandescent lights Rockdale Ave.	Received a petition from Josiah B. Mayhew and others for three Incandescent lights on Rockdale Avenue. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council May 14th.
Invitation & Request ✓ Wm Kinsley Post 139 G.A.R. Post join in entertaining Mayor G.A.R. Post of Brooklyn N.Y. & for an appropriation	Received an invitation from Willard C. Kingsley Post No. 139, G.A.R. to cooperate with the Post in entertaining the Mayor and other officials and George C. Strong Post No. 534 of Brooklyn N.Y. during the National Grand Army encampment in Boston in August next, and a request for an appropriation of five hundred dollars to help defray the expenses of such entertainment. Referred to Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council May 14th.
Request ✓ Water Board additional appropriation Water Works Extension	Received a request from the Somerville Mystic Water Board, for an additional appropriation of twenty-five thousand dollars for Water Works Extension. Referred to Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council May 14th.
Petition ✓ James Carroll Jr. permit move building Medford St.	Received a petition from James Carroll Jr. for permission to move a wooden building, 30 feet long, 15 feet long and one story high, from land of the Boston and Lowell Railroad Company on the south side of Medford Street near Marshall Street, through Medford Street and Magoun Square to land of said Carroll on the south side of Broadway near Magoun Square, endorsed by Alderman Souther that in his opinion the proposed removal can be made without injury to public or private travel. Read for information.

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Alderman Carpenter offered an order granting a permit to Michael Murphy to move two wooden buildings from the westerly corner of Putnam and Summer streets to Merriam street, as recorded on page 403 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles + Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Order ✓ permit to move building Michael Murphy from Putnam + Summer Sts. to Merriam St.

Alderman Nickerson offered an order granting a permit to the Boston and Maine Railroad to move a wooden building from Medford street near the Railroad bridge to Medford street near School street, as recorded on page 404 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles + Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Order ✓ permit to move building B + M R R Medford Street

Alderman Souther offered an order granting a permit to James McCarroll Jr to move a wooden building from Medford Street near Marshall Street to Broadway near Magoun Square, as recorded on page 405 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles + Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Order ✓ permit to move building James McCarroll Jr. Medford St. to Broadway

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Order granting Building Permits

Ordered:

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit with further leave, if necessary, to encumber such portions of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Order ✓ granting Building Permits

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Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Add. or alteration	Street
Frederic A. Chandler	Clara A. Baker	wooden dwelling		Stickney Ave
Geo. W. Lake	C. W. Flewellen	"		Carlton
S. & C. H. Williams	S. & C. H. Williams	"		Ames
"	Chas. H. Ramsdell	"		Dana
	Geo. W. Walcott	"		Tufts
	Jane E. Berry	"		Miller
Andrew C. Lemick	N. H. Reed	"		Delaware
Prentice Sargent	Saml. Wiswell	"		Albion
Jason E. Herrick	Fred S. Warner	"		Chandler
"	"	"		Williams
"	Jason E. Herrick	"		Chandler
	Robt. H. Barton	"		Vinal Ave
Wm. E. Jones	W. Miller	"		New Jersey Sims Ave
Gershom T. Burnham	Wm. P. Hill	"		Sycamore
Smith & Bradshaw	B. B. Lawrence	"		Park Place
Hudson & Sears	Hudson & Sears	"		Pearl
Waugh & Waugh	W. F. Mansfield	"		Tufts
James W. Connor	J. W. Connor	"		Dickenson
Clarence E. Gerrish	G. E. Gerrish	2 "		Luney
	John B. Humphrey	2 "		Highland Ave
I. Wagner	Laura Seldner	4 "		Elmwood
Gersham T. Burnham	G. T. Burnham	1 double "		Berkeley
	John Ducey		change stable into house	Fiske Ave
C. H. & S. H. Abbott	Isaac Porter		addition of S.	Webster
Alexander M. Godfrey	Edward Cox	stable		Central
Edward Cox	"	"		"
Wilbur P. Rice	A. M. Thompson	"		19 Cedar
	Albert L. Bassett		enlarge stable	Bennett Ct
Sidney Chandler	S. Chandler	stable		18 Cameron Ave
Ingram P. Phinney	I. P. Phinney		carriage shed	Gorham
Edward Cox	Edward Cox	store with brick oven in rear		Bow
Thos. F. Farrington	Mulliken & Moore	3 stores, halls & offices		Pearl, Marshall & Medford Sts

Adopted

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An order laying out Mills Street, from Walnut Street to Sargent Avenue, as recorded on pages 32 to 36 inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence. Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th. Approved by the Mayor, May 20th.	Order laying out Mills Street
An order laying out of Sargent Avenue, from Broadway to Mills Street, as recorded on pages 40 to 44, inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.	Order laying out Sargent Ave.
Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th. Approved by the Mayor May 20th.	Report Com. on Sewers drain layers licenses
The Committee on Sewers, on sundry petitions for drain layers licenses, reported an order. Accepted.	
The order submitted with the foregoing report, is as follows;- Ordered;- That drain layers licenses be issued to Maurice Luttimer, Andrew W. Bryne, Dennis C. Collins, John J. Dorey, Nicholas Leonard, Charles A. Morgan, and William A. Muzzey, when they shall have filed a bond with surety in the sum of one thousand dollars satisfactory to this board. Adopted.	Order granting drain layers licenses

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Report ✓ Com on Sewers S. J. Bowman et als extension of sewer Broadway	The Committee on Sewers, on the petition of S. J. Bowman and others, for the extension of the sewer in Broadway, from School Street to a point opposite Thurston Street, reported an order Accepted President Kimmway presiding.
Order ✓ Com on Sewers Construct Sewer Broadway	The order submitted with the foregoing report, for a sewer in Broadway, from the end of the present sewer opposite School street to a point near Thurston Street, is recorded on page 483 of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land and Orders to Construct Sewers of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Read twice and adopted. Approved by the Mayor May 20th.
Report ✓ Com on Sewers Proposals	The Committee on Sewers, in pursuance of an order of April 23rd, submitted the following list of proposals received to construct in Russell Street, from the Sewer in Orchard Street to the sewer Russell Street Cambridge line, about 240 feet of ten inch pipe sewer, with one manhole, the pipe to be furnished by the City.

Names of Bidders	Manhole	Laying Sewer per lin. ft.	Estimated Aggregate
Richard Falvey	$46.00	$0.50	$190.00
Maurice Buttimer	45.00	0.60	189.00
Maurice Tracy	45.00	0.55	177.00
Christopher Burke	43.00	0.47	155.80
Charles A. Morgan	42.00	0.45	150.00
A. H. Bryan	40.00	0.45	148.00

and recommending that the contract be awarded to A. H. Bryan.

Accepted

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Alderman Hennessey offered the following order

Ordered:

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with A. W. Bryne, for the construction of a common sewer in Russell Street, from the sewer in Orchard Street to the Cambridge line, at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date

Read twice and adopted

Approved by the Mayor May 17th

Order ✓
Com on Sewers
make contract
sewer Russell St.

The Committee on Sewers, in pursuance of an order of April 9th submitted the following list of proposals received to construct, in Kent Court, from the sewer in Kent Street, about 300 feet of ten inch pipe sewer, with one manhole, the pipe to be furnished by the City

Names of Bidders	Manhole	Laying Sewer per lin ft	Estimated Aggregate
	$	$	$
Maurice Sullivan	48.00	0.63	237.00
Richard Fitzroy	42.00	0.50	192.00
Christopher Burke	40.00	0.41	163.00
Maurice Terry	38.00	0.36	146.00
A. W. Bryne	33.00	0.35	138.00
Charles A. Morgan	30.00	0.35	135.00

and recommending that the contract be awarded to Charles A. Morgan

Accepted

Report ✓
Com on Sewers
Proposals
sewer Kent Court

Alderman Hennessey offered the following order

Ordered:

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Charles A. Morgan, for the construction of a common sewer in Kent Court, from the sewer in Kent Street, at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date

Order ✓
Com on Sewers
make contract
sewer Kent Court

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Read twice and adopted.
Approved by the Mayor May 17th.

Report Com. on Sewers Joseph A. White et al. Sewer Hudson Street with outlet on Lowell Street

The Committee on Sewers on the petition of Joseph A. White and others, for a sewer in Hudson Street, in private way, an outlet for which should be laid in Lowell Street, also a private way from Albion Street to Hudson Street, presented a report in favor of taking the land forming said private ways, for a common sewer for house drainage only, as recorded on page 25 of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Accepted.

Order of Notice taking of land Sewer Lowell & Hudson Sts.

Accompanying the foregoing report, and as a part thereof, was an order of notice for a hearing on the taking of land for a common sewer for house drainage only, in Lowell Street, a private way from Albion Street to Hudson Street, and in Hudson Street, a private way from Cedar Street to Central Street, as recorded on page 26 of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Adopted.

Report Com. on Highways Blanche W. Eldridge et al. brick sidewalk Tufts Street

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Blanche W. Eldridge and others, for a brick sidewalk on the northeasterly side of Tufts Street, from Washington Street to Cross Street, reported recommending that the petition be granted and submitted an order of notice for a hearing.
Accepted.

Order of Notice brick sidewalk Tufts Street

The order of notice submitted with the foregoing report, for a hearing on the construction of a brick sidewalk on the northeasterly side of Tufts Street, from Washington Street to Cross Street, is recorded on pages 29 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, - Hearings and Construction, - of the Mayor and Al-

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dermen of the City of Somerville, was
Adopted

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Daniel Mulqueney and others, for edgestones and gravel sidewalk on Norfolk Street, from Webster Avenue to the Cambridge Line, reported, recommending that the petition be granted and submitted an order of notice for a hearing.
Accepted

Report
Com. on Highways
Daniel Mulqueney et al
gravel sidewalks
Norfolk Street

The order of notice submitted with the foregoing report, for a hearing on construction of gravel sidewalks, with edgestones, on both sides of Norfolk Street, from Webster Avenue to the Cambridge Line, is recorded on page 53 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, and was
Adopted

Order of Notice
gravel sidewalk
Norfolk Street

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of John Kneeland for permission to blast rock for the purpose of making a street through land of the Heirs Nathan Tufts, from Willow Avenue to Elm Street, reported recommended leave to withdraw.
Accepted

Report
Com. on Highways
John Kneeland
permit blast rock

The Committee on Highways, on an order dated March 12th to remove a tree standing on the southwesterly side of Medford street at the entrance of Lee street, reported that the tree has been removed.
Accepted

Report
Com. on Highways
removal of tree
Medford St. & Lee St.

Wednesday May 14, 1890

Report ✓ Com on Highways N. W. Lingham etal against any more poles School Street	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of N. W. Lingham and others, against the erection of any more poles in School Street, between Broadway and Medford street, reported recommending that no action be taken on said petition Accepted
Report ✓ Com on Highways unsightly poles in sts	The Committee on Highways, on the report made in the year 1889, by the Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephone Lines of a list of crooked, unsightly and unpainted poles standing in the streets of the city, reported an order Accepted
Order ✓ Supt Tel + Tel Lines remove from streets crooked & unsightly poles	The order submitted with the foregoing report, is as follows Ordered That the Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephone Lines be and is hereby instructed to cause all crooked, unsightly and defective poles and all poles remaining unpainted or in any way not in conformity with the order granting the locations for the same, to be removed from the streets of this city Adopted
Report ✓ Com on Highways City Engineer street encroachments	The Committee on Highways, on the notice of the City Engineer of encroachments as follows School Street West End Street Railway Company, John M. Woods, Mary E. Teasdale, Emma A. Tourtellott and Heirs of Thomas Young Irving Street Gilman C. Colburn Newbury Street Warren Upham, Horatio Socke, Henry Holton and H. C. Ferry (lot 59) reported and order Accepted

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The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows;

Order
City Clerk
notify owners of estates
encroaching on streets

Ordered,

That the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to notify the parties hereinafter named, that the fences in front of their respective estates encroach on the streets in front of said estates respectively, as follows, viz:

West End Street Railway, John M. Woods, Mary E. Teasdale, Emma A. Fourtellotte, Heirs of Thomas Youngon School Street,

Gilman D. Colburn on Irving street,

Warren Upham, Horatio Socks, Henry Colton and H. E. Ferry (lot 39) on Newbury street,

and that said fences must be removed within thirty-five days to the true lines of said streets respectively, which can be ascertained on application at the City Engineers office.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by Common Council May 14th 1890.

Approved by the Mayor, May 17, 1890.

Somerville, May 16, 1890.

I have complied with the within order by sending notices this day by mail, to the parties within named, of the encroachments as within stated.

George I. Vincent,
City Clerk.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Chas. S. Philbrick, for a brick sidewalk on Morrison street in front of his estate, reports that the sidewalk has been constructed as prayed for and a bill sent to the Treasurer for collection.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th.

Report
Com. on Highways
Chas. S. Philbrick
brick sidewalk
Morrison Street

Wednesday May 14, 1890

Report ✓ Com on Highways J. P. Squire & Co. et al for repairing of South Earle & Ward Sts.	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of John P. Squire & Co. and others, that South, Earle and Ward Streets be filled to grade or put in safe condition reported recommending that no action be taken on said petition. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th.
Report ✓ Com on Highways exchange & purchase of horses	The Committee on Highways, authorized by an order of April 23rd to exchange a horse now in the department and to purchase a new pair of horses at a cost not to exceed five hundred and fifty five dollars, reported that the committee has purchased a horse of Mess George S. Harris & Co. for the sum of one hundred and fifty five dollars and has purchased of Mess Sturtevant Bros. a pair of horses for which they have given a horse in exchange and four hundred dollars. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th.
Order ✓ approving action of Com on Highways in purchasing a Horse Street Sweeper	Alderman Kimball offered the following order. Orderded, That the action of the Committee on Highways in the matter of purchasing a Horse Street Sweeper at a cost of three hundred and twenty-five dollars be, and the same is, hereby approved, and the said committee is hereby authorized to place the amount of said bill on pay roll of highways. Lead twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence. Lead twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th. Approved by the Mayor, May 17th.

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The Committee on Highways on petition of Michael E. Flynn and others, for the laying out of Tremont Street, from the Cambridge Line to Webster Avenue, presented a report in favor of such laying out, as recorded on page 46 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville,	Report ✓ Com. on Highways Michael E. Flynn et al laying out of Tremont Street
Accepted and sent down for concurrence.	
Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th.	
Accompanying said report, a copy of part thereof, was an order of notice for a hearing on the laying out of Tremont Street, from the Cambridge Line to Webster Avenue, as recorded on page 46 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville.	Order of Notice ✓ laying out of Tremont Street
Adopted and sent down for concurrence.	
Adopted in concurrence by Common Council May 14th.	
The Committee on Public Property, authorized by an order dated April 28th, to sell old bricks and material at the Morse School house, reported that bricks and water closet materials have been sold as authorized, to James Buncker of No. 18 Sargent Avenue, and a bill therefor sent to the Treasurer for collection.	Report ✓ Com. on Public Property sale of old bricks &c at Morse School
Accepted and sent down for concurrence	
Accepted in concurrence by Common Council May 14th.	
The Committee on Public Property, on an order of April 28th instructing that the committee to erect a flag-staff at the Cummings and another at the Jackson School, reported that the Superintendent of Public Buildings has been instructed to procure the staffs and place them on said buildings.	Report ✓ Com. on Public Property erection of flag staffs Cummings & Jackson Schools

Wednesday May 1st 1890

Report ✓ Com on Public Property erection of flag staffs sundry schoolhouses	The Committee on Public Property, instructed by orders of Jany 10th and Feby 12th and 27, to place flag staffs on the Davis, Morse, High, Brigham, Prospect Hill, O. S. Knapp, Cedar Street, Prescott and Lincoln Schools, the expense to be charged to Schoolhouse Incidentals Account, reported that flag staffs have been placed on said buildings in accordance with said order.
	Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
	Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th
Report ✓ Com on Public Property hire school rooms Ward Two	The Committee on Public Property, on the communication from the School Committee, setting forth the need of extra school accommodations in Ward Two, reported that its judgment the schools could have been accommodated without hiring extra rooms, but recommended that the room or store No. 188 Somerville Avenue be hired at an expense not to exceed seventeen dollars per month from May 15th to July 1st.
	Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
	Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th.
Order ✓ Com on Public Property hire store 188 Somerville Ave for school room	Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.
	Ordered, — That the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorized and instructed to hire the store No 188 Somerville Avenue for school purposes, from May 15th to July 1st 1890, at an expense not to exceed seventeen dollars per month and to be charged to Schoolhouse Incidentals Account.
	Head twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.
	Head twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th.
	Approved by the Mayor May 17th.

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Alderman Nickerson offered the following order,

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorized and instructed to purchase of Chas. H. Sanborn, at a price not to exceed twenty-five cents per square foot, certain parcels of land on the south-east side of Jaques street, as shown on plan of building lots of R. S. Stickney, dated February 18, 1888, as follows,- Lots numbered 143, 144, 145, 146, 147 and 148, and bounded as follows,-

Northeasterly by Jaques Street, two hundred and forty feet;
Southeasterly by lots numbered 142, 141, and 140, one hundred and twenty feet,
Southwesterly by lots numbered 169, 168, 167, 166, 165, and 164, two hundred and forty feet, and
Northwesterly by lot numbered 149, one hundred and twenty feet.

containing 28,800 square feet more or less,

the amount expended under this order to be charged to School-house in Ward Three Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th.

Approved the Mayor May 17th

Order
Com on Public Property
buy land Jaques St.

The Committee on Public Property, in pursuance of an order dated April 28th, submitted plans and specifications made by S. W. Kelley, Architect, - for an addition to the Highland School and recommended their acceptance.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th

Report
Com on Public Property
plans &c
Highland School addition

Wednesday May 14, 1890

Order accepting plans of S. A. Kelley Highland School Addition

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered.

That the plans made by S. A. Kelley, Architect, and presented to this board this evening, for the addition to the Highland Schoolhouse, be and the same are hereby accepted.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14.

Approved by the Mayor May 14th.

Order Com. on Public Property solicit proposals Highland School Addition

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered.

That the Committee on Public Property, be and are hereby authorized and instructed to solicit for proposals for an addition to the Highland School house, in accordance with plans and specifications made by S. A. Kelley, Architect, and to submit the same to the City Council.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th.

Approved by the Mayor May 14th.

Order Com. on Public Property purchase flag for Police Building

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

Ordered.

That the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorized to purchase a flag for use at the Police Building, at a cost not to exceed thirty dollars and to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th.

Approved by the Mayor May 17th.

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Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

Ordered.-

That the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorized and instructed to purchase an additional horse, buggy and harness for the use of the City Messenger, and to repair the present buggy, all at a cost not to exceed six hundred dollars and to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th.

Presented to the Mayor May 17.

Order ✓
Com. on Public Property
purchase new team &c
for City Messenger

The Committee on Water, authorized by an order of Feby 12th, to employ some suitable person to take the time of men employed in street watering during the coming season, and to render such other assistance in the matter of street watering as the committee shall direct, reported that Mr. Nathaniel L. Barker has been employed by the Committee to perform the duties contemplated by said order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th.

Report ✓
Com. on Water
employing of men
to take time of men
watering streets

The Committee on Ordinances to which was referred the unfinished business of the year 1889, a draft of an ordinance relating to disorderly conduct and disturbances in streets and public places, reported a new draft of an ordinance in place of the one referred.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by Common Council May 14th.

Report ✓
Com. on Ordinances
draft of ordinance
disorderly conduct &c

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Ordinance ✓ No. 48 Disorderly Conduct	The draft of an ordinance submitted with the foregoing report is numbered 48, and entitled An Ordinance in relation to Disorderly conduct and Disturbances in the streets or public places in the City and is recorded on page 2 of volume 2 of the Records of the Committee on Ordinances. Read twice and passed to be enrolled. Sent down for concurrence. In Common Council, May 14th, read once and laid on the table.
Order ✓ Committee Fire Dept. purchase hose	Alderman Conway offered the following order. Ordered,- That the Committee on Fire Department be and is hereby authorized to purchase one thousand feet of hose for the use of the Department, the expense of the same to be charged to Fire Department Account. Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence. Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th. Approved by the Mayor May 17th.
Order ✓ Mayor execute release to Julia E. Griffin land Putnam Street sold for taxes 1878	Alderman Hemenway offered the following order. Ordered,- That his Honor the Mayor be, and he hereby is authorized and empowered in the name of the City of Somerville, to seal with the corporate seal of said City, and to execute, acknowledge and deliver to Julia E. Griffin of Boston, Massachusetts, and those rightfully claiming under her according to their respective interest and estate, and their heirs and assigns, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar to be paid by said Griffin to said City, a release of all the right, title and interest, if any, which said City has in and to the following described premises under and by virtue of a deed to said City by Parson Sargent, as Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Somerville, in the County of Middlesex, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, dated

Wednesday May 14 1890

July 1 1878, and recorded with Middlesex So District Deeds, Book 1482 Page 429, namely, - A lot of land situated in said City of Somerville, bounded Southeasterly by Putnam Street; Southwesterly by land of Draper, Northwesterly by land of owner unknown, and Northeasterly by land of Cheney; being lots numbered eighty-five and eighty-six on a plan of land in Somerville, belonging to the heirs of Jothan Johnson, dated May 1, 1885, and recorded with Middlesex (Southern District) Deeds, Book of Plans No. 7, Plan 46.

The release hereby authorized shall not impair or affect the said City's claim or lien upon the released premises for any taxes or assessments heretofore assessed or levied thereon and now remaining unpaid.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 14th.

Approved by the Mayor May 17

Adjourned

Attest

George A. Vincent
Clerk

City Hall

Somerville May 23, 1898.

8.50 A. M.

A special meeting of the Board of Aldermen having been called for this 8.30 A. M.

Aldermen Carpenter and Hennessy were present.

His Honor, Mayor Peters, presiding.

Jurors ✓ In accordance with a venire from the Superior Court,
Charles H. Brown, Medford St.
and Thomas J. Colby
were drawn to serve as Traverse Jurors at said Court to be holden at Cambridge on the first Monday of June next, - said jurors to be summoned to appear and attend said court on the third day of June next.

Jurors ✓ In accordance with a venire from the Superior Court,
George H. Coombs
and Amos F. Adams
were drawn to serve as Traverse jurors at said court at Cambridge on the first Monday of June next, - said jurors to be summoned to appear and attend said court on the ninth day of June next.

Adjourned.

Attest

George S. Vincent
Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville May 28 1895 - 8 P.M.

His honor Charles G. Pope, presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Edmands, Kimball, Hosmer, Souther, Nickerson, and Sanborn present

Records approved

In pursuance of an order passed April 23rd a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of a brick sidewalk with edgestones on the southwest side of Elm Street, from a point 145 feet southeast of the southwesterly side line of the estate owned by Wm. T. Henderson to Morland street, all parties interested having been duly notified as appears by the Officer's Return, recorded on page 34 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks — Hearings and Construction — of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Mr. W. T. Henderson, appeared and said he would like to have the sidewalk laid along the entire frontage of his estate.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

√ Hearing Sidewalk Elm St.

In pursuance of an order passed April 28th a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of gravel sidewalks with edgestones on both sides of Evergreen Avenue, from School Street to Thurston street, all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 46 of volume 1 of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

√ Hearing Sidewalk Evergreen Ave.

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Hearing Sidewalks Howe Street	In pursuance of an order passed April 28th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of gravel sidewalks, with edgestones, on both sides of Howe street, from School street to Marshall street; all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 38 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, the hearing was closed.
Hearing Sidewalk Virginia Street	In pursuance of an order passed April 28th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of gravel sidewalks with edgestones, on both sides of Virginia street, from Aldrich Street to Jasper Street; all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return, recorded on page 42 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.
Hearing taking land for Sewer Hunting Street	In pursuance of an order passed April 28th, a hearing was given all parties desiring to object to the taking of land for the purposes of a common sewer in Hunting street, from South street to the Cambridge line; all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 19 of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville. No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

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In pursuance of an order passed April 28th a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the taking of land for the purpose of a common sewer in Sycamore Street, from Highland Avenue to Madison Street; all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officers Return recorded on page 11 of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Mr Thomas Crozier appeared and objected to the laying of so large a sewer as a ten inch pipe, because of the unnecessary expense, as a smaller sewer would be sufficient.

Mr Oliver H. Ingalls appeared and proved a sewer as the present drainage, into cesspools, is objectionable and necessarily, of a temporary nature.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

✓ Hearing taking land for Sewer Sycamore Street

On petition of S. Thomas Kirk and recommendation of the Chief of Police, the Mayor appointed S. Thomas Kirk Special Police without pay.

Appointment confirmed.

✓ Appointment S. Thomas Kirk Special Police without pay

Received an invitation from the School Committee to be present at the presentation by the British American Association of a flag to the Oren S. Knapp School, Thursday May 29th at 2.30 O'clock P.M.

Invitation accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Invitation accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th.

✓ Invitation School Committee attend flag presentation O. S. Knapp School

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Received an invitation from Willard C. Kinsley Post, No 139, G.A.R. to be present at the Memorial Day Services at the First Congregational Church, Highland Avenue, on the evening of May 30th.

Invitation accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Invitation accepted in the Common Council May 29th.

✓ Invitation W. C. Kinsley Post G.A.R. attend services Memorial Day

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Recommendation Chief Eng Fire Dept discharge	Received a recommendation from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department that Franklin E. Peterson be discharged from the department at his own request. Discharge as recommended made and confirmed.
Petitions sundry persons licenses collect junk	Received petitions for licenses to collect junk, from William Casey 80 Webster Street Somerville; Charles Einstein 10 Linden "; James O'Brien 31 Somerville Ave "; James McElroy 153 Quincy Street Cambridge; all recommended by the Chief of Police. Licenses granted.
Petitions sundry persons licenses cry goods in streets	Received petitions for licenses to cry their goods in the streets, from 19 Lexington Ave Charlestown; Charles E. Berry 13 Charles Street Somerville; Owen E. Dugan 10 Linden "; Charles Einstein 13 Washington "; Malcom J. Miers 13 Joy "; Patrick A. Minnehan 31 Somerville Ave "; James O'Brien 137 Lilac Court Cambridge; John O'Connell 81 Linwood Street Somerville; John Reardon Cor Linwood & Poplar Sts "; Thomas F. Reardon Poplar Street "; Daniel J. Sullivan Sowell "; Moses Vickery; all recommended by the Chief of Police. Licenses granted.
Petitions Ice Cream Venders licenses ring bells in streets	Received petitions for licenses to ring a bell in the streets, from the following-named venders of Ice Cream; Frank H. Adams 20 Summer Street Somerville; Rafaele Colorusso 54 Prince " Boston; Joseph Curbester 17 Moon "; Guiseppe Suchine 36 Cambridge Charlestown; all recommended by the Chief of Police

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Licenses granted

Received petitions for licenses to ring a bell in the streets from the following named Scissors Sharpeners,
Dominico Digerolomo, 33 Fleet Street Boston
Gemis Girolomo, 333 North " "
Gozi Sereco, 41 Fleet " "
all recommended by the Chief of Police
Licenses granted

√ Petitions
Scissors Sharpeners
licenses
ring bell in streets.

Received petitions each signed by a parent of the proposed licensee, for licenses to the following named seniors, to sell newspapers in the streets of this City,
Harry E. Blaisdell, 25 Quincy Street aged 10
Ira Pulsifer, 51 Prescott " " 10
both approved by the Chief of Police
Licenses granted

√ Petitions
sunday minors
licenses
sell newspapers

Received a petition from Edward Regan, for a license to give an exhibition of a three headed calf and a balloon headed colt in store No 335 Somerville Avenue, for three days or more, commencing Thursday, May 29th recommended by the Chief of Police
License granted

√ Petition
Edward Regan
license
exhibit curiosities

Received petitions for licenses to keep Intelligence Offices, from
George O. Davis, 25 Bow Street W
Rainbridge B. Seland, 18 Union Square
Referred to Committee on Licenses

√ Petitions
sunday persons
licenses
Intelligence Offices

Received a petition from Furbush & Co. for permission to carry on the business of rendering grease and manufacturing lard and soap on the marsh land bordering on Mystic River north of Mystic Avenue and east of Middlesex Avenue, in this City.

√ Petition
Furbush & Co
permission to establish
rendering & soap factory
near Mystic Ave

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Petitions sundry persons licenses sell fireworks	Received petitions for licenses to sell fireworks for the 17th of June and the 4th of July from
	Fred E. Bradford 316 Broadway
	Cushman & Brigham 312
	F. M. Cummings & Co. 27 Webster Ave.
	George A. Davis 25 Union Square
	Justus D. Dunbar cor. Mystic Ave. & N. Union St.
	Mrs E. J. Harding Central Square
	Mrs E. S. Hodgdon 33 Dana Street
	Bambridge B. Leland 18 Union Square
	Everett A. Maynard 528 Medford Street
	Flora McDonald 527
	Elizabeth Mitchell 169 Washington
	Frederick Meyer 375 Beacon
	Harry B. Raney 101 Washington
	E. & H. M. Stuart 38 Cross
	Lewis L. Stuart cor. Pearl & Cross
	Mrs A. C. Towle & Co. 136 Pearl
	H. S. Tufts cor. Prescott & Summer
	Thomas Woods 418 Somerville Ave.
	Licenses granted.
Petition Edward McGarr & others lowering of sewer Spring Street	Received a petition from Edward McGarr and others that the sewer in Spring Street, from Somerville Avenue to Pitman Street, be lowered, as at present it is not of sufficient depth to sufficiently drain the abutting estates. Referred to Committee on Sewers
Petition N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. locations Medford St. Broadway	Received a petition from the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts, for locations for poles and wires on Medford Street, from Adams Street to Broadway, & Broadway from Medford Street to Holland Street. Referred to Committee on Highways

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Received a petition from Wm P. Richards, for permission to set a hitching post in front of his estate No 44 Clay Street. Referred to Committee on Highways	✓ Petition Wm P. Richards permit set hitching Post 44 Clay St.
Received a petition from M. E. Barnes, for a brick sidewalk on the easterly side of School Street, from Somerville Avenue to Summer Street. Referred to Committee on Highways	✓ Petition M. E. Barnes et al. Brick Sidewalk School Street
Received a petition from Simon Connor and others, for a brick sidewalk on the easterly side of Bow St from Warren Avenue to Walnut Street. Referred to Committee on Highways	✓ Petition Simon Connor et al. brick sidewalk Bow Street
Received a petition from John Medina and others, for a crossing across Broadway, from the end of Curtis Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council May 29th.	✓ Petition John Medina et al. Crossing Broadway
Received a petition from George H. Streeter and others, that the name of South Church street be changed to Church street, and that Church Street be re-numbered from Lake street to Summer street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council May 29th.	✓ Petition Geo H. Streeter et al. change name of So. Church St. to Church Street and renumber Church Street
Received a petition from George H. Streeter and others, for an electric light at the junction of Lake and Church Sts. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council May 29th.	✓ Petition Geo H. Streeter et al. electric light junc. Lake & Church Sts

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Petition Isaac Story et al. street light Linden Avenue	Received a petition from Isaac Story and others for street lights in Linden Avenue and for a hearing in the matter, there being no lights in said avenue at present. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council May 29.
Drain Layer's Bonds sundry persons	Received Drain Layer's Bonds, in the usual form, each in the sum of One Thousand Dollars, and with one surety, - as follows:- Andrew W. Bryne, Principal with Julius A. Durell, surety; Maurice Buttimer, " " Francis Buttimer, " ; Nicholas Leonard, " " Dennis F. McCloskey, " Accepted.
Petition Richard E. Nickerson permit move building Franklin St. to Luney St.	Received a petition from Richard E. Nickerson for permission to move a wooden building, 50 feet long, 21 feet wide, and 25 feet high, from land of said Nickerson on the west side of Franklin Street (No. 41) through Franklin, Pearl, Rush, Flint, Cross and Luney streets, to land of said Nickerson on the northerly side of said Luney Street near Luney Court. Lead for information.
Petition J. Baldwin permit to move building Albion St. to Warwick St.	Received a petition from J. F. Baldwin, for permission to move a wooden building, 26 feet long, 18 feet wide and 15 feet high, from land of George E. Adams, on the north side of Albion Street, through Albion, Cedar and Warwick streets to land of said Baldwin on the southwest side of Warwick street near Cedar Street. Lead for information.
Order permit move building Richard E. Nickerson Franklin St. to Luney St.	Alderman Sanborn offered an order for the granting of a permit to Richard E. Nickerson, to move a wooden building from Franklin Street to Luney street as recorded on pages 406 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles, and Wires, Street

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Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Adopted.

Alderman Souther offered an order for the granting to J. F. Baldwin, of a permit to move a wooden building from Albion Street to Warwick street, as recorded on page 407 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Adopted.

✓ Order permit move building J. F. Baldwin Albion to Warwick St.

Order granting Building Permits.
Ordered,
That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave if necessary, to encumber such portions of the Street and Sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively for the purposes of respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this board.

✓ Order granting Building Permits

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Add or Alteration	Street
Wm. E. Jones	C. A. Miller	wooden dwelling		New Jersey Land Ave.
W. B. Cameron	Mrs Buckley	"		Tyler
Elmer N. Hutchins	Geo. W. Maddox	"		Kensington Ave
Joseph Miller	J. Miller	"		Elm
"	"	"		William
Geo. W. Sake	Mrs. Claffin	"		New Church
Geo Hayes	Margaret Hayes	"		Beacon
John E. Larkin	M. J. Scoboria	"		Maple Ave.
C. O. & S. H. Abbott & Co.	J. W. Chisholm	"		Medford
Robert H. Collupy	R. H. Collupy	"		Hudson

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	Wm K. Fletcher	Annie L. Fletcher	wooden dwelling	Sec.
	Walter Langstroth	W. Langstroth	" "	Bradley
	H. Sovering & Co.	H. Sovering & Co.	" "	Cross
	Thomas Kiley	Wm Weed	" "	Central
	Wm E. Jones	Sarah S. Young	" "	Putnam
	Geo. E. Ricker	G. E. Ricker	2 " "	Madison
	Maurice Buttimer	M. Buttimer	2 " "	Montrose
	Joseph Miller	Joseph Miller	2 " "	Billingham
	John R. Thompson	Michael McCarthy	double "	Quincy
	Wm J. Griffiths	Mrs Cook	" "	Central
	Daniel Martin	Margery McCabe	S.	116 Tremont
		John Dwyer	shed	Fiske Ave.
	Robert Archibald	Edward Foote	stable	Walnut

Adopted

Resolve + Order taking of land for Sewer Hunting Street

A resolve and order for the taking of land for the purposes of a common sewer in Hunting Street, from South Street to the Cambridge Line, as recorded on pages 20 to 24 inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was

Adopted

Resolve + Order taking of land for Sewer Sycamore Street

A resolve and order for the taking of land for the purposes of a Common sewer in Sycamore street, from Highland Avenue to Madison Street, as recorded on pages 12 to 16, inclusive, of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was

Adopted

Report Com. on Licenses Mary S. Vinal Intelligence Office

The Committee on Licenses, on the petition of Mary S. Vinal for a license to keep an Intelligence Office at No 26 Union Square, reported an order

Accepted

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The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows,

Ordered,

That the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to issue to Mary E. Vinal, a license to keep an Intelligence Office at No. 26 Union Square, upon her shall have received therefor, for the use of the city, the sum of two dollars; said license to expire May 1st, 1891, unless sooner revoked.

Adopted.

✓ Order granting license Mary E. Vinal Intelligence Office 26 Union Square

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The Committee on Licenses on petition of Wm A. McCarthy, for a license to keep three pool tables in connection with a cigar and lunch store at No 59 Washington street, reported recommending leave to withdraw

Accepted.

✓ Report Com on Licenses Wm A. McCarthy Pool Tables

The Committee on Licenses, on petition of Hugh Gallagher, for a license to keep a billiard and pool room at No 571 Somerville Avenue, reported an order.

Accepted.

✓ Report Com on Licenses Hugh Gallagher Billiard + Pool

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows,-

Ordered,-

That the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to issue to Hugh Gallagher, on the receipt from him of two dollars for each table, a license to keep pool and billiard tables at No 571 Somerville Avenue, said license to expire May 1st 1891, unless sooner revoked.

Adopted.

✓ Order granting licence Hugh Gallagher Billiard + Pool 571 Somerville Ave

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The Committee on Licenses, on petitions for Common Victualler's licenses, from

Arthur G. Pearson,	No 5 Marshall Street,
Frederick H. Slade,	15 Union Square,

✓ Report Com on Licenses Common Victuallers Arthur G. Pearson

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Frederick W. Slade	recommended that licenses be granted under the provisions of Chapter 102 of the Public Statutes, the same to remain in force until the first day of May, unless sooner revoked. Accepted.
√ Report Com. on Licenses Silas D. Carter Needham & Moulton	The Committee on Licenses, on petitions for Innholder's licenses from Silas D. Carter, Hotel Warren, Union Square, & Needham & Moulton, Hotel Woodbridge, Elm Street, recommending that licenses be granted, the same to expire on the first day of May next unless sooner forfeited or revoked. Accepted.
√ Report Com. on Licenses Emory F. Bennett 6th Class Liquor	The Committee on Licenses, on the petition of Emory F. Bennett, for a license of the sixth class for the sale of intoxicating liquors at the store corner of Cross and Alston streets, reported recommending leave to withdraw. Accepted.
√ Report Com. on Licenses 6th Class Liquor Thos. H. Fenelon Jason P. Routh	The Committee on Licenses, on petitions for licenses of the sixth class for the sale of liquors for medicinal, mechanical and chemical purposes only, from Thomas H. Fenelon, 44 Union Square Jason P. Routh, 524 Somerville Avenue, reported an order. Accepted.
√ Order granting 6th Class Liquor Thos. H. Fenelon Jason P. Routh	The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows; Ordered, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to issue to the following named parties, to wit; - Thomas H. Fenelon, 44 Union Square & Jason P. Routh 524 Somerville Ave. druggists and apothecaries and registered pharmacists, a license

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of the sixth class to sell liquors for medicinal, mechanical and chemical purposes only, and to such persons only, as may certify in writing for what use they may want it, at their place of business on the first floor when they shall have filed with the City Treasurer a satisfactory bond, with surety in the sum of one thousand dollars each, and shall have paid the fee provided by law — said license to expire May 1st 1891, unless sooner forfeited or rendered void.

Adopted.

The Committee on Licenses, on petitions for sixth class liquor licenses from Charles H. Crane, G. Kennedy Creighton, George H. Cowdin, Charles H. Hallowell and Francis E. Hoxsie, Jeffers & Co. Joseph E. B. Sovering, Henry D. Padelford, Frank E. Studley, George T. Unwin, & William A. Whitney, reported an order.

Accepted

✓ Report Com. on Licenses sundry persons 6th Class liquor

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows; -

Ordered;

That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to issue to the following parties, to wit; -

Charles H. Crane,	Cor Franklin & Perkins Street
G. Kennedy Creighton,	2 Studio Bldg. Davis Square
George H. Cowdin,	25 Union "
Charles H. Hallowell & Frank E. Hoxsie,	8 Elm Street
Samuel T. Jeffers Jr. & Edward T. C. Eddy	310 Broadway
Joseph E. B. Sovering	Cor Pearl & Franklin Streets
Henry D. Padelford	" Marshall & Pearl "
Frank E. Studley	" Elm " Dover "
George T. Unwin	173 Washington Street &
William T. Whitney	305 Broadway

druggists and apothecaries and registered pharmacists, licenses of the sixth class to sell liquors for medicinal, mechanical and

✓ Order granting 6th Class Liquor Licenses sundry persons

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chemical purposes only, and to such purposes only as may certify in writing for what use they may want it, at their places of business on the first floor, when they shall have filed with the City Treasurer a satisfactory bond, with surety in the sum of one thousand dollars each, and shall have paid the fee provided by law; said licenses to expire May 1st 1891, unless sooner forfeited or rendered void.

Adopted.

Report Com. on Licenses sunday persons 6th class liquor licenses.

The Committee on Licenses, on petitions for sixth class liquor licenses, from

Christopher C. Brady,	71 Summer Street
Augustine Cunningham,	186 Somerville Ave.
E. F. Chaffee,	cor Cross + Webster Streets
Daniel P. Horr,	55 Elm Street
Edgar J. Howland,	376 Somerville Ave.
S. F. Phipps,	Low Street
Darius W. Pollard,	junc Broadway + Medford St.
Wm. A. Stone,	57 Washington St.

reported recommending leave to withdraw.

Accepted.

Order enforcement of screen law 6th class liquor licenses.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That every licensee of the sixth class for the sale of spirituous or intoxicating liquors in this city, be and is hereby required to remove any screen, blind, curtain, shutter, partition or painted, ground or stained glass window, or any other obstruction which may interfere with a view of the interior of the licensed premises; and the Chief of Police is hereby instructed to cause the provisions of section 12 of Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes concerning screens &c to be strictly enforced.

Adopted.

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The Committee on Licenses, on the petition of the New England Dressed Meat and Wool Company, for permission to establish its slaughtering business on Redford street in this city, and on the petition from said company for leave to amend its first petition so that it shall apply to the slaughtering of sheep and calves, - also sundry communications in favor and against the granting of said company's petition, - reported that the committee is unable to agree in recommending any action in the premises and therefore returned the matter to the board without recommendation.

Accepted

✓ Report Com. on Licenses N. E. Dressed Meat and Wool Co. permit to do slaughtering business

The Committee on Fire Department, on petitions for licenses to sell fireworks for the 17th of June and the 4th of July, from

George H. Bartlett	115 Perkins Street	
S. S. Chandler	136 " "	
George H. Curtis	50 Union Square	
S. S. Gass	45 Washington St.	
Frank H. Leavitt	Union Square	
Alexander Munroe	518 Somerville Ave.	
S. A. Riker	460 " "	

reported recommending that licenses be granted to sell on the 14th, 16th and 17th of June and the 2d, 3d and 4th of July, when the City Clerk shall have received from each petitioner the fee of one dollar for the use of the city.

Accepted.

✓ Report Com. on Fire Department sundry persons licenses sell fireworks

The Committee on Fire Department, which was instructed by an order dated April 9th to exchange one or two horses used on Steam Fire Engine No. 1, reported that two old horses have been exchanged for a new team at an expense of five hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

Accepted by the Common Council in concurrence May 29th.

✓ Report Com. on Fire Dept. exchange of horses Engine Co. No. 1.

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Report Com. on Sewers proposals sewer Broadway

The Committee on Sewers, in pursuance of an order passed May 14th submitted the following list of proposals received to construct, in Broadway, from the end of the present sewer near School Street, Southwesterly about 580 feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, with 2 manholes, the pipes to be furnished by the city.

Names of Bidders	Manholes	Excavated per cu. yard	Laying Sewer per lin. ft.	Estimated Aggregate
	$	$	$	$
Maurice Buttimer	47.00	4.00	0.70	816.00
C. A. Morgan	45.00	3.00	0.80	710.00
James Ryan	48.00	2.75	0.75	668.50
Christopher Burke	60.00	3.75	0.59	649.70
A. W. Rogers	50.00	3.00	0.65	627.00
Richard Fahey	43.00	3.50	0.63	626.40

and recommending that the contract be awarded to Richard Fahey.

Accepted.

Order Com. on Sewers make contract Sewer Broadway

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Richard Fahey for the construction of a common sewer in Broadway from the end of the present sewer in said Broadway near School Street, at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor June 5, 1890

Resolve + Order Construct Sewer Hunting Street

Alderman Hemenway offered a resolve and order for the construction of a common sewer in Hunting street, from South street to the Cambridge line, as recorded on page 487 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

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Approved by the Mayor June 5th

Alderman Hemenway offered a resolve and order for the construction of a Common Sewer in Sycamore St. from Highland Avenue to Madison Street, as recorded on page 489 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor, June 5, 1890

✓ Resolve & Order construct sewer Sycamore Street

Alderman Souther offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Sewers be authorized to confer with the Committee on Sewers of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Cambridge in regard to what measures, if any, can be taken, or are necessary to be taken for the construction of a sewer in White Street, which street is partly in the City of Cambridge and partly in the City of Somerville.

Adopted

✓ Order Common Sewers Confer with the Committee of City of Cambridge Sewer White Street

The Committee on Sewers, on the petition of Geo. E. Fox and others, for a common sewer in Thurston Street, a private way, from Broadway to Heath Street, presented a favorable report for the taking of land for the purposes of such sewer, as recorded on page 33 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Accepted.

✓ Report Common Sewers Sewer Thurston Street

Accompanying the foregoing report as a part thereof was an Order of Notice for a hearing on the taking of land for a sewer in Thurston Street, a private way from Broadway to Heath Street, as recorded on page 34 of volume 1 of

✓ Order of Notice Taking land for sewer Thurston Street

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the Records of Taking of Sand for and Orders to Construct Sewers of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted

√ Report Com. on Public Propty hiring of store No 188 Somerville Ave.

The Committee on Public Property, which was authorized and instructed by an order of May 14th, to hire the store No. 188 Somerville Avenue for school purposes, from May 15th to July 1st, at expense not to exceed seventeen dollars per month to be charged to Schoolhouse Incidentals Account, reported that the room has been hired as authorized.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted by the Common Council in concurrence May 29

√ Report Com. on Public Propty additional Sch accommodations Winter Hill Dist.

The Committee on Public Property, on the request of the School Committee for additional accommodations in the Winter Hill District, reported that measures have been taken toward erecting a schoolhouse on Jaques Street in Ward Three.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th

√ Report Com. on Public Property proposals Highland School Addition

The Committee on Public Property, under an order of May 14th, submitted the following list of proposals received to make an addition to the Highland School in accordance with plans by S. D. Kelley, Architect;

Nickolson + Lord	$ 15,956.00
Weston, Dixon + Co.	15,929.00
W. S. + A. C. Clark	15,692.00
Newhall + Bishop	15,629.00
Dearborn Bros + Co	13,853.00
George M. Starbird	13,436.00

and reported an order

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

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Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows,

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Public Property be and are hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with George M. Starkey for an addition to the Highland Schoolhouse in accordance with plans and specifications made by S. W. Kelly, Architect, at the price named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date, the sum expended under said contract to be charged to Highland Schoolhouse Addition Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th.

Approved by the Mayor June 5th.

✓ Order Com. on Public Property make contract Highland School Addition

The Committee on Public Property reported that under an order of March 26th the furniture needed for the new schoolhouse in Ward two has been purchased of the Winchester Furniture Company at a cost of $1018.50.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th.

✓ Report Com. on Public Property furniture purchased Schoolhouse Ward Two

Alderman Sanborn offered the following order

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Fuel and Street Lights be and are hereby authorized and instructed to solicit proposals for fuels for the year commencing July 1, 1890, for the several schoolhouses and public buildings owned by the City, and to submit the bids to the City Council.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th.

✓ Order Com. on Fuel & St. Lights solicit proposals Fuel

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Approved by the Mayor June 5th.

Order City Solicitor authorized to give notice in legal proceedings	Alderman Kimball offered the following order Ordered, That in, or in regard to all suits and legal proceedings, or the subject-matter thereof, which have been or may hereafter be brought against the City in any Court, the City Solicitor be and he hereby is fully authorized and empowered in behalf of the City to give such notices, either to parties responsible over to the City of the pendency of any such action, suit or proceeding, and to appear and defend the same, or such other notices, as he shall deem advisable and for the interest of the City, and all such notices, as have been heretofore given by him, are hereby fully ratified and confirmed. Adopted and sent down for concurrence. Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th. Approved by the Mayor June 5th.

President Hemenway presiding.

Report Com on Highways John Higgins et al brick sidewalks Linwood Street	The Committee on Highways, on the petition on the petition of John Higgins and others, for a brick sidewalk (the edgestones being already set) on both sides of Linwood Street, recommended the laying of a brick sidewalk on the easterly side of said street, and submitted an order of notice for a hearing. Accepted.
Order of Notice Sidewalk Linwood Street	The order of notice submitted with the foregoing report, for a hearing on the laying of a brick sidewalk on the easterly side of Linwood street, is recorded on page 57 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Adopted.

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The Committee on Highways, on the petition of L. B. Pillsbury and others, for edgestones and gravel sidewalks, on both sides of Sargent Avenue, and Mills Street, reported orders for hearings.
Accepted.

✓ Report Com. on Highways Sidewalks Mills St. & Sargent Ave.

The order of notice submitted with the foregoing report, for a hearing on the construction of a gravel sidewalk with edgestones, on both sides of Mills street is recorded on page 61 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Adopted.

✓ Order of Notice Sidewalks Mills Street.

The order of notice, submitted with the foregoing report, for a hearing on the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on both sides of Sargent Avenue, is recorded on page 65 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Adopted.

✓ Order of Notice Sidewalks Sargent Avenue.

Alderman Kimball offered a resolve and order for the construction of gravel sidewalks, with edgestones, on both sides of Virginia street, from Aldrich street to Joshua street, to be of the width of six and 1/2 feet, as recorded on page 43 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Read twice and adopted.
Approved by the Mayor June 5th.

✓ Resolve & Order construct gravel sidewalks Virginia Street.

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Resolve + Order Construct gravel sidewalk Evergreen Avenue	Alderman Kimball offered a resolve and order for the construction of gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on both sides of Evergreen Avenue, from School street to Thurston street, to be of the width of six and 1/2 feet, as recorded on page 47 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Read twice and adopted. Approved by the Mayor June 5th.
Resolve + Order Construct gravel sidewalk - Hower Street	Alderman Kimball offered a resolve and order for the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on both sides of Hower Street, from School street to Marshall Street, to be of the width of six and 1/2 feet, as recorded on page 39 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Read twice and adopted. Approved by the Mayor June 5th.
Resolve + Order Construct brick sidewalk - Elm Street	Alderman Kimball offered a resolve and order, for the construction of a brick sidewalk, with edgestones, on the southwesterly side of Elm street, from a point 140 feet southeast of the N.W.ly side line of the estate of Wm. T. Henderson to Morland street, and recorded on page 30 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Read twice and adopted. Approved by the Mayor June 5th.
Report from on Highways completion gravel sidewalk Newbury Street	The Committee on Highways, reported that, in pursuance of an order dated March 26th a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, has been constructed on the easterly side of Newbury street, from Holland street to the southwesterly side line of the estate of the Heirs of Willard Dalrymple, and submitted

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a list of assessments for one half of the cost of the same, with a warrant and order for collection.
Accepted.

The Assessment List, with Warrant and Order, for a gravel sidewalk with edgestones, on the easterly side of Newbury street, from Holland street to the South-westerly side line of the estate of the Heirs of Willard Dalrymple, submitted with the foregoing report, are recorded on pages 73 to 76 inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalk Assessments of the City of Somerville.
Assessment List, Warrant and Order adopted.

√ Assessment List
Warrant + Order
gravel sidewalk
Newbury Street

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of the Somerville Electric Light Company, for location for poles and wires in Preston street, reported an order.
Accepted.

√ Report
Com on Highways
Som. Elec. Light Co
locations Preston St

The order submitted with the foregoing report, granting to the Somerville Electric Light Company, locations for poles and wires in Preston street, is recorded on page 3 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways, and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Adopted.

√ Order
granting location
Som. Electric Light Co
Preston Street

Agreement filed July 5/90

The Committee on Highways on the petition of the West End Street Railway Company, for locations for a double track in Broadway, from a point at or near Temple street to a point at or near the junction of Broadway and Medford street, with a cross connection and curve extending into, and connecting with the tracks as at present located on, said Medford street, reported an order for a hearing.
Accepted.

√ Report
Com on Highways
W End Street Railway Co
location
Broadway

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Order Hearing West End St Railway Co location Broadway	The order for a hearing submitted with the foregoing report, on the petition of the West End Street Railway Company, for a location for a double track in Broadway, from a point at or near Temple street, to a point at or near the junction of Medford street and Broadway, with a cross connection and curve to the tracks as at present located in said Medford street, is recorded on page 304 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Adopted
Report Com on Highways removal of tree Broadway Sacramento & Beacon	The Committee on Highways, which was instructed by orders dated April 28th to remove a tree standing on the southeasterly side of Broadway nearly opposite Thurston Street and a willow tree standing at the corner of Sacramento and Beacon streets, reported that the trees have been removed as authorized by said orders. Accepted.
Report Com on Highways building of a fence North Street	The Committee on Highways, which was authorized and instructed by an order dated April 28th to build a fence on the northwesterly side of North street, between stone bounds numbered 17 and 18, as ordered by the County Commissioners reports that the fence has been built as authorized by said order. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th.
Report Com on Highways R H Sturtevant et al brick sidewalk Sanborn Avenue	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of R H Sturtevant and others, for a brick sidewalk on the southerly side of Sanborn Avenue at their expense, reported that the sidewalk has been constructed as prayed for, and a bill sent to the Treasurer for collection. Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

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Accepted in concurrence by Common Council May 29th

The Committee on Highways on petition of the West Somerville Baptist Church for a street crossing on Elm Street across Winslow Avenue, reported that the crossing had been laid as prayed for,

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

Accepted in concurrence by Common Council May 29th

✓ Report Com. on Highways W. Som. Baptist Church crossing Elm Street

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of T. B. Dillaway and others, that Clarendon Street be repaired, reported recommending leave to withdraw

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th

✓ Report Com. on Highways T. B. Dillaway et al repairing of Clarendon Street

The Committee on Highways on the petitions of F. G. Kay and others, and George H. Lake and others, for the laying out of Carlton Street, from Somerville Avenue to Lake Street, presented a favorable report, as recorded on page 53 of volume 1 of the Records of Laying out of Streets of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th

✓ Report Com. on Highways F. G. Kay et al Geo. H. Lake et al laying out of Carlton Street

An Order of Notice accompanied said report as a part thereof, for a hearing on the laying out of Carlton Street, from Somerville Avenue to Lake Street, as recorded on page 64 of volume 1 of the Records of the laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

Adopted and sent down for concurrence

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th

✓ Order of Notice laying out of Carlton Street

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Report Comm. of Highways Anna M. Berrenberg et al laying out of Madison Street	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Anna M. Berrenberg and others, for the laying out of Madison street from School street to Sycamore Street, presented a favorable report, as recorded on page 61 of volume 11 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th
Order of Notice laying out of Madison Street	An Order of Notice accompanied said report and part thereof, for a hearing on the laying out of Madison street, from School street to Sycamore Street, as recorded on page 62 of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Adopted and sent down for concurrence. Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29
Order Mayor execute release Warren A. Skelton property Evergreen Avenue	Alderman Kenney offered the following order. Ordered, That his honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and empowered in the name of the City of Somerville to seal with the corporate seal of said city and to execute acknowledge and deliver to Warren A. Skelton of Somerville, Massachusetts, and his heirs and assigns, in consideration of the sum of one dollar to be paid by said Skelton to said City, a release of all the right, title and interest, if any which said city has in and to the following described premises under and by virtue of three deeds to said City by Aaron Sargent as Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Somerville, in the County of Middlesex, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, dated respectively June 28, 1877, July 1, 1878 and July 7, 1879 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, respectively, book 1442 page 536, book 1482 page 398, book 1516 page 129, namely southwesterly by Linden Place, (now Evergreen Square) Northwesterly by land now

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or formerly of James B. Bartlett, Northeasterly by land now or formerly of Talbot, and Southeasterly by land now or formerly of Sparhawk, being lot numbered five (5) on a plan of an estate in Somerville owned by Amos Lautter, made by Frost & Bros. dated July 1873 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds at the end of book 1272.

This release hereby authorized shall not impair or affect the said City's claim or lien upon the released premises for any taxes or assessments heretofore assessed or levied thereon and now remaining unpaid.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th.

Approved by the Mayor June 5th.

Alderman Carpenter offered the following order Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Grounds be and is hereby authorized to sell surplus earth from Central Hill, the sum received from said sale to be credited to Public Grounds Appropriation.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th.

Approved by the Mayor June 5th.

✓ Order
Com. on Public Grounds
sell surplus earth
Central Hill

Alderman Carpenter offered the following order Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Grounds be and is hereby instructed to erect suitable memorial tablets, to mark such points of historical interest in the city as they may deem best. The location of said tablets to be determined by said committee after consultation with the Committee on Memorial Tablets of the Somerville Improvement Society. The sum so expended not to exceed five hundred dollars and to be charged to

✓ Order
Com. on Public Grounds
erect Memorial Tablets
on historic spots

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Miscellaneous Accounts

Read twice and adopted Sent down for concurrence

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council May 29th

Approved by the Mayor June 5th

Adjourned

Attest

George F. Vincent
Clerk

Meeting of Board of Aldermen
City Hall, Somerville, June 11 1896.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Records approved

The Jury list adopted by this board April 28th was received from the Common Council, endorsed as follows; Jury List

City Hall, Somerville, May 29 1896.

The within Jury List having been posted more than ten days in compliance with an order of even date, in fifty public places, including City Hall, in this city, is sent to the Common Council for revision and acceptance.

George I. Vincent,
City Clerk

In Common Council,
May 29, 1896.

Jury List revised by striking off the following names which are ruled through in red on the within list.

Ward 1. S. Walker Jones, John P. Chandler, Geo. L. Griffin, C. Ham Jr. Chas. E. Nickerson.

Ward 2. Lewis E. Merrill, S. Adams Clark,

Ward 3, Edward H. Foote, Alfred L. Hobbs, Frederick W. Jaques,

Ward 4, Frank S. Shedd, Winsor S. Snow, Otis N. Darey, Samuel T. Richards, and by adding the following name written in red on the within list. Martin Kinney Ward 4, Precinct 2 as revised accepted and sent up for information.

Chas. L. Robertson, Clerk.

The action of the Common Council was read for information

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Ordinance ✓ Disorderly Conduct and Disturbances on Streets etc.	The draft of an ordinance entitled "Disorderly Conduct and Disturbances in Streets and Public Places," which was passed to be enrolled, by this board, May 14th was received back from the Common Council, endorsed as follows,
	In Common Council, May 14, 1890.
	Received its first reading. Said order to be taken up at the next regular meeting.
	In Common Council, May 29, 1890.
	Taken from the table and non-concurred in. Recommitted to the Committee on Ordinances. Sent up for information.
	The board recorded from its former action and recommitted to the Committee on Ordinances, in concurrence.
Petition ✓ Warren & Hoadley et al Incandescent Lights Moore Street	Received from the Common Council a petition from Warren & Hoadley and others, that incandescent lights be placed on Moore Street, Ward 4, endorsed as follows,
	In Common Council May 29, 1890 Referred to the Committee on Fuel and Street Lights. Sent up for information.
	Referred by the Board of Aldermen, to the Committee on Fuel and Street Lights in concurrence.
Resolution ✓ from Common Council increase Mayor's Salary	Received from the Common Council a resolution recommending to the next City Government that the salary of the Mayor-elect shall be fixed at Fifteen hundred dollars endorsed as follows,
	In Common Council, May 29, 1890.
	Resolution adopted and sent up for concurrence.
	The resolution was non-concurred in by the Board of Aldermen.
Report ✓ Chief of Police Month of May	Received the report of the Chief of Police for the month of May.
	Read and sent down for information.
	Read for information in the Common Council June 12th.

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Received the report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department for the month of May Read and sent down for information Read for information in the Common Council June 12th	Report ✓ Chief Eng. Fire Department month of May
Received a petition from the Charlestown Veteran Firemen's Association, representing that the route of the procession on June 17th has been extended to Walnut Street on Broadway, and praying that that part of Broadway be closed to travel by vehicles from 11 O'clock A.M. until the procession passes, and that a detail of police be present to act as an escort within the limits of this city. Read and sent down for information Read for information in the Common Council June 12th	Petition ✓ Charlestown Veteran Firemen's Assn. closing of Broadway and Police Escort for parade June 17th
Received Jury Exemption Rolls from Company B. First Corps Cadets M.V.M. " C. " " " D. Fifth Regiment " E. " " " M. Eighth " " D. Ninth " Signal Corps, First Brigade Placed on file	Jury Exemption ✓ Rolls M.V.M.
Received Drain Sayers' Bonds in usual form, each in the sum of One Thousand Dollars, from Dennis C. Collins, with William Armstrong as surety ✓ John J. Dorey with Jeremiah McCarthy (Bonair St.) as surety Accepted	Drain Sayers Bonds Dennis C. Collins John J. Dorey
Received petitions for licenses, to sell fireworks, for the 17th of June and the 4th of July from Arthur G. Brown, 36 Broadway Mrs Albert B. Burditt, 28 Elm Street	Petitions ✓ sundry persons sell fireworks

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	Burgett Brothers	328 Beacon Street
	Hannah E. Canfield	Cor Clyde & Cedar Sts
	G. L. Hills & Co	32 Union Square
	Martin S. King	Central
	Mrs Nettie A. King	73 E. Pearl St
	Frederick A. Litchfield	Holland
	Bridget Reardon	83 Sinwood
	Mrs M. P. Burinton	45 Cross
	Mrs Kate Robinson	62 Sinwood
	S. Frank Sherman	21 Washington
	C. L. Tibbetts	598 Somerville Ave
	Thompson & Morang	Cor Clyde & Summer Sts
	Licenses granted	

Petitions ✓ sundry minors licenses sell newspapers

Received petitions, each signed by a parent of the proposed licensee, for licenses to sell newspapers, under the provisions of ordinance No 43, for the following named minors,

Warren S. Colby	5 Morgan Street	Aged 11 years
Henry K. Fitts	17 Pleasant Ave	" 11 "
Herbert C. Haines	71 Quincy Street	" 10 "

all approved by the Chief of Police.

Licenses granted

Petition ✓ sundry persons licenses collect junk

Received petitions for licenses to collect junk, from

William H. Blake	40 Murdock Street
William Delay	32 Sine "
John P. Kelly	189 Somerville Ave

all approved by the Chief of Police

Licenses granted

Petitions ✓ sundry persons licenses cry goods in streets

Received petitions for licenses to cry their goods in the streets, from

James F. Buckley	5 London Street
Thomas Conlon	4 Columbia "
Jeremiah J. Day	14 Joy "
William Delay	32 Sine "

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Patrick Hayes,	79 Webster Ave	
Ira Holmans	59 Franklin St	
James H. Hughes,	56 Linwood	
James McKenney	7 Chestnut	
Joseph E. Purcell,	71 Porter - Dumbridge	
Vincenzo Valente,	Tufts	
all approved by the Chief of Police		
Licenses granted		

Received a petition for a license to sing in bells in the streets to announce his calling of a scissors sharpener, from Pietro Di Rocco, 306 North Street, Boston, approved by the Chief of Police. License granted.

Petition	✓
Pietro Di Rocco	
License	
ring bells in streets	

Received a petition from J. K. Tucker, for a license to give a tent concert variety tent show on Clark Street, Friday and Saturday, June 20th and 21st. License granted.

Petition	✓
J. K. Tucker	
License	
tent show	

Received a petition from Zebe M. Saunders, for an Auctioneers license. License granted.

Petition	✓
Zebe M. Saunders	
Auctioneers License	

Received a petition from Mrs Susan A. Kikes, for a license to keep an Intelligence Office at No. 578 Somerville Avenue. License granted.

Petition	✓
Mrs Susan A. Kikes	
License	
Intelligence Office	

Received petitions for Sixth Class Liquor licenses from

Christopher C. Brady,	71 Summer Street	Petitions ✓
Emery F. Shaffer,	Cor. Cross & Webster Streets	sundry persons
Augustine Cunningham,	186 Somerville Ave	6th Class Liquor License
Edgar J. Howland,	376	
Sylvester F. Pfeiffer,	11 Bow Street	
Lorenzo W. Pollard,	Magoun Square	

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	William A. Stone, 57 Washington Street.
	Also a petition from Edward O'Brien and others, that said petition from Darius W. Pollard be granted.
	Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Petition ✓ Daniel P. Horr 4th Class liquor license and Walter C. Mentzer et al in aid of same.	Received a petition for a sixth class license, from Daniel P. Horr, No 55 Elm Street, and a petition from Walter C. Mentzer and others, that said petition from Horr be granted.
	Referred to Committee on Licenses.
	Later in the evening foregoing action reconsidered and petition of Horr's granted.
Petition ✓ Hugh Gallagher transfer of Pool & Billiard Licenses	Received a petition from Hugh Gallagher, that his license (to keep pool and billiard tables) be transfered from 511 Somerville Avenue to 841 Somerville Avenue.
	Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Petition ✓ Thomas Dowd et al catch-basin Chauncey Ave	Received a petition from Thomas Dowd and others, for a catch-basin on the westerly side of Chauncey Avenue, about two hundred feet north of Jaques street.
	Referred to Committee on Sewers.
Petition ✓ Michael McCue Sewer South Street	Received a petition from Michael McCue, for a sewer in South street, between the sewer now laid therein, one of which ends about one hundred feet east of Horace street and the other about fifty feet east of Emery street.
	Referred to Committee on Sewers.
Petition ✓ Thomas Kiley permit blast boulder Central Street	Received a petition from Thomas Kiley, for a license to blast a bowlder in excavating for a cellar on land of Charles Heed on Central street near Broadway.
	Permit granted.

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Received a petition from John Neyland, for permission to blast rock in excavating for a street through land of the Heirs of Nathan Tufts, from Willow Avenue to Elm Street. Referred to Committee on Highways	Petition ✓ John Neyland permit to blast rock Tufts Est. Willow Ave.
Received a petition from Patrick J. Shannon, for permission to cut down two elm trees in a row of eight, in front of his property on Linden Avenue, as the trees are now too near together. Referred to Committee on Highways	Petition ✓ Patrick J. Shannon permit remove trees Linden Avenue
Received a petition from Orrin Hazlett, for the removal of a tree standing in front of the estate No. 13 Rush street, the same being so large as to make the house dark. Referred to Committee on Highways	Petition ✓ Orrin Hazlett removal of tree 13 Rush Street
Received a petition from S. B. Kennedy and others, that edgestones be set on the westerly side of Chauncey Avenue, from Jaques Street northerly as far as the house extend. Referred to Committee on Highways	Petition ✓ S. B. Kennedy et al. edgestones Chauncey Avenue
Received a petition from John Hennessy and others, for the abatement of the nuisance committed by horses and cows running at large through the streets and trespassing upon private property. Referred to Committee on Highways, and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council, June 12th.	Petition ✓ John Hennessy et al. abatement nuisance horses & cows in streets
Received a request from the City of Cambridge, for permission to lower the bottom of the culvert at Broadway Bridge over Alewife Brook, substantially in accordance with sketches submitted by the City Engineer of Cambridge. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council, June 12th.	Request ✓ City of Cambridge permission lower culvert under Broadway Bridge at Alewife Brook

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√ Petition Thomas Curtis et al crossing Bonair St. at Dana St.	Received a petition from Thomas Curtis and others, for a crossing from the upper corner of Dana Street to the north side of Bonair Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council, June 12th.
√ Petition Michael J. McDonnell driveway 38 Concord Ave.	Received a petition from Michael J. McDonnell, for the lowering of the curbstone for the purposes of a driveway, in front of his residence No. 38 Concord Avenue, at his expense. Referred to Committee on Highways. Later in the evening, foregoing action reconsidered and petition granted. Sent down for concurrence. Petition granted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.
√ Petition Frank E. Hodgkins et al part of City Farm be opened for Base Ball Ground	Received a petition from Frank E. Hodgkins and others, that a part of the City Farm be opened to the public to be used as a Base Ball Ground for the season of 1890. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred by the Common Council June 12th.
√ Petition John Kimball et al electric light 221 Medford Street	Received a petition from John Kimball and others, that an electric light be placed in front of the residence D. W. Clarke, 221 Medford Street. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council June 12th.
√ Petition S. S. Cummings et al removal electric light on Highland Ave. & Grove St.	Received a petition from S. S. Cummings and others, that the electric light on the corner of Highland Avenue and Grove street be removed from its present location. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence.

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Reference concurred in by the Common Council June 22nd

Received a petition from Jackson Caldwell representing that he owns land on Putnam Street lying on the northwesterly side of the ten-foot passageway leading from said Putnam street to the rear of the E. V. Bell School, that he is desirous of using said passageway in common with the City and is willing to give the City the similar use of a strip of his land five feet wide bordering thereon, and praying that the City convey to him an enlargement, as aforesaid in said passageway and receive from him a similar easement in his said five feet strip.

Referred to Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence.

Petition
Jackson Caldwell
easement in passageway
Putnam Street

Reference concurred in by Common Council June 22nd

Received a petition from Thomas A. Kent and Walter S. Fitch for permission to move a wooden building 80 feet long, 26 feet wide and 30 feet high, from land of John Knight, on the northerly corner of Summer and Central Streets, across Central Street and private lands to land of the petitioners on the southerly side of Berkeley street near Harvey St. certified by Alderman Edmands that in his opinion the proposed removal can be made without injury to public or private property.

Referred for information

Petition
T. A. Kent & W. S. Fitch
permit move building
Central Street

Alderman Edmands offered an order for the granting of a permit, to Thomas A. Kent and Walter S. Fitch, to move a wooden building, from the northerly corner of Summer and Central streets across Central street and private lands to land of the petitioners on the southerly side of Berkeley street as recorded on page 408 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted

Order
permit move building
T. A. Kent & W. S. Fitch
Central Street

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✓ Order granting Building Permits	Order granting Building Permits
	Ordered:- That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave, if necessary, to encumber such portions of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of Applicant	Owner of land	New Erection	Add. or Alteration	Street
Daniel Gallagher	H. W. P. Colson	wooden dwelling		Bartlett
Sylvester Woods	Thos. McFarland	"		Prospect
Donald McDonald	John Walsh	"		Marion
Wm. Iliffe	Geo. Bentley	"		Medford
Wm. G. Douglass	Mrs. Crimmings	"		Oxford
Chas. K. Hutchinson	C. K. Hutchinson	"		Wesley Park
	Michael McCue	"		South
Thomas Kilmartin	T. Kilmartin	"		Partridge Ave
Thos. F. Farrington	Thos. Singleton	"		Preston
Jonathan Clark	Wm. S. McBarrett	"		Mt. Pleasant
Robt. H. Collupy	S. S. Higgins	"		Hudson
S. & C. H. Williams	S. & C. H. Williams	2		Ames
"	Henry A. Grunes	2		Robinson
George Chaplin	Mrs. Glover	3		Meacham
Edmund J. Cogan	Allen O'Riley	2	in a block	Prospect
Daniel E. Robbins	D. E. Robbins	2		Montrose
	Patrick J. Shannon	2		Linden Ave
Isaac Schumann	I. Schumann	4		Sydney
Robt. H. Collupy	C. C. Brady	wooden tenement house - 1 store		Summer
	Cyrus H. Stone		addition to house	Marshall
Gordon & Packard	Barney Haskell		S.	12 Chester
Chas. C. Emerson	John Buckley Jr.		S.	19 Virginia
J. Sewall & Co.	Jonas B. Kendall		addition to stable	21 Russell

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Jason E. Herrick	J. E. Herrick	Stable	58 Newbury	
Thos. F. Farrington	Matthew P. Elliot	— said house one story	Boston	

Adopted.

Alderman Sanborn offered the following order.

Order ✓
City Clerk
change names in
Jury Box

Ordered:

That the City Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to remove from the Jury box all the names which it now contains and to place in said box all the names contained in the revised jury list received by this board from the Common Council this evening.

Adopted. Order complied with June 25th.

The Committee on Building Permits, on the application of Alexander Johnson, for Wm. Armstrong, for permission to build a block of stores and dwellings on Somerville Avenue and Spring street, reported recommending that a permit be granted.

Report ✓
Com. on Building Permits
A. Johnson for Wm. Armstrong
Som. Ave. & Spring St.

Accepted.

The Committee on Licenses on petitions for licenses to keep Intelligence Offices, from Bainbridge B. Seland and George A. Davis, reported an order.

Report ✓
Com. on Licenses
B. B. Seland, & G. A. Davis
Intelligence Offices

Accepted.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows;

Order ✓
granting licenses
Intelligence Offices
B. B. Seland, & G. A. Davis

Ordered:

That the City Clerk be, and is hereby instructed to issue a license to the following parties to keep Intelligence Offices as follows;

Bainbridge B. Seland at No 18 Union Square 9/1
George A. Davis " " 25 Bow Street

when he shall have received from each petitioner for the use of the City, the sum of two dollars, said licenses to expire May 1st 1891, unless sooner revoked.

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√ Report Com. on Police 3 new signal boxes purchased	The Committee on Police, reported that under an order dated April 23rd, three new signal boxes have been purchased, at a cost of $450.00, and located as follows:- one at the corner of Elm Street and Willow Avenue and one at the corner of Highland Avenue and Medford Street and one on Somerville Avenue near Dine Street. Accepted.
√ Order Com. on Police purchase Van	Alderman Souther offered the following order. Ordered:- That the Committee on Police be, and it is hereby authorized and instructed to purchase a Van for the use of the police department, the cost of the same not to exceed four hundred dollars and to be charged to Police Account. Lead twice and adopted. Approved by the Mayor.
√ Report Com. on Sewers sundry petitions drain layers licenses	The Committee on Sewers on the petitions for drain layers licenses from James M. Luckes, Christopher Burke, Richard Falvey, M. E. Flynn, Maurice Terry and Adna C. Winning, reported an order. Accepted.
√ Order granting sundry drain layers licenses	The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows:- Ordered:- That the drain layers licenses be issued to James M. Luckes, Christopher Burke, Richard Falvey, M. E. Flynn, Maurice Terry, and Adna C. Winning when they shall have filed a bond with surety in the sum of one thousand dollars, satisfactory to this board. Adopted.

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The Committee on Sewers on the communication from the City of Cambridge concerning the removal of deposit from the mouth of the Bridge Street sewer, reported as order.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Sewers City of Cambridge removal of deposit Bridge St. Sewer

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows,

Ordered,

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby instructed to cooperate with the City of Cambridge in removing the deposit at the mouth of the Bridge Street sewer, the City of Somerville to pay five-ninths of said removal, to be charged to Sewers Account.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor June 19th.

Order Com. on Sewers cooperate in removal of deposit at Bridge St. Sewer

The Committee on Sewers in pursuance of an order dated May 28th submitted the following list of proposals received to construct, in Sycamore Street, from the sewer in Madison Street southerly, about 170 feet of 10-inch pipe sewer, with 2 man-holes, the pipe to be furnished by the City.-

Names of Bidders	Manholes	Rock excavated per cu. yd.	Laying sewer per lin. ft.	Estimated Aggregate.
Richard Falvey	$46.00	—	$0.70	$211.00
C. A. Morgan	45.00	—	0.65	208.50
A. H. Bryne	47.00	—	0.60	196.00

and recommended the awarding of the contract to A. H. Bryne.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Sewers proposals Sycamore St. Sewer

Alderman Hamerness offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with A. H. Bryne for the construction of a common sewer in Sycamore

Order Com. on Sewers make contract Sewer Sycamore Street

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street, from the sewer in Madison Street, at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted.

Presented to the Mayor June 17th.

Report ✓ Com. on Sewers proposals Hunting St. Sewer

The Committee on Sewers in pursuance of an order dated May 28th submitted the following list of proposals received to construct in Hunting street from South Street to the Cambridge Line, about 125 feet of 10-inch pipe sewer, with one manhole, the pipe to be furnished by the city,

Names of Bidders	Manhole	Rock excavated per cu. yd.	Laying Sewer per lin. ft.	Estimated Aggregate
Richard Falvey	$37.00	—	$55	$105.75
A. W. Bryne	37.00	—	33	78.25
C. A. Mongan	30.00	—	35	73.75

and recommended the awarding of the contract to C. A. Mongan.

Accepted

Order ✓ Com. on Sewers make contract sewer Hunting Street

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order

Ordered,

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with C. A. Mongan, for the construction of a common sewer in Hunting street, from the sewer in South Street to the Cambridge Line, at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said Committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor

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Alderman Kimmway presented an order laying a common sewer assessment on a lot at the westerly corner of Medford Street and Partridge Avenue, owned by Thomas Kilmartin for a benefit from a sewer in Medford Street as recorded on page 87 of volume 1 of Records of Sewer Assessments, of the Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Sewer Assessment
Thomas Kilmartin
Medford Street

Alderman Kilmartin offered the following order.

Ordered;

That the several companies having locations for electric wires in the streets of this city, and all other persons and corporations, be, and they are hereby, forbidden to trim, or in any way to mar or injure, any shade or ornamental tree standing in or overhanging any of said streets; the climbing of trees by means of spurs or spikes being, in the judgment of this board, injurious to the trees, within the meaning of this order; and the Chief of Police is hereby directed to cause the provisions of this order and all laws and ordinances for the protection of shade trees to be strictly enforced; provided, however, that the Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephone Lines may give written permission for such trimming of trees as, in his judgment, may be necessary for the purposes of locating and operating electric wires, and that such pruning as may be necessary for the care of the trees and the convenience of the public be done under the direction of the Superintendent of Streets.

Adopted.

Order forbidding the Trimming of Trees

The Committee on Highways on the petition of Nathan H. Reed and others, for a brick sidewalk with edgestones, on the southwesterly side of Pearl street, from Cross street to Walnut street, reported recommending the construction of a gravel sidewalk with edgestones on the southwesterly side of Pearl street, and submitted an order of notice for a hearing

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Com on Highways
N. H. Reed and others
brick sidewalk
Pearl Street

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in the matter

Accepted

√ Order of Notice Sidewalk Pearl Street.

The order of notice submitted with the foregoing report for a hearing on the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the southwesterly side of Pearl street, from Walnut street to Cross street, is recorded on page 59 of volume 1. of the Records of Sidewalks — Hearings and Construction — of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted

√ Report Com on Highways New Eng Tel & Tel Co. locations Medford St + Broadway

The Committee on Highways on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company for the location of poles with wires in

Medford street, from Adams street to Broadway and

Broadway, from Medford street to Holland street,

reported an order for a hearing

Accepted

√ Order Hearing N. E. Tel & Tel Co. locations Medford St + Broadway

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows;

Whereas The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company by its General Manager Jasper N. Keller has petitioned this board for leave to locate poles and wires in the following named streets, to wit;-

Medford street, from Adams street to Broadway and

Broadway, from Medford street to Holland street,

it is therefore ordered that this board meet at its room in the City Hall in said Somerville on Wednesday the 9th day of July 1890, 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 interested to then and there appear, by publishing a copy of this order in the Somerville Journal, a newspaper in said Somerville at least fourteen days before the time of such meeting, and that a like copy be given to the New

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England Telephone and Telegraph Company or some officer or Agent thereof, at least fourteen days before said meeting, and the City Clerk is hereby ordered to cause said notice to be given as aforesaid.

Adopted.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Wm. P. Richards, for permission to set a hitching-post in front of his estate No. 44 Clay Street, reported recommending that the petition be granted.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways Wm. P. Richards permit set hitching post 44 Clay Street.

The Committee on Highways on the petition of Christopher Burke, for permission to blast boulders on land of J. C. Ayer Estate, between the Arlington Railroad and Broadway, reported that permission has been granted as prayed for.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways Christopher Burke blast boulders land of Ayer Estate.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of George I. Vincent and others, for the removal of unsightly poles on Cherry Street, and the petition of E. G. Parks and others, for the removal of two poles in Arlington Street and to substitute better ones, reported that as the Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephone Lines has been instructed to cause all crooked, defective and unsightly poles in the City to be removed, no further action is necessary.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways G. I. Vincent and others E. G. Park and others removal of crooked poles

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The Committee on Highways authorized and instructed by an order dated March 12th to place on all buildings not already provided with numbers, suitable figures to designate the proper numbers, at the expense of the Highways Account, reported that the buildings have been numbered as authorized at an expense of $ 753.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways numbers placed on all buildings

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Report Com. on Highways West Somerville Baptist Church brick sidewalk Elm Street	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of the West Somerville Baptist Church, for a brick sidewalk, with edgestone, on Elm Street in front of the Church, or from Winslow Avenue to the brick sidewalk in front of the estate of C. H. Savell, reported that a sidewalk has been laid in front of the church as prayed for, at a cost of $73.41. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.
Report Com. on Highways purchase of a double cart	The Committee on Highways reported that by authority of an order dated April 28th, a double cart has been purchased of Joseph Miller for $180.00 Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by Common Council June 12th.
Report Com. on Highways bill approved for Street Sweeper	The Committee on Highways reported that by authority of an order dated May 14th a bill of $325.00 for a horse Street-sweeper, has been approved in pay-roll of Highways. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12.
Report Com. on Highways John Kennedy driveway 31 Church Street	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of John Kennedy, for the lowering of the edgestone in front of his estate No. 31 Church Street, reported that the stone has been lowered as prayed for. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by Common Council June 12.
Report Com. on Highways Thos. J. Burke et al. relaying sidewalk Munroe Street	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Thomas J. Burke and others, for the repairing of the sidewalks in Munroe Street, reported that the sidewalks have been repaired as prayed for. Accepted and sent for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12.

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The Committee on Highways, on the petitions of Edwin G. Kradshaw and others, for a crossing on Elm Street at St. James Avenue & Elias Sothrop and others for a crossing on Holland Street at Russell Square reported recommending leave to withdraw. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.	Report ✓ Com. on Highways sundry petitions street crossings.
The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Augustus P. Griffin and others, for the laying out of Richdale Avenue, from School Street to Sycamore Street, presented a favorable report as recorded on page 69 of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.	Report ✓ Com. on Highways A. P. Griffin et al laying out of Richdale Avenue.
Accompanying the foregoing report, and as a part thereof, was an order of notice for a hearing on the laying out of Richdale Avenue, from School Street to Sycamore Street, as recorded on page 70 of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Adopted.	Order of Notice ✓ Laying out of Richdale Ave.
The Committee on Highways on the petition of Richard E. Nickerson and others, for the laying out of Runey Street, from Cross Street to Aldrich Street, presented a favorable report as recorded on page 77 of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by Common Council June 12th.	Report ✓ Com. on Highways R. E. Nickerson et al laying out of Runey Street.

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Order of Notice laying out of Kenney Street	Accompanying the foregoing report, and in support thereof, was an order of notice for a hearing on the laying out of Kenney Street, from Cross street to Aldrich Street, as recorded on page 78 of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Adopted and sent down for concurrence. Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.
Report Com. on Public Property, flag purchased for Police Building	The Committee on Public Property reported that, by authority of an order dated May 12th a flag has been purchased of Mess. Irving & Wheler & Co. for $14.00 for use at the Police Building, at the expense of Miscellaneous Account. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.
Report Com. on Public Property additional horse, buggy & harness City Messenger	The Committee on Public Property reported that, by authority of one order dated May 14th an additional horse, buggy and harness have been purchased for the use of the City Messenger and his old buggy repaired, at a cost of $592.50 to Miscellaneous Account. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.
Report Com. on Public Property contract made with George H. Starbird addition Highland School	The Committee on Public Property, reported that, by authority of an order dated May 28th a contract has been made with George H. Starbird for an addition to the Highland Schoolhouse in accordance with plans by S. D. Kelley for the sum of $13,436.00, to be charged to Highland Schoolhouse Addition Account. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.

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The Committee on Public Property reported that, by authority of an order dated May 14th, a parcel of land on the southwest side of Jaques Street, comprising lots 148 to 145, inclusive, and containing 28,800 square feet, more or less, has been purchased of Charles H. Sanborn for the sum of $7200.00

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th

Report Com. on Public Property purchase of land Jaques Street

The Committee on Public Property reported that, by authority of an order dated April 20th a parcel of land on the northwesterly corner of Washington and Boston Streets, containing 27,236 square feet more or less, has been purchased of Herbert T. Allen and Joanna R. Davis, for the sum of $14,979.80.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by Common Council June 12th.

Report Com. on Public Property purchase of land Washington & Boston Sts

The Committee on Public Property in pursuance of an order dated April 18th submitted plans made by Messrs. Loring and Phipps, Architects, for a twelve-room brick school-house to be erected on the land at the corner of Boston and Washington Streets, Ward Two recently purchased, and reported an order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.

Report Com. on Public Property plans for schoolhouse Washington & Boston Sts

The order offered with the foregoing report is as follows,-

Ordered,

That the plans presented to this board this evening, made by Messrs. Loring and Phipps Architects, for the erection of a twelve-room brick schoolhouse to be loca-

Order adopting plans 12-room schoolhouse Washington & Boston Sts

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ted on land recently purchased by the City, situated at the corner of Washington and Boston streets, be and the same are hereby adopted.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.

Approved by the Mayor June 19th.

Order
Com. on Public Property
solicit proposals
12 room schoolhouse
Washington & Boston Sts.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Property be and are hereby authorized and instructed to solicit proposals for the erection of a twelve-room brick schoolhouse to be located on the City's land at the corner of Washington and Boston streets in accordance with plans and specifications made by Mess. Soring and Phipps and to present said proposals, when received to the City Council.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.

Approved by the Mayor June 19th.

Order
Com. on Public Property
assume taxes of 1890
lands bought on
Jaques Street
and
Washington & Boston St.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Property, which was authorized by an order dated April 23rd to purchase of Herbert T. Allen and Joanna L. Davis, at a price not to exceed fifty-five cents per square foot, a certain piece of land on the northwesterly corner of Washington and Boston streets, and by an order dated May 14th authorizing the committee to purchase of Charles H. Dearborn at a price not to exceed twenty-five cents per square foot, lots numbered 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, and 148 on the southeasterly side of Jaques street, for schoolhouse purposes, be and they are hereby further authorized and empowered in addition to, and as a part of the consideration for said premises, to assume and pay the whole or such part of the taxes on said premises for

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the current year 1890, as they shall deem expedient.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence June 12th.

Approved by the Mayor June 19th.

Alderman Sanborn offered the following order.

Order Com. Fuel & Street Lights increase number of electric lights.

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Fuel and Street Lights be and are hereby authorized to increase the number of electric lights with the Somerville Electric Light Company on the same terms as provided in the present contract with said company, the sum so expended not to exceed two thousand dollars and to be charged to Street Lights Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence June 12th.

Approved by the Mayor June 19th.

Alderman Converse offered the following order.

Order Mayor cause salute to be fired June 17th during Veteran Firemen's Parade

Ordered,-

That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to cause a salute to be fired on Mt. Benedict on June 17th during the coming anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill, during the parade of the Veteran Firemen's Associations in Broadway, the expense incurred not to exceed fifty dollars and to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.

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✓ Order closing of Broadway & Police Escort Veteran Firemen's Parade	Alderman Edmands offered the following order Ordered,— That the Chief of Police and the Superintendent of Streets be and they are hereby authorized and instructed to cause Broadway, from the Boston Line to Walnut Street, to be closed to travel for vehicles, on the 17th inst, from 11 o'clock A.M. until after the passage of the Veteran Firemen's procession; and the Chief of Police under the Mayor's direction, is hereby authorized to make such arrangements with the officers of the Charlestown Volunteer Veteran Firemen's Association concerning a Police escort for said procession as the Mayor and the Chief may deem expedient and proper. Adopted and sent down for concurrence. Adopted in concurrence by Common Council June 12.
✓ Order flags raised + bellrung June 17th + 4th July	Alderman Souther offered the following order Ordered,— That his honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to cause the flags of the city to be displayed and the bells to be rung on the 17th of June and the 4th of July, — the expense incurred to be charged to Miscellaneous account. Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence. Read twice and adopted by the Common Council June 12th. Approved by the Mayor June 19th.
✓ Report Com on Finance Water Board additional appropriation	The Committee on Finance, on the request of the Water Board for an additional appropriation of Twenty-five thousand dollars, reported an order. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.

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The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows:-

Order borrow $17,000 Water Works Extension Funded Debt &c.

Ordered:-

That for the purpose of providing for the cost of a further extension of the Water Works of the city the sum of Seventeen thousand dollars be and is hereby appropriated, and the Committee on Finance are hereby authorized to borrow the said sum for a term not exceeding thirty years from the first day of October 1890, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized under the direction of said committee to issue a bond or bonds of the city for the same.

Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by the unanimous yea and nay votes of more than two-thirds of the whole number of members of the board sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council June 12th received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules its second reading and final passage by the unanimous yea and nay vote of more than two thirds of the whole number of members of the Common Council in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor June 19th.

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order

Order borrow $175,000 anticipation of taxes Current expenses

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 seventy five 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 moneys collected for said taxes, to be approved by the Mayor.

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Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by unanimous yea and nay votes. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council June 12th received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules its second reading and final passage by a unanimous yea and nay vote in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor June 12th.

√ Report Com. on Finance W. L. Kinsley Post G.A.R. appropriation for entertainment Mayor G.A.R. Post of Brooklyn

The Committee on Finance, on the invitation and request from Willard L. Kinsley Post No. 189 G.A.R. to cooperate in entertaining the Mayor and Post 534 of Brooklyn N.Y. during the national encampment in August, and for an appropriation of five hundred dollars therefor, reported an order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.

√ Order Special Committee expend $500 entertaining Mayor G.A.R. Post

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows:

Ordered,

That a special committee of five members, consisting of two Aldermen and three Councilmen, be appointed with authority to expend a sum not to exceed five hundred dollars as the city's part toward defraying the expenses in entertaining the Mayor of Brooklyn and G.A.R. Post #534, during the national encampment in August next, the sum so expended to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Read twice and adopted. Aldermen Hemenway and Carpenter appointed upon the committee on the part of this board. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council June 12th read twice and adopted in concurrence. Councilmen Dickerman and Willey appointed

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on the committee on the part of that branch. President Osgood added to the committee.

Approved by the Mayor June 19th.

The Committee on Finance, on the petition of the Somerville Improvement Society for an appropriation of five hundred dollars for the erection of Memorial Tablets to mark places of historic interest in this city, reported that the desired sum has been appropriated and the matter placed in charge of the Committee on Public Grounds.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.

✓ Report Com. on Finance Som. Improvement Society Appropriation Memorial tablets

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order.

Ordered:—

That the City Treasurer be and is hereby directed to transfer the sum of fifteen hundred dollars from the appropriation for Relief and Burial of Indigent Soldiers and Sailors to Public Grounds Account.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.

Approved by the Mayor June 19th.

✓ Order transfer from Relief + Burial of Indigent Soldiers + Sailors to Public Grounds Account

Alderman Hemenway offered an ordinance, providing that the Mayor, from and after the first Monday of January 1891 shall be two thousand dollars per annum, to be paid in equal monthly installments.

Read and referred to Committee on Ordinances.

Sent down for concurrence.

Read and referred to Committee on Ordinances by the Common Council in concurrence June 12th.

✓ Ordinance Mayor's Salary

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Report from Common Accounts approve bill $8.00 Memorial Day Expense

The Committee on Accounts, reported that by authority of an order dated April 28th the sum of three hundred dollars has been approved in pay-roll of Miscellaneous, favor Willard B. Kinsley Post G.A.R. to defray the expenses of the observance of Memorial Day.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 12th.

Adjourned.

Attest.

George F. Vincent
Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall, Somerville June 25th, 1890 8 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present

Records read and approved.

Alderman Kimball offered the following order

Ordered,

That a message be sent to the Common Council requesting a convention of the two branches of the City Council in the Common Council Chamber this evening, for the purpose of hearing all persons desiring to the laying out of Tremont Street, in pursuance of an order of notice for such hearing passed May 14th.

Adopted and Alderman Kimball appointed to convey the message to the Common Council.

In Common Council, June 25, 1890 - Request granted and Councilman Carnell appointed to convey the message to the Board of Aldermen.

Chas S. Robertson, Clerk

√ Order Convention for hearing laying out of Tremont Street

In Convention of the City Council

His Honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn, and Councilmen Hunnewell, Webber, Pulsifer, Barber, Buckerman, Jones, Wilcox, Carnell, Kelley, Higgins, Eldridge and Prichard present

√ Convention

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Hearing laying out of Tremont Street ✓

In pursuance of orders passed May 14th and this evening, a hearing was given on the laying out of Tremont Street, from the Cambridge line to Webster Avenue; all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 47 of volume 1, of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, the hearing was closed.

The purpose for which it was assembled having been accomplished, the Convention dissolved and the Mayor and Aldermen returned to their Chamber.

Board of Aldermen

In Board of Aldermen

His Honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen all present.

Hearing Sidewalks Norfolk Street ✓

In pursuance of an order passed May 14th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of gravel sidewalks, with edgestones, on both sides of Norfolk Street, from Webster Avenue to the Cambridge Line, all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 54 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks — Hearings and Construction — of the Mayor and Aldermen — of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, the hearing was closed.

Hearing Sidewalk Tufts Street ✓

In pursuance of an order passed May 14th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of a brick sidewalk, with edgestones, on the northeasterly side of Tufts Street, from Washington Street to Cross Street, all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the

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Officers Return, recorded on page 50 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen - of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

In pursuance of an order passed May 14th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the taking of land for the purposes of a Common Sewer for House drainage only, in Lowell Street, a private way, from Albion Street to Hudson Street, and in Hudson St., also a private way, from Cedar Street to Central Street, all parties interested having been duly notified as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 27 of volume 1, of the Records of Taking of Land for, and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Hearing ✓
Taking of land for Sewer
Lowell & Hudson St.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

In pursuance of an order passed May 28th a hearing was given all persons interested in the petition of the West End Street Railway Company, for a location for a location of a double track in Broadway, from the present tracks near Temple Street to Medford Street, with a curved connection with the tracks for which a location has been recently granted, due notice having been given of such hearing as appears by the City Clerk's return recorded on page 254 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Hearing
Location
West End Street Ry. Co.
Broadway.

A remonstrance was presented from Herman Barker and others, against the granting of a location for a street railway in Broadway between Main Street and Medford Street.

✓ Remonstrance
Herman Barker et al
against St. Railway
in Broadway, from
Main to Medford St.

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Alvin A. Piray Esq. appeared as attorney for the remonstrants and called Edward Foote, Fred H. Maynard, Henry F. Lynde, Herman Barker and Rev. Charles S. Noyes, all of whom objected to the laying of a street railway in that part of Broadway lying between Main and Medford streets, because it would be detrimental to the property there, as it is desirable that the roadway be kept clear for driving purposes, and that part of the street where the approach to the estates on the westerly side is raised above the remainder of the street is too narrow for a double track without cutting down a portion of this raised approach or terrace. A railway track in this street also seems unnecessary, as one is already laid in Main Street, which is nearly parallel with and but a few hundred feet north of Broadway, and a location has recently been granted for a track in Medford Street, another nearly parallel street, and but a few hundred feet to the south. If a circuit line is desired it can be secured by connecting tracks in Chester Street, between Main and Medford Sts.

Edmund Reardon Esq. appeared for the Railway Company and said if the location petitioned for be granted the company did not intend to lay the tracks at present, west of Main street, but it is very desirable that a location be granted at once to the top of the hill so that a suitable turnout may be laid there, as the one now used there is very inconvenient and is hard on the horses.

In answer to a question by Alderman Kimball, Mr. Perry said none of the remonstrants objected to the granting of a location from near Temple to a point about three hundred feet west of Sycamore Street.

John F. Wilson, a property owner on Broadway, Cedar Street and Wilson Avenue, appeared and favored the petition

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as he believed the laying of the tracks would enhance the value of property and be an accomodation to the occupants.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Jacob H. Skinner, having been duly appointed a Police Patrolman, and having served the probationary term of six months, - the Mayor made his appointment permanent, under the provisions of ordinance No 18 and the Civil Service Laws, and the said action of the Mayor was confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Appointment (permanent) Jacob H. Skinner Police Patrolman

Received a communication from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department recommending that Frederick H. Kirmiss be appointed a call-member of Hose Company No 6, to fill a vacancy; also that William J. Jones and George A. Page be appointed call members of Ladder Co No 1, to fill vacancies.

Appointments as recommended made by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Recommendation Chief Eng. Fire Dept. Appointments.

Received Chain Layers' Bonds, in due form, each in the sum of one thousand dollars, from

Richard Falvey, with Martin Gill as surety.
William A. Muzzey " Asa Burgin "
Maurice Terry " Patrick Terry "
Accepted.

Chain Layers' Bonds R. Falvey, Wm. A. Muzzey M. Terry

Received the Annual Jury Exemption Roll from the Staff of the First Brigade M. V. M.
Placed on file

Jury Exemption Roll

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√ Invitation Charlestown Vet. Firemen to review parade June 17th.	Received an invitation from the Charlestown Volunteer Veteran Firemen's Association, to the Mayor and Aldermen to review the Veteran Firemen's Parade on the 17th of June. Placed on file.
√ Petition Washburn & Arlington license tent show.	Received a petition from Washburn & Arlington for a license to give a Wild West Tent Show, on Washington and Clark Streets, Monday June 30th. recommended by the Chief of Police License granted.
√ Petition sundry persons license collect junk.	Received petitions for Licenses to collect junk, from John H. Concannon, South Street, John Galvin, Willow Place, Robert Hull, 22 Bolton Street, all recommended by the Chief of Police Licenses granted.
√ Petitions sundry persons cry goods in streets.	Received petitions for licenses to cry their goods in the streets from, Patrick Ahern, 66 South Street, Somerville (Fruit &c) do 66 " " (Junk) John H. Concannon, 69 " " (") do 69 " (Fruit &c) Thomas P. Sappen 26 " " (Junk) Thomas H. McAvoy Charlestown Street, East Cambridge Ephraim A. McFarland 54 Cambridge " " Francis P. Moran 57 Linwood " Somerville George H. Hicks, 44 " " " all recommended by the Chief of Police Licenses granted.
√ Petition Pio Sirico license to ring bell in streets.	Received a petition for a license to ring a bell in the streets to announce his calling of a Scissors Sharpener, from, Pio Sirico, 41 Fleet Street, Boston. License granted

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Received petitions for licenses to sell fireworks for the 4th of July, from

Mary Anderson,	34 Joy Street	
W. H. Guscott,	8/10 Washington Street	
Alexander B. Reid,	145 Pearl	
Charles U. Sharpe,	218 Holland	
Charles A. Small,	cor Broadway and Cedar Street	
Charles T. Smith,	271	

Licenses granted

✓ Petitions sundry petitions licenses sell fireworks

Received a petition from Thomas Woods, for a license to keep an Intelligence Office at No 418 Somerville Avenue

Referred to Committee on Licenses

✓ Petition Thomas Woods license Intelligence Office

Received a petition from William F. Blanchard for permission to erect and use a Stationary Steam Engine of four horse power, with a six horse power boiler, in a building to be used for wood working, at No 272 Beacon Street; Coal to be used for fuel.

Referred to Committee on Fire Department

✓ Petition Wm F. Blanchard permit for Stationary Engine 272 Beacon St.

Accompanying the foregoing petition was the foregoing order.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is hereby Ordered, that fourteen days notice be given by the petitioner to all parties interested, that this Board will on Wednesday the 23rd day of July 1890 at 8 o'clock P.M., at its room in the City Hall, take into consideration the expediency of granting the prayer of the above petition, at which time any parties, who object thereto, may appear and be heard. Said notice is to be given by publication of a copy of said petition and this order thereon in the Somerville Journal.

Adopted

✓ Order Hearing Stationary Engine Wm F. Blanchard 272 Beacon St.

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Application A. Taylor for G. W. Goodrich permit to build School & Montrose Sts	Received an application from Harvey Taylor, for a permit to build an apartment house on land of George W. Goodrich, at the corner of School and Montrose Streets. Referred to Committee on Building Permits.
Petition Cushing Otis et al Sewer Lincoln Ave	Received a petition from Cushing Otis and others, for a common sewer in Lincoln Avenue, from the manhole at the end of George Street to a point about one hundred feet from Lincoln Avenue, from the manhole at the end of George Street to a point about one hundred feet from Lincoln Street. Referred to Committee on Sewers.
Petition J. F. Wilson Catch-Basin Highland Ave & Sowell St	Received a petition from J. F. Wilson, for a catch-basin on the northwest corner of Highland Avenue and Sowell Street. Referred to Committee on Sewers.
Petition Charles Puffer permit for hitching post 17 Dartmouth St.	Received a petition from Charles Puffer, for a permit to set a hitching post at 17 Dartmouth Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition Geo. W. Waldron permit for hitching post 28 Dartmouth St.	Received a petition from George W. Waldron, for permission to set a hitching post at No. 28 Dartmouth Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition Som. Electric Light Co. sundry locations	Received a petition from the Somerville Electric Light Company, for location for poles and wires on Montrose Street, Madison Street, Richdale Avenue and Stickney Avenue. Referred to the Committee on Highways.
Petition Abby E. Taylor removal & trimming of trees Beach Street	Received a petition from Abby E. Taylor, for the removal of one tree and the trimming of another in front of her residence on Beach Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.

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Received a petition from Thomas H. Tuttle and others, for a brick sidewalk on the southeast side of Prescott Street.
Referred to Committee on Highways.

✓ Petition
Thomas H. Tuttle et al
Brick Sidewalk
east side Prescott St.

Received a petition from Luther Blake, that edgestones be set in front of his premises on the southwesterly side of Hillside Park, the cost of the edgestones to be paid by him.
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
Reference concurred in by the Common Council June 25th.

✓ Petition
Luther Blake
edgestones
Hillside Park

Received a petition from Robert Jones and others, for an incandescent light on Vernon Street at or near Bartlett street.
Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence.
Reference concurred in by the Common Council June 25th.

✓ Petition
Robert Jones et al
Incandescent Light
Vernon Street

Received a petition from John Weild and others, for an electric light on Mystic Avenue at the corner of Mystic street.
Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence.
Reference concurred in by the Common Council June 25th.

✓ Petition
John Weild et al
electric light
Mystic Ave at Mystic St

Received a petition from Mary E. Cooper and others, for Incandescent Lights in Jaques street, as follows; Corner of Wheatland street, corner of Grant street, opposite hydrant near #35 and opposite #50.
Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence.
Reference concurred in by the Common Council June 25th.

✓ Petition
Mary E. Cooper et al
Incandescent Lights
Jaques Street

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Notice Ellen Lawyer claim for damages injuries by falling from Somerville Ave.	Received notice from Ellen Lawyer, by her father Edward A. Lawyer, that, in the evening of May 17th last, she broke her right leg by her falling from a pile of lumber on the outer part of the sidewalk of Somerville Avenue in front of the vacant lot between the estate of James Gavin and the estate of the late Charles O'Neil, said pile being about fifteen feet long, four feet high and three feet wide, and the accident being attributed to the position of the lumber on the sidewalk and the want of a guard or warning thereat. Received by the City Clerk June 18th Referred to Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council June 25th
Notice Ellen E. McCarthy claim for damages injuries by fall Medford Street	Received a notice from Ellen Elizabeth McCarthy, by her attorney George W. Parks, that she claims damages from the city for an injury sustained by her on the 23rd of May last at about 8 o'clock and 40 minutes P.M. on the southwesterly side of Medford street nearly opposite the easterly side of Adams street by falling on account of a hole in the sidewalk and the unguarded descent into the adjoining land (now or late of Robinson) which descent is steep and rocky. Received by the Mayor June 1st Referred to the Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence Reference concurred in by the Common Council June 25th
Order granting Building Permits	Order granting Building Permits. Ordered:- That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave, if necessary, to encumber such portions of the streets and sidewalks as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the fol-

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lowing table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Add. or Alteration	Street
Henry J. Rice	Mrs E. L. Weston	wooden dwelling		Jaques
Charles S. Alley	Chas H. Wiggin	" "		Medford
Geo. D. S. Robinson	L. J. Rutherford	" "		Columbus Ave
Chas S. Roach	Chas S. Roach	" "		Harrison
Arthur W. Berry	Arthur W. Berry	" "		Albion
John L. Thompson	Mrs Bancroft	" "		School
John W. Prevost	A. A. Ball & J. W. Prevost	2 "		Montrose
Chas C. Emerson	M. N. Sinnell	1 "		Central
John H. Stevens	J. H. Stevens	" "		Chandler
Geo W. Trefren	Mrs A. H. Musgrave	" "		Pitman
Geo E. Ricker	James T. Welch	" "		Highland Ave
Oscar F. Green	Mary E. Holmes	" "	+ stable	Beacon
James M. Anderson	A. M. Davis	one tenement horse		Chauncey Ave
M. R. Swett	L. G. Nickerson		addition + alteration	Kinney
M. Brown	Philip Arberle	wagon shed		49 Mystic Ave
Wm H. Rollins	Thomas Conlan	" "	+ stable	4 Columbia St

Adopted.

An order for the laying out of Tremont Street from the Cambridge Line to Webster Avenue, as recorded on pages 48 to 52 inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was

Order laying out of Tremont Street.

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council June 25th.

Approved by the Mayor June 28th.

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Order taking land for sewer Lowell + Hudson sts	An order for the taking of land for the purpose of a common sewer in Lowell Street, a private way, from Albion Street to Hudson Street, and in Hudson Street, also a private way, from Cedar Street to Central Street, as recorded on pages 28 to 32 inclusive, of Volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for, and Orders to construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was Adopted
Petition James Lynch permit move building Washington + Linwood sts	Received a petition from James Lynch, for permission to move a wooden building 35 feet long, 20 feet wide and 24 feet high, from land of Tufts on the Southwesterly corner of Washington and Rossmore streets, through Rossmore, Washington, and Linwood streets to land of said Lynch on the South side of Linwood Street near Washington Street. Certified by Alderman Hemenway that in his opinion the proposed moving can be done without injury to public or private property. Read for information
Order permit move building James Lynch Washington + Linwood sts	Alderman Hemenway offered an order granting to James Lynch, a permit to move a wooden building from the southwesterly corner of Washington and Rossmore Streets, through Rossmore, Washington and Linwood streets to land of said Lynch on the northerly side of Linwood Street near Washington Street, as recorded on page 309 of Volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways, and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Adopted
Report Com. on License Hugh Gallagher transfer of license Pool + Billiards	The Committee on License on the petition of Hugh Gallagher, for the transfering of his license to keep a pool and billiard room from 5 A Somerville Avenue to 341 Somerville Avenue, reported recommending that the petition be granted. Accepted

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The Committee on Licenses, on the petition of Furbush & Co, for permission to carry on the business of rendering grease and manufacturing lard and soap on the marsh land bordering on Mystic River, north of Mystic Avenue and east of Middlesex Avenue, reported recommending leave to withdraw.

Accepted.

✓ Report Com. on Licenses Furbush & Co. License for rendering soap work Mystic Avenue

Alderman Edmands offered the following resolution:

Resolved:-

That in the judgment of this board the granting of any license to permit rendering would be prejudicial to the best interests of the City.

Rejected.

✓ Resolution granting permit to render would be prejudicial to best interests of City.

Alderman Hemenway offered an order for the construction of a common sewer, for house drainage only, in Sowell street, from the sewer in Albion street to Hudson street, and in said Hudson street, from near Cedar street to Central street, as recorded on page 491 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Sand for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor June 28th.

✓ Order construction of sewer Sowell & Hudson Sts

Alderman Kimball offered an order granting locations for tracks, to the West End Street Railway Company, in Broadway, from near Temple street to a point about three hundred feet northwest of Sycamore street as recorded on page 205 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

✓ Order location for tracks West End St. Ry. Co. Broadway

Acceptance & Agreements filed July 16-1896.

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Report Board on Highways completion of sidewalks Irving Street School Street	The Committee on Highways reported that, in pursuance of orders dated respectively March 24th and April 7th, side walks have been constructed as follows,— on northwest side of Irving street, from Holland Street to Broadway, gravel with edgestones &c on both sides of School Street from Summer Street to Highland Avenue, gravel with edgestones, and submitted lists of assessments. Accepted
Assessments Sidewalk Irving Street	The Assessment List with Warrant and Order for its collection, for a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the westerly side of Irving street, as recorded on pages 77 to 80 inclusive, of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalk Assessments, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was Adopted
Assessments Sidewalk School Street	The assessment list, with Warrant and Order for its collection, for gravel sidewalks, with edgestones on both sides of School Street, from Summer Street to Highland Avenue, as recorded on pages 81 to 84 inclusive, of volume 1 of the Records of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was Adopted
Order construct sidewalk Norfolk Street	Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of gravel sidewalks, with edgestones, on both sides of Norfolk street, from Webster Avenue to the Cambridge line, to be of the width of six and ½ feet, as recorded on page 55 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville Read twice and adopted. Approved by the Mayor June 28th

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Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of a brick sidewalk, with edgestones, on the northeasterly side of Tufts Street, from Washington street to Cross St., to be of the width of six and 1/2 feet, as recorded on page 57 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor June 28th.

✓ Order construct sidewalk Tufts Street

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of John Neyland, for permission to blast rock in excavating for a street across land of the Heirs of Nathan Tufts, from Willow Avenue to Elm Street, reported an order.

Accepted.

✓ Report Com on Highways John Neyland permit blast rocks Willow Ave & Elm St.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows:-

Ordered,-

That a permit be issued to John Neyland to blast rocks in excavating for a street across land of the Heirs of Nathan Tufts, from Willow Avenue to Elm Street, in accordance with ordinance No 39, when he shall have furnished a bond in the sum of two thousand dollars, satisfactory to this board, holding the City harmless from any accident which might occur by said blasting.

Accepted.

✓ Order permit blast rock John Neyland Willow & Elm Street

(see book 22, page 11)

The Committee on Highways on petitions for permits to blast rocks, from Dennis Lyon in excavating for three cellars on land of John Miller on William Street, and A. E. Winning, in setting electric light poles on Holland Street, reported an order.

Accepted.

✓ Report Com on Highways D. Lyon & A. E. Winning permits blast rocks

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√ Order permits blast rock C. Lyan & A. C. Winning Williams St. & Holland St.	The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows. Ordered. That a permit be issued to Dennis Lyan to blast rock in excavating for three cellars on land of Joseph Miller on William Street, and to A. C. Winning to blast rock for the purpose of setting electric light poles on Holland street, in accordance with ordinance No. 39. Adopted.
√ Report Com. on Highways J. H. Stevens & others laying out of Chandler Street	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of J. H. Stevens and others, for the laying out of Chandler street, from Park Avenue to Broadway, submitted a favorable report which is recorded on page 85 of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Alderman of the City of Somerville. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 25th.
√ Order of Notice laying out of Chandler Street	Accompanying the foregoing report, as a part thereof, was an order of notice for a hearing on the laying out of Chandler street, from Park Avenue to Broadway, as recorded on page 86 of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of streets of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Adopted and sent down for concurrence. Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council June 25th.
√ Report Com. on Highways George H. Streeter et al change name of South Church to Church St.	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of George H. Streeter and others, that the name of South Church Street be changed to Church street, and that Church Street be re-numbered from Summer Street to Lake Street, reported recommending leave to withdraw. Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

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The Committee on Highways, on the petition of John Manning and others, for an abatement of a nuisance consisting of horses and cows running at large on the streets, reported recommending that the Chief of Police be instructed to enforce ordinance No. 15, section 18.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 25th

✓ Report Com on Highways John Manning etal abatement of nuisance horses and cows in sts

The Committee on Highways, on an order dated April 28th authorizing said committee to sell sods from the Waltham Gravel Land at a price not less than 2½ cts per square foot, reported that in the judgement of the Committee it is inexpedient to sell the sods and recommended that no action be taken under said order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 25th.

✓ Report Com on Highways selling of sods Waltham Gravel Land

The Committee on Highways, on the request of the City of Cambridge for permission to lower the bottom of the culvert at the Broadway bridge over Alewife Brook, said City agreeing to do all the work required at its own expense and to leave the bridge in as good condition as it now is, reported recommending that the petition be granted.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 25th.

✓ Report Com on Highways City of Cambridge permit lower culvert Broadway at Alewife Brook

Alderman Kimball offered the following order

Ordered:-

That the City of Cambridge be and is hereby granted permission, on the part of this City, to lower the bottom of the culvert at the Broadway bridge over Alewife

✓ Order permit City of Cambridge lower culvert at Broadway at Alewife Brook

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Brook, on conditions that said City of Cambridge perform all the work required at its own expense and shall assume all damage that may occur and leave the bridge in as good condition as at present, the work to be done satisfactorily to the Committee on Highways and the City Engineer.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council June 25

Approved by the Mayor June 28th

Order naming open space opp. Winter Hill Station Gilman Square

Alderman Souther offered the following order

Ordered:-

That the open space or square at the junction of Pearl, Marshall and Medford streets, opposite the Winter Hill Station of the Boston and Lowell Railroad be and it is hereby named Gilman Square.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council June 25th

Approved by the Mayor June 28th

Order Com. on Public Property solicit proposals heating + ventilating Highland School

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Property be and are hereby authorized to solicit proposals for the placing of heating and ventilating appliances in the Highland Schoolhouse, and to submit said proposals when received, to the City Council.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council June 25th.

Approved by the Mayor June 28th

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Alderman Kickerson offered the following order

Order
Com. on Public Property
place
heating sanitary and ventilating appliances in Forster School.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Property be and are hereby authorized to expend a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars for the placing of heating, sanitary and ventilating appliances in the Forster School building, the sum so expended to be charged to Schoolhouse Incidentals account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council, June 25th.

Approved by the Mayor June 28th.

The Committee on Public Grounds on the petition of S. Thomas Kirk, Captain of Company M. 8th Regt. M. V. M. that grounds be provided on Central Hill or elsewhere for skirmish and other drill purposes, reported recommending leave to withdraw.

Report
Com. on Public Grounds
Capt. S. Thomas Kirk
grounds for drill

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council June 25th.

Alderman Souther offered the following order

Order
Com. on Water
purchase cart.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Water be and are hereby authorized to purchase one or two water carts at a cost not to exceed nine hundred dollars, the sum so expended to be charged to the appropriation for Watering Streets.

Received its first reading. Amended by striking out the words "or two," by substituting the word cart for the word "carts" and by substituting the words "four hundred and fifty" for the words "nine hundred". As amended received its second reading and final passage. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted as amended, in concurrence, by the Common Council June 25th.

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Approved by the Mayor June 28th

√ Order
Com. on Water
confer with Com. on
Fire Dept. water sts.
near Fire Dept. Stations
with Fire Dept. horses

Received from the Common Council the following order. In Common Council June 20th.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Watering streets be requested to confer with the Com. on Fire Department as to the advisability of using the horses of the latter department for the purpose of watering sections of streets in the immediate vicinity of the several stations where the horses are located.

endorsed, In Common Council June 25th. Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

In Board of Aldermen June 25th. Adopted in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor June 28th.

√ Order
Special Committee
visit Bridgeport
inspect Wheeler System
Heating & Ventilating

Received from the Common Council, the following order.

In Common Council, June 25, 1890.

Ordered:-

That a Committee consisting of one Alderman and two councilmen visit the City of Bridgeport, Conn, for the purpose of inspecting the so called Wheeler system of heating and ventilating; also that said committee invite the Superintendent of Buildings, Superintendent of Schools and the Architect of the new ward 2 school house to accompany them, the expense so incurred to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

endorsed, In Common Council June 25th. Order received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules its second reading and final passage. Councilmen Hunnewell and Eldridge appointed on the part of this branch. Sent up for concurrence. In Board of Aldermen June 25th. Read once, second reading referred.

Adjourned.

Attest George F. Vincent Clerk

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Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville, July 9, 1890 - 8 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Records approved.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Order convention for hearing laying out of Carlton Street Madison

Ordered:-

That a message be sent to the Common Council, requesting a convention of the two branches of the City Council in the common council chamber this evening, for the purpose of hearing all persons desiring to object to the laying out of Carlton Street and all persons desiring to object to the laying out of Madison street, in pursuance of orders for such hearings passed May 28th and 29th.

Adopted and Alderman Nickerson appointed to convey the message to the Common Council.

In Common Council, July 9, 1890, Request granted and Councilman Wentworth appointed to convey the message to the Board of Aldermen.

In Convention of the City Council

Convention

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson, Sanborn, President Osgood and Councilmen Kunnewell, Webber, Barber, Dickerman, Janes, Caswell, Willey, Higgins, Wentworth, McLean, and Eldridge present.

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✓ Hearing laying out of Carlton Street

In pursuance of orders passed May 28th and 29th under this evening a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the laying out of Carlton Street, from Somerville Avenue to Lake Street, - all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return, recorded on page 55 of volume 1 of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

✓ Hearing laying out of Madison Street

In pursuance of orders passed May 28th and 29th under this evening a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the laying out of Madison Street, from School Street to Lyeemore Street, all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 63 of volume 1 of the Recorder of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Convention dissolved.

The purposes for which it was assembled having been accomplished the convention was dissolved and the Mayor and Aldermen returned to their chamber.

Board of Aldermen

In Board of Aldermen

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Hearing brick sidewalk Linwood Street east side

In pursuance of an order passed May 28th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of brick sidewalks; the edgestones being already set - on the easterly side of Linwood Street, from Washington Street to the Fitchburg Railroad; all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 58 of volume 1 of the

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Mrs. Liston, Mr. Wm. J. McEleny and Mrs. Margaret E. Howen, formerly Margaret E. O'Brien appeared and objected because of the expense and because the present gravel sidewalk is good enough.

Michael O'Connell appeared and favored the measure.

John Higgins appeared and said he headed the petition for brick sidewalks on both sides; that if but one side is to be bricked it should be the west side as that is the most traveled.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

In pursuance of an order passed May 28th a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of gravel sidewalks, with edgestones, on both sides of Mills street from Walnut street to Sargent Avenue; all parties interested having been duly notified; as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 62 of Volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Hearing gravel sidewalks Mills Street

In pursuance of an order passed May 28th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of gravel sidewalks, with edgestones, on both sides of Sargent Avenue, from Broadway to Mills street; all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 66 of Volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen - of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Hearing gravel sidewalks Sargent Ave

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Hearing taking land for sewer Thurston Street.	In pursuance of an order passed May 28th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the taking of land for the purpose of a common sewer in Thurston Street, from Broadway to Heath street, all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 35 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.
Hearing N. E. Tel & Tel. Co: locations Medford Street Broadway	In pursuance of an order passed June 11th a hearing was given all parties interested in the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, for location for holes and wires in Medford street, from Adams street to Broadway, and in Broadway from Medford street to Holland Street;- said order being endorsed by the City Clerk, as follows:- Somerville June 20, 1890. I have complied with the within order by publishing an attested copy thereof in the Somerville Journal of the 14th inst. and by delivering, by hand of the City Messenger, this day, a like copy to George E. Hanson, the Agent, in this city, of the within-named company. No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.
Report Chief of Police month of June.	Received the report of the Chief of Police for the month of June. Read and sent down for information Read for information in Common Council, July 9th
Report Chief Eng. Fire Dept. month of June	Received the report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department for the month of June. Read and sent down for information. Read for information in Common Council July 9th

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Received a request from the School Committee that Mr. H. S. Morse be granted the use of the basement room in the Bell schoolhouse for classes in sloyd or wood turning, during the summer vacation; also a similar request from Mr. Herbert S. Morse himself.

Granted and sent down for concurrence.

Granted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.

Requests ✓
School Committee &
Herbert S. Morse
use of basement Bell Sch
for a Sloyd School

Received a copy of the record of the appointment, by the Mayor and Aldermen of Waltham of Charles Adolphus Smith, an employee of the Fitchburg Railroad Company, as a Police Officer, with the powers set forth in sections 14 to 20 of Chap. 103 P.S.

Placed on file.

Copy of Appointment ✓
by Mayor & Aldermen Waltham
Chas. A. Smith
Police F.R.R.

Received the Jury Exemption Roll of the Signal Corps of the 2nd Brigade M.V.M.

Placed on file.

Jury Exemption Roll ✓

Received drain layer's bonds, in due form each in the sum of one thousand dollars, from

Charles A. Morgan, with Charles S. Butters as surety,

Michael G. Flynn, with Thomas Harrison of Melrose and Thomas Cunningham of Somerville as sureties.

Accepted.

Drain Layer's Bonds ✓
Chas. A. Morgan
Michael G. Flynn

Received petitions for Auctioneer's licenses from

Oliver H. Perry &

Luther L. Pillsbury

Licenses granted.

Petitions ✓
Oliver H. Perry
Luther L. Pillsbury
Auctioneer's licenses

Received a petition for a Common Victualler's license from

Mrs. L. A. Brackett, at No. 1 Medina Building, Davis Square,

Referred to Committee on Licenses

Petition ✓
Mrs. L. A. Brackett
Common Victualler's
license

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✓ Petition F. F. Philips & others muzzling of dogs	Received a petition from F. F. Philips and others, that all dogs within the City limits be muzzled during the hot weather. Referred to Committee on Police.
✓ Petition A. H. Bryne permit blast rock Mona Street	Received a petition from A. H. Bryne, for a permit to blast rock for the purpose of excavating for a cellar on land of Charles Harris on Mona Street, and for a drain from said estate to the sewer in said Mona Street. Permit granted.
✓ Petition Wilmer Henthorn removal of trees Orchard Street	Received a petition from Wilmer Henthorn, for the removal of two trees in a row of five standing in front of his estate on Orchard Street, as the trees are now too near together. Lead for information.
✓ Petition Jerome S. Daniels permit set hitching post 119 Perkins Street	Received a petition from Jerome S. Daniels, for permission to set a hitching post in the sidewalk in front of his office No 119 Perkins Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
✓ Petition N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. locations Beacon Street	Received a petition from the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, for locations, for poles and wires in Beacon Street, between Oxford Street and the Cambridge Line. Referred to Committee on Highways.
✓ Petition John Olson edgestones eastside Dickinson St	Received a petition from John Olson, for edgestones on the easterly side of Dickinson Street, from Beacon Street to Sheringfield Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
✓ Petition Edward B. Morgan et al. laying out of Gibbens Street	Received a petition from Edward B. Morgan and others, for the laying out of Gibbens Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council July 9th.

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Received a petition from Herbert T. Allen and Jeremiah K. Davis, for an extension of the time for removing their buildings from the land recently sold by them to the city at the corner of Boston and Washington streets, to July 22d.

Granted and sent down for concurrence.

Granted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.

Petition H. T. Allen & J. K. Davis extension of time for removal of buildings City's land Boston St.

Received a summons to appear in the Superior Court at Cambridge on the first Monday of August next to answer to Maggie B. Norwood, a minor, who brings suit by John H. Grogan, her next friend, in action of tort, to the damage of said plaintiff, as she says, in the sum of twenty thousand dollars.

Placed in hands of the City Solicitor. Sent down for concurrence.

Placed in hands of the City Solicitor, in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.

Notice of Suit. Maggie B. Norwood action of tort.

Received a petition from Herbert T. Allen and Jeremiah K. Davis, for permission to move a wooden building on two sections, measuring 40 and 30 feet in length, 22½ and 20 feet in width, and 20 feet in height, from the city's land on the northerly corner of Washington and Boston streets to land of the petitioners on the west side of Boston street near Peabody Hill Avenue; endorsed by Alderman Converse that, in his opinion, the proposed removal can be made without injury to public or private property.

Read for information.

Petition H. T. Allen & J. K. Davis permit move building Boston Street.

Received a petition from Herbert T. Allen and Jeremiah K. Davis, for permission to move a wooden building 50 feet in length, 25 feet in length, and 25 feet in width, from the City's land on the northerly corner of Boston and Washington streets across Washington street, to vacant lands and Somerville Avenue, to land of John T. Malley on the south side of

Petition H. T. Allen & J. K. Davis permit move building Washington St. & Some. Ave.

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Somerville Avenue and on Malloy Court; endorsed by Alderman Carpenter that, in his opinion, the proposed removal can be made without injury to public or private property.

Lead for information.

Order permit move building H. T. Allen & J. L. Davis Boston Street

Alderman Carpenter offered an order granting a permit to Herbert T. Allen and Joanna L. Davis to move a wooden building from the City's land at the corner of Boston and Washington streets through Boston street to their land on the west side of Boston street, near Prospect Hill Avenue, as recorded on page 410 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Order permit move building H. T. Allen & J. L. Davis Washington St. & Som. Ave.

Alderman Carpenter offered an order granting a permit to Herbert T. Allen and Joanna L. Davis, to move a wooden building from the City's land, corner of Boston and Washington streets, across Washington street, private lands and Somerville Avenue to land of John T. Malloy on the south side of Somerville Avenue and on Malloy Court; as recorded on page 411 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Order granting Building Permits

Order granting Building Permits

Ordered:-

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave, if necessary, to encumber such portions of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that with

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Five days after the passage of this order said Permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of Applicant	Owner & Land	New Erection	Add on Alteration	Street
Chas. E. Harris	C. E. Harris	wooden dwelling		Dana
Briggs Brothers	John Atkinson	"		Masonic Ave.
John W. Provost	James Holger	"		St James
" "	A. A. Ball & J. W. Provost	"		Montrose
Peter S. Sarous	L. C. McNabb	"		Richardson
Robt. H. Collupy	C. S. Higgins	"		Hudson
Waugh & Waugh	Waugh & Waugh	"		Belmont Pl.
Gould & Murray	A. Sproul	"		Medford
Jason E. Herrick	J. E. Herrick	2 "		Chandler
Geo. T. Willoughby	Frank Downer	2 "		Adams
" "	Frank Wilkins		S.	Albion
" "	J. C. French		S.	Central
A. Headley	A. Headley	block of two houses		Alston
J. K. Licker	G. Gethner	"		Orchard
Dunlop & Phinney	Wm. H. Jones	double tenement house		Dover
John Elston	John Elston	4 dwelling houses		Dickenson
H. C. Holt	H. C. Holt	double house		Wyatt

Adopted.

An order for the laying out of Carlton Street, from Somerville Avenue to Lake Street, as recorded on pages 56 to 60, inclusive, of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was

Order V
Laying out of Carlton Street

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council July 7th.

Approved by the Mayor July 12th.

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✓ Order laying out of Madison Street.

An order for the laying out of Madison Street, from School Street to Sycamore Street, as recorded on pages 54 to 58, inclusive of Volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville, was

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.

Approved by the Mayor July 12th.

✓ Order taking of land Sewer Thurston Street.

An order for the taking of land for the purposes of a common sewer in Thurston Street, from Broadway to Hedge Street, as recorded on pages 36 to 40 inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to construct Sewers of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.

Approved by the Mayor July 12th.

✓ Order taking of land Sewer Lowell & Hudson Sts.

On motion of Alderman Edmands it was voted that the action of June 25th adopting an order for the taking of land for a sewer in Lowell and Hudson streets, be re-considered.

On motion of Alderman Edmands it was voted that the order be laid on the table.

✓ Order construction of sewer Lowell & Hudson Sts.

On motion of Alderman Edmands it was voted that the action of June 25th adopting an order for the construction of a sewer in Lowell and Hudson streets be reconsidered.

On motion of Alderman Edmands it was voted that the order be laid on the table.

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On motion of Alderman Nickerson it was voted that the action of June 25th, adopting an order for the issuing of a permit to John Neyland, to blast rock in excavating for a street across land of the Heirs of Nathan Tufts from Willow Avenue to Elm Street, in accordance with ordinance No 39, when he shall have furnished a bond in the sum of two thousand dollars satisfactory to this board, holding the City harmless from any accident which might occur by said blasting, - be reconsidered.

On motion of Aldermen Nickerson it was voted to amend the order by striking out out all after the words ordinance No 39.

As thus amended the order was adopted.

Order ✓ permit blast rock John Neyland Willow Ave & Elm St

Alderman Hemenway offered an order for the construction of a common sewer in Thurston street, from the sewer in Broadway, to a point near Heath street, as recorded on page 473 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor June 12th

Order ✓ construct sewer Thurston street

The Committee on Licenses on petition of Thomas Woods for an Intelligence Office license, reported an order.

Accepted.

Report ✓ Com on Licenses Thos. Woods Intelligence Office

The order presented with the foregoing report is as follows;-

Ordered

That the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to issue a license to Thomas Woods to keep an Intelligence Office at No 418 Somerville Avenue, when he shall have received from the petitioner for the use of the City the sum of two dollars, said license to expire

Order ✓ granting license Thomas Woods Intelligence Office

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May 1st 1891, unless sooner revoked
Adopted.

✓ Order revoking license Fletcher & Doyle sell newspapers

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order
Ordered.-
That the license to sell newspapers granted to Fletcher & Doyle January 11th 1890, be and it is hereby revoked, he having returned his badge to the Chief of Police.
Adopted

Report Com on Licenses Edward O'Brien et al sixth class liquor license to Marvin Pollard

The Committee on Licenses on petition of Edward O'Brien and others, that Marvin W. Pollard's petition for a sixth class liquor license at Magoun Square be granted, recommended leave to withdraw.
Accepted.

✓ Report Com on Licenses sundry persons 6th class liquor

The Committee on Licenses on petition of Augustine Cunningham, S. F. Phipps, Marvin W. Pollard and William A. Stone, for sixth class liquor licenses, recommended leave to withdraw.
Accepted.

✓ Order permit blast rock Andrew W. Bryne Mona Street

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.
Ordered.-
That the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to issue a license to A. W. Bryne to blast rock in excavating for a cellar on land of Charles Harris on Mona street, and in excavating for a drain from said cellar to the sewer in said Mona Street.
Adopted.

✓ Order Com on Highways remove trees Orchard Street

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order
Ordered.
That the Committee on Highways be and are hereby authorized and instructed to remove two trees in a row of five in front of the estate of Gilmore Smithers, on Orchard

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street, as said trees are too near together.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor July 12th.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Patrick J. Shannon, for permission to cut down two elm trees in a row of eight in front of his property on Linden Avenue, as the trees are too near together, reported an order.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways. Patrick J. Shannon permit remove trees Linden Ave.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order:

Ordered:-

That permission be granted to Patrick J. Shannon to remove three trees in a row of eight in front of his estate Linden Avenue, under the supervision of the Superintendent of Streets.

Read twice and adopted.

Order permit remove trees Patrick J. Shannon Linden Avenue

The Committee on Highways, on petitions for leave to set hitching-posts, from Charles Puffer, at No. 14 Eastmouth Street, and from George H. Waldron, at No. 28 Eastmouth Street, recommended that the petitions be granted.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways C. Puffer & G. H. Waldron permit hitching posts Eastmouth Street

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The Committee on Highways, on petition of the Somerville Electric Light Company, for permission to set poles for wires in Montrose and Madison Streets and Richdale and Stickney Avenues, reported an order.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways Som. Electric Light Co. sundry locations

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The order submitted with the foregoing order, granting locations to the Somerville Electric Light Company, on Montrose and Madison Streets and Richdale and Stickney Avenues, is recorded on page 4 of volume 1 of the Records.

Order granting locations Som. Elec. Light Co.

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Agreement received Aug. 29-1890.

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Adopted.

✓ Order granting locations N.E.T. & Tel Co. Medford St. & Broadway

Alderman Nickerson offered an order for the granting of locations to The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts, in Medford street, from Adams street to Broadway, and in Broadway, from Medford street to Holland street, as recorded on page 6 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Reconsidered July 23, page 31. Amended Aug. 13, page 59. Modified Sept. 10. page 101.

Adopted.

✓ Order construct sidewalk Linwood Street

Alderman Nickerson offered an order for the construction of a brick sidewalk on the easterly side of Linwood street, from Washington street to the Fitchburg Railroad, to be of the width of eight and 1/2 feet, - as recorded on page 59 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor July 12th.

✓ Order construct sidewalk Mills Street

Alderman Nickerson offered an order for the construction of gravel sidewalks, with edgestones, on both sides of Mills street, from Walnut Street to Sargent Avenue, to be of the width of six and 1/2 feet, as recorded on page 63 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor of Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor July 12th.

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Alderman Nickerson offered an order for the construction of gravel sidewalks, with edgestones on both sides of Sargent Avenue, from Broadway to Mills street, to be of the width of six and ½ feet, - as recorded on page 67 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen - of the City of Somerville.

Order construct sidewalk Sargent Ave.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor July 12th.

The Committee on Highways on the petition of Louis P. Hollander, Esq. for a brick sidewalk in front of the westerly half of his estate on Boston street, reported that a sidewalk has been laid, as prayed for, and a bill of $19.57 for the bricks used has been sent to the Treasurer for collection.

Report Com. on Highways L. P. Hollander Esq. brick sidewalk Boston Street.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Matilda L. Wright, Charles F. Hastings and George H. Hills, for brick sidewalks on the northerly side of Summit avenue, from the estate of C. Dexter Cooke to Walnut street, and on Walnut street westerly to the estate of T. Clarence Hollander, reported, that the sidewalks have been laid as prayed for, and bills for the bricks used have been sent to the Treasurer for collection as follows: to Matilda L. Wright $26.22, C. F. Hastings $18.90 and George H. Hills $73.36.

Report Com. on Highways M. L. Wright et als brick sidewalks Summit Ave. & Walnut St.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by Common Council July 9th.

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✓ Report Com. on Highways Wm. H. Berry edgestones Beacon & Harris Sts.	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Wm. H. Berry, that edgestones to be furnished by him be laid on Beacon and Harris streets in front of his estate, reported that edgestones have been set as prayed for, the city having furnished twenty-seven feet at a cost of $11.88, a bill for which has been sent to the Treasurer for collection. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.
✓ Report Com. on Highways Chas. H. Lamsdell edgestones Pearl & Dana Sts.	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Charles H. Lamsdell for edgestones in front of his estate corner of Pearl and Dana streets, reported that the edgestones have been set as prayed for, and a bill of $49.00 for the edgestones used has been sent to the Treasurer for collection. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by Common Council July 9th.
✓ Report Com. on Highways Alvah M. Thompson driveway 19 Cedar Street.	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Alvah M. Thompson, for a driveway in front of his estate No. 19 Cedar street, reported that a driveway has been constructed as prayed for, at a cost of $14.47, and a bill therefor sent to the Treasurer for collection. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.
✓ Report Com. on Highways H. W. Pitman & others crossing Columbus Ave.	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Henry W. Pitman and others, for a crossing on the southerly side of Columbus Avenue, at the junction of Warren Avenue, reported that a crossing has been constructed as prayed for. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.

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President Hemenway presiding.

The Committee on Fire Department, on the petition of Guy H. Farbush, for permission to erect and use a stationary engine of four horse power in a building at No 9 Autumn Street, reported recommending leave to withdraw.

Accepted.

Report V
Com on Fire Department
Guy H. Farbush
Stationary Engine
9 Autumn Street.

Alderman Converse offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Fire Department be, and is hereby authorized, to exchange a horse now in the service of the department for a new horse, the expense incurred in making said charged to Fire Department Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council July 9- Received its first reading. Amended by inserting the words "being the horse now used by the Chief of Fire Department" between the words "department" and "for" in the third line of the order. As amended received its second reading and adoption. Sent up for concurrence. (See record of sept meeting.)

Order V
Com on Fire Department
exchange a horse

Alderman Converse offered the following order

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Fire Department be and are hereby authorized to purchase a hose-wagon for Hose Three, at a cost not to exceed five hundred dollars, the expense incurred to be charged to Fire Department Account

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.

Approved by the Mayor July 12th

Order V
Com on Fire Department
purchase hose wagon
Hose 3.

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✓ Report Common Public Property plans schoolhouse Ward 3

The Committee on Public Property, in pursuance of an order dated April 28th presented plans for an eight room brick schoolhouse in Ward Three, made by B. K. & H. E. Blackie, Loring & Phipps and S. Edwin Tobey, respectively, and recommended the acceptance of one of the three plans.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th

✓ Order accepting plans Loring & Phipps 8 room schoolhouse Ward 3.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order:

Ordered:-

That the plans presented to this board this evening made by Loring and Phipps Architects for the erection of an eight room brick schoolhouse in Ward Three on land recently purchased by the City on Jaques Street, be and the same are hereby accepted.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th

Approved by the Mayor July 12th

✓ Order Com. on Public Property solicit proposals 8 room schoolhouse Jaques Street Ward 3.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Property be and are hereby authorized and instructed to solicit proposals for the erection of an eight-room brick schoolhouse to be located on the City's land on Jaques Street, in accordance with plans and specifications made by Messrs Loring & Phipps, and to submit said proposals, when received to the City Council.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th

Approved by the Mayor July 12th

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The Committee on Fuel and Street Lights, in pursuance of an order dated May 28th, submitted proposals to furnish fuel for ninety days from July 1st as follows;

Report Com on Fuel & St Lights proposals fuel.

Name of Bidders	Furnace Coal	Egg Coal	Stove Coal	Soft Wood per cord	Hard Wood per cord
A. F. Hyde	$ (20 ¢ per ton Eastern Wood of Cedar St) 4.83 (Cedar St)	$ 4.83 (Cedar St)	$ 4.93 (Cedar St)	$ —	$ —
Horatio Wellington & Co.	4.97	5.07	5.17	6.25	7.75
L. F. Wild & Co.	4.97	5.07	5.17	6.25	7.75

and submitted an order

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.

Alderman Sanborn offered the following order

Order Com. on Fuel & St. Lights make contracts for fuel

Ordered;-

That the Committee on Fuel and Street Lights be and are hereby authorized to make a contract with Mess. Horatio Wellington and Company and L. F. Wild and Company for all fuel to be delivered during the next ninety days, at such school houses and public buildings of the City as may be designated by said Committee.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council July 9 - Received its first reading. Amended by inserting the words "at prices not exceeding those named in their proposals" as amended received its second reading and adoption. Sent up for concurrence. (see record of next meeting.

The Committee on Printing reported that in pursuance of an order dated February 12th, the Annual Reports for the year 1889 have been printed under contract by Mess. J. O. Hayden & Co. at a cost $ 805.48

Report Com. on Printing Annual Reports

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by Common Council July 9th.

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✓ Report Com. on Printing Ordinances printed in Annual Reports

The Committee on Printing reported that, in pursuance of an order dated February 12th all ordinances passed since the publication of the Annual Reports for 1888 have been printed in the Annual Reports for 1889.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.

✓ Report Common Printing report High Water Service in Annual Reports

The Committee on Printing reported, that in pursuance of an order dated Feby 12th, the report of the Joint Special Committee on High Water Service has been printed in the Annual Reports for the year 1889 as an appendix to the report of the City Engineer.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.

✓ Order naming schoolhouse to be built on Jaques St. Ward 3. Jacob T. Glines School

Alderman Southers offered the following order

Ordered -

That the proposed new schoolhouse in Ward Three, to be erected upon the lot recently purchased by the City on Jaques Street, as a site for said schoolhouse, be and the same hereby named and designated the Jacob T. Glines School.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council July 9th.

Adjourned.

Attest.

George F. Vincent, Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville July 23rd 1890. 8 P.M.

His Honor, Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen, Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Kemenway, Souther and Nickerson present.

Records approved.

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.

Ordered, -

That a message be sent to the Common Council requesting a convention of the two branches of the City Council in the Common Council Chamber this evening for the purpose of giving hearings to all persons desiring to object to the laying out of Richdale Avenue or to the laying out of Kinney Street, in pursuance of orders for such hearings passed June 11th and 12th.

Adopted, and Alderman Kimball appointed a messenger to convey the request to the Common Council.

In Common Council, July 23, 1890 - Request granted, and Councilman Armstrong appointed to convey the message to the Board of Aldermen.

Order for convention for hearings on laying out of Richdale Ave. Kinney Street

In Convention of the City Councils.

Convention

His honor, Mayor Pope, presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Kemenway, Souther and Nickerson, President Osgood, and Councilmen Bunnewell, Webber, Barber, Jones, Higgins, Wentworth, Armstrong, Butters, McLean and Eldridge present.

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Hearing laying out of Richdale Avenue

In pursuance of orders passed June 11th and 12th and this evening, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the laying out of Richdale Avenue, from Broadway Street to Lyonmore Street; all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officers Return recorded on page 71 of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Hearing laying out of Linwy Street

In pursuance of orders passed June 11th and 12th and this evening, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the laying out of Linwy Street, from Cross Street to Aldrich Street; all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officers Return recorded on page 79 of volume 1 of the Records of Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Convention dissolved

The purposes for which it was assembled having been accomplished, the convention dissolved and the Mayor and Aldermen returned to their chamber.

In Board of Aldermen

His Honor, Mayor Pope, presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther and Nickerson present.

Hearing construction sidewalk Pearl Street

In pursuance of an order passed June 11th a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the southwesterly side of Pearl Street, from Cross Street to Walnut Street;

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all persons interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 70 of the Records of Sidewalks – Hearings and Constructions, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

In pursuance of an order passed June 25th a hearing was given on the petition of William F. Blanchard, for permission to use a Stationary Steam Engine, of four horse power, with a six horse boiler in a building to be used for wood-working, at 272 Beacon street, coal to be used for fuel, publication of the petition and order for hearing having been made by the petitioners in the Somerville Journal of the 5th inst.

Hearing
Wm. F. Blanchard
Stationary Engine
272 Beacon Street

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, the hearing was closed.

Received from the Common Council an order passed by this board July 9th authorizing the Committee on Fire Department "to exchange a horse now in the service of the department for a new horse", endorsed by the Common Council as follows, –

Order
Comm. on Fire Dept.
exchange horse

In Common Council July 9. 1890, Received its first reading. Amended by inserting the words "being the horse now used by the Chief of Fire Department," between the words "department" and "for" in the third line of the order. As amended received its second reading and adoption. Sent up for concurrence

The amendment was concurred in by the Board of Aldermen and the order adopted as amended.

Approved by the Mayor July 28.

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✓ Order Com on Fuel & St. Lights make contract fuel

Received from the Common Council the order passed by this board July 9th authorizing the Committee on Fuel and Street Lights to make a contract with Mass Horatio Willington & Co and B. F. Wilde & Co for all fuel to be delivered during the next ninety days at such schoolhouses and public buildings of the City as may be designated by said Committee" endorsed by the Common Council as follows.

In Common Council July 9 1890 Received its first reading. Amended by inserting the words, "at prices not exceeding those named in their proposals" As amended received its second reading. Adopted. Sent up for concurrence.

The amendment was concurred in by the Board of Aldermen and the order as amended was adopted.

Approved by the Mayor July 28th

✓ Jury Exemption Roll

Received a Jury Exemption Roll, Co. B. 1st Corps of Cadets M. V. M.

Placed on file

✓ Drain Layers Bonds

Received Drain Layer's Bonds in due form, each in the sum of One Thousand Dollars, from

James H. Bucker with Samuel T. Littlefield as surety
Christopher Burke " Patrick Shannon
Adna C. Winning " Addison Smith

Accepted

✓ Petitions licenses collect junk

Received petitions for licenses to collect junk, from

Patrick Ahern
Michael Daly
John C. Kelley

all approved by the Chief of Police

Licenses granted

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Received petitions for licenses to cry their goods in the streets, from

Stephen C. Burke	22½ Norfolk St.	Somerville	
Thomas F. Casey	46 Joy "	"	
Michael Dailey	45 Poplar "	"	
Eugene J. Ford	161 Somerville Ave.	"	
William Haley	123 Medford St.	"	
John H. Kelley	Taggard Court	"	
Wm F. Liston	Linwood Street	"	
Thomas Maloney	434½ Cambridge "	Cambridgeport	
Michael McCauley	53 Holland "	Somerville	

All approved by the Chief of Police
Licenses granted.

Petitions
licenses
cry goods in streets

Received petitions - each signed by a parent of the proposes licensee, for license to sell newspapers, under the provisions of ordinance No. 43, to

Percy E. Buck	31 Mystic Ave.	aged	14 years
John S. Hanchy	37 Berkeley St.	"	10 "
Fred Frazier	9 Church St. Pl.	"	12 "
Robert Fulton	3 Elm St	"	10 "
Edwin G. Greenwood	39 Berkeley St	"	16 "
Edward E. Papkee	75 Jaques "	"	11 "

all approved by the Chief of Police
Licenses granted.

Petitions
licenses
sell newspapers

Received a petition from the North Packing and Provision Company for a permit to build a brick stable for more than four horses, on Medford street opposite South street.

Permit granted.

Petition
North Packing + Provision Co.
permit build stable
for more than 4 horses

Received a petition from Nathan C. Cary, for permission to have five bay windows on a building about to be erected on his land at the corner of Summer and Putnam streets, project over the sidewalks, viz. -

Petition
Nathan C. Cary
permit project bay windows
over Summer + Putnam

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two on Summer Street
two on Putnam street &
one at the corner of the two streets
each window to be in the second and third stories
Referred to Committee on Building Permits

✓ Petition
Mulliken & Moore
permit project bay window
over Medford & Marshall St.

Received a petition from Mulliken & Moore for permission to have a bay window in the second story of their building now being erected on Medford, Marshall and Pearl Streets, project over the sidewalk at the corner of Medford and Marshall Streets.
Referred to Committee on Building Permits

✓ Petition
Richard E. Cutter et al.
Sewer
Cutter Ave.

Received a petition from Richard E. Cutter and George S. Damon, that the common sewer in Cutter Avenue be extended to the end of said avenue, a distance of about one hundred and fifty feet.
Referred to Committee on Sewers

✓ Petition
Patrick F. Mahoney et al.
Sewer
Highland Ave.

Received a petition from Patrick F. Mahoney and others, for a common sewer in Highland Avenue between Cedar and Cherry streets.
Referred to Committee on Sewers

✓ Petition
Geo. P. Strong et al
Catch-basins
Montrose Street

Received a petition from George P. Strong and others, that a suitable number of catch basins be built in Montrose street.
Referred to Committee on Sewers

✓ Petition
Som. Union Hall Co. et al.
new catch-basin
moving stand-pipe
& paving at same
Union Square

Received a petition from the Somerville Union Hall Company and others, for a new catch-basin at the corner of Washington street and Union Square, that the stand-pipe at the same place be properly located and that the water-cart stand and the gutters be properly paved.
Part concerning catch-basin referred to Committee on Sewers
Part concerning stand-pipe and paving at same referred

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to Committee on Water, and sent down for concurrence.
Reference to Committee on Water concurred in by the Common Council July 28.

Received petitions for permits to blast rock, from Maurice Buttimer, in excavating for a drain at No. 336 Broadway, R. E. Higgins " " " cellar Rush Street, Dennis Ryan " " " cellars on land of Mr. Skelton on Main street near Broadway.
Permits granted.

Petitions sundry persons permits blast rock.

Received a petition from the Somerville Electric Light Company, for locations for poles and wires in Moore, Mead, Belmont, Harris, Miller, Morgan, Granite, Quincy, Linden, Avon and Grant streets and Fairmount Avenues.
Referred to Committee on Highways.

Petitions Som. Electric Light Co. sundry locations.

Received a petition from the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts, that the order passed July 9th granting locations to said company, be amended as follows:-
In section 5, second line, so as to read "for the purpose of placing signal or telephone wires thereon" instead of as now worded.
In section 8, second line, so as to read "within one year" instead of "six months" as now worded.
Referred to Committee on Highways.

Petition N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. for amending of order July 9 granting locations.

Received a petition from Charles McCarthy, for the removal of four trees from in front of his estate No. 86 Linden Avenue.
Referred to Committee on Highways.

Petition Chas. McCarthy removal of trees Linden Avenue.

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Petition Wm J. McSean crossing Webster Avenue	Received a petition from Wm J. McSean, for a street crossing across Webster Avenue at the northwest side of the Fitchburg Railroad crossing and near the westerly side line of Newton street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council July 28th.
Petition W. C. Kinsley Post G.A.R. use of Bow St Hall Aug. 11, 12 + 13 -	Received a petition from Willard C. Kinsley Post No 139 G. A. R. for the use of Bow street Hall, during the first three days of the National Encampment of the G. A. R. viz, August 11th, 12th and 13th, in order that they may be prepared for all possible contingencies. Read and sent down for information. In Common Council July 28th Request granted subject to the rights of Co. M. 8th Regt. M. V. M. Sent up for concurrence. In Board of Aldermen July 28th Granted in concurrence subject to the rights of Co. M.
Petition Thomas Gegham that the city build bank wall near Marshall St. Horse House	Received a petition from Thomas Gegham that a brick wall be built at the rear of the lot owned by the City on Marshall street, at Hose Two Horse House; the expense to be borne by the City. Referred to Committee on Fire Department and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council July 28th.
Petitions sundry petitions permits to move buildings	Received petitions for permits to move wooden buildings - each petition being certified by an Alderman from the ward in which the moving is to be done that in his opinion it can be accomplished without injury to public or private property - as follows; - from Thos. A. Bent and Walter S. Fitch, across Central street and

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private lands, from the northerly corner of Summer and Cambridge streets to Berkeley street.

J. J. Twombly, through Somerville Avenue and Prospect street from near Union Square to Kennett street.

George H. Galloway, through Tube Works Court and Somerville Avenue to Frost Avenue.

Lennis Mahoney, through Medford, South and Ward streets, from near Ward street to Columbia street.

North Packing and Provision Company, through Medford, South and Earle streets, from near Ward street to Earle street.

North Packing and Provision Company, through Medford Ward and Emery streets, from near South street to Emery street.

North Packing and Provision Company, through Medford, Ward and Horace streets, from near Ward street to Medford street.

Read for information.

Upon the foregoing petitions, orders were adopted granting permits to move buildings, as entered in volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, as follows:- to

Order granting permits to sundry parties to move buildings

Thos. A. Kent and Walter S. Fitch, on page 412 of said volume
Joseph J. Twombly " 413 " "
George H. Galloway " 414 " "
Lennis Mahoney " 415 " "
North Packing and Provision Company, on pages 416, 417, & 418.

Order granting Building Permits

Order granting Building Permits.

Ordered:-

That upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave if necessary, to encumber such portion of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issues to the following-named

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applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Add. or Alter.	Street
Daniel E. Robins	D. E. Robbins	wooden dwelling		Francesca Ave
John H. Stevens	J. H. Stevens	" "		"
Abel S. Haley	A. S. Haley	" "		School
Chas Cutler	Elizabeth D. Sibley	" "		Central
Wm. E. Jones	E. Llewellyn	" "		Som. Ave
Gould & Murray	Gould & Murray	" "		Highland
Augustus C. White	A. C. White	" "		Tufts
James Frazier	S. M. Wiswell	" "		Rush
Mahoney & Dickey	M. J. Medina	" "		Adrian
Thos. F. Farrington	Chas K. Robertson	" "		Highland Ave
J. W. Connor	J. W. Connor	" "		Webster
" "	" "	2 "		Prospect
Wm. E. Jones	Ida M. Bossey	1 "	+ stable	Hancock
John Stackpole	J. Stackpole	2 "		Edmands
S. & C. H. Williams	S. & C. H. Williams	2 "		Ames
H. C. Holt	H. C. Holt	2 "		Marion
John Stackpole	J. Stackpole	3 "		Arthur
Elisha Grant	Wm. Sisk		S.	22 Murdock
	J. Whiting		S.	Mt. Vernon
Walter W. Kneeland	J. C. Buckley	store		South
James W. Connor	J. W. Connor	stable		Leon
Thomas Kiley	Nathan C. Carey	apartment house		Summer
Page & Littlefield	Mr. Taylor	new front in building for store		Rush
Augustus F. Dickenson	A. F. Dickson	wooden dwelling		Otis
North Packing & Provision Co.		2 stores		Medford

Adopted.

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An order laying out of Richdale Avenue, from School street to Sycamore Street, as recorded on pages 72 to 76 of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence July 23.

Approved by the Mayor, July 28th.

Order laying out Richdale Ave.

An order laying out of Runey street, from Cross street to Aldrich Street, as recorded on pages 80 to 84 inclusive, of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council July 23rd

Approved by the Mayor July 28th

Order laying out Runey Street

On motion of Alderman Carpenter the order passed July 7th, granting a permit to Herbert T. Allen and Joanna L. Davis, to move a building across Washington Street private lands and Somerville Avenue from Boston Street to Malloy Court, was reconsidered.

On motion of the same Alderman it was voted to amend the order by striking out the names of Herbert T. Allen and Joanna L. Davis, wherever they occur, and substituting therefor the same of John T. Malloy. As amended the order was adopted.

Order permit move building John T. Malloy

On motion of Alderman Kimball the order passed July 7th granting locations to the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Manchuretts, in Medford Street and Broadway, was reconsidered, and laid on the table.

Order locations Broadway & Medford N. E. T. & Tel. Co. reconsidered

see pages 14, 59, 101.

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√ Order granting 6th Class Liquor License Daniel P. Horr.

Alderman Edmands offered the following order.

Ordered.

That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to issue to Daniel P. Horr druggist and apothecary and registered pharmacist, a license of the sixth class to sell liquors for medicinal, mechanical and chemical purposes only and to such persons only as may certify in writing for what use they may want it, at his place of business No 55 Elm Street corner of Cedar Street in the front room on the first floor, when he shall have filed with the City Treasurer a satisfactory bond with surety, in the sum of one thousand dollars, and shall have paid the fee provided by law; said license to expire May 1st 1891 unless sooner forfeited or rendered void.

Adopted.

√ Report Com. on Police F.F. Phillips et al. muzzling dogs.

The Committee on Police, on the petition of F.F. Phillips and others, for the muzzling of all dogs during the hot weather, reported recommending leave to withdraw.

Accepted.

√ Report Com. on Sewers proposals sewer Thurston St.

The Committee on Sewers, in pursuance of an order dated July 9th submitted the following list of proposals received to construct in Thurston street, from the sewer in Broadway, - about 315 feet of 16-inch pipe sewer with 1 manhole, the pipe to be furnished by the City.

Names of Bidders	Manhole	Laying sewer per lin. foot	Estimated Aggregate
Maurice Terry	$ 60.00	$ 1.25	$ 326.75
Maurice Lattimer	50.00	0.85	232.75
Richard Fulvey	49.00	0.80	216.00
Charles A. Mongan	50.00	0.65	189.75

and it is hereby recommended that the contract be awarded to Charles A. Mongan.

Accepted.

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Alderman Kennedy offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Charles A. Mongan for the construction of a common sewer in Thurston St. from the sewer in Broadway, at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted.

Order
Com. on Sewers
make contract for sewer
Thurston Street.

The Committee on Sewers, on the petition of Dennis Ryan, for a drain layer's license, reported recommending leave to withdraw.

Accepted.

Report
Com. on Sewers
Dennis Ryan
drain layer's license

The Committee on Sewers, in pursuance of orders dated, respectively, April 7th, April 23, May 14th and May 28, reported that sewers have been constructed as follows:- in Kent Court, from the sewer in Kent Street, 304 2/10 feet of 10-inch pipe, with 1 manhole, at a cost of $218.86, by contract with Charles A. Mongan;-

Russell Street, from the sewer built in 1881 southwesterly, 255 5/10 feet of 8-inch pipe, with 1 manhole, at a cost of $771.76, by contract with Richard Falvey;-

Hunting Street, from the sewer in South Street southwesterly, 114 feet of 10-inch pipe, with 1 manhole, at a cost of $106.15, by contract with Charles A. Mongan;-

Sycamore Street, from the end of the sewer built in 1889 in Madison Street, southwesterly, 204 2/10 feet of 8-inch pipe, with 2 manholes, at a cost of $265.42, by contract with Andrew W. Kryne;- and the committee submitted lists of assessments for said sewers upon estates benefited.

Accepted.

Report
Com. on Sewers
completion of
sundry sewers

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✓ Sewer Assessments
Kent Court
Russell Street
Broadway
Hunting Street
Seymour Street

The lists of assessments, with warrants and orders for their collection, for the five sewers described in the following reports, in

Kent Court
Russell Street
Broadway
Seymour Street

are recorded on pages 85 to 104, inclusive, of volume 1 of the Records of Sewer Assessments, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, and the same were

Adopted.

✓ Report
Bond on Sewers
taking of Land
Sewers
Hudson & Cedar Sts

In the matter of the taking of land for a sewer in Hudson street, on the petition of Joseph O. White and others, the order passed by this board for such taking having been reconsidered and laid on the table July 9th, - The committee on Sewers presented new reports for the taking of lands for three separate sewers, -

1. in Cedar Street, a public way, from the sewer at Albion Street to Hudson street, and in Hudson street, a private way, from Cedar street southeasterly 228 75/100 feet, -

2. in Hudson street, a private way, from a point 228 75/100 feet southeast of Cedar street to a point 368 75/100 feet northwesterly from Central Street, with an outlet in Cedar street, a private way, to the sewer in Albion Street, -

3. in Hudson street, a private way, from the sewer in Central Street to a point 368 75/100 feet southwesterly from Central Street, as recorded on pages 41, 49 and 57, respectively, of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, and the said reports were

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by Common Council July 30th.

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Accompanying the foregoing reports on the taking of land for common sewers in:

1. Cedar and Hudson Streets.
2. Sowell and Hudson Streets.
3. Hudson Street from Central Street,

were orders of notice for hearings as recorded on pages 42, 50 and 58, respectively, of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, and the said orders were

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council July 23.

Order of Notice
Hearings
taking of land
Sewers
Hudson & Sowell Sts

The Committee on Sewers, in the matter of the petition of Henry L. Glover, for a sewer in Meacham Street, presented three reports for the taking of land for common sewers,—

1. in Brook and Meacham streets, and certain other private lands and private ways,—
2. in Meacham street and a certain other private way marked street C on plan,—
3. in a private way marked street A on plan,—

as recorded on pages 55, 73 and 81, respectively, in volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, and the said reports were

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council July 23.

Report
Com. on Sewers
Harry L. Glover
taking of land for
Sewers
Meacham, Brook
and other streets

Accompanying the foregoing reports on the taking of land for common sewers in

1. Brook and Meacham streets and certain other private lands and private ways,—
2. Meacham Street and a certain other private way marked street C on plan,—
3. a private way marked street A on plan,—

Order of Notice
Hearings
taking of land for
Sewers
Meacham, Brook
and other streets

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were ordered of notice for hearings as recorded on pages 66, 74 and 82, respectively in volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, and the said orders were

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council, July 23.

Order construction of Sidewalk Pearl Street

Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the southwesterly side of Pearl street, from Cross Street to Walnut street, to be of the width of eight and ½ feet, - as recorded on page 72 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor, July 28.

Report Com. on Highways completion of sidewalks Bonner Ave. Columbus Ave.

The Committee on Highways reported that in furtherance of an order dated April 9th, sidewalks have been constructed as follows, -

1. on Bonner Avenue, westerly side, gravel with edgestones at a cost of $277.01

2. on Columbus Avenue, southerly side, gravel with edgestones, at a cost of $196.05

and submitted lists of assessments for one half the cost of said sidewalks

Accepted.

Sidewalk Assessments Bonner Avenue Columbus Avenue

The lists of assessments - with warrants and orders for their collection - for the two sidewalks named in the foregoing report, on

Bonner Avenue and
Columbus Avenue

are recorded on pages 80 to 82, inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalk Assessments, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, and the same were

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Adopted.

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
J. T. Butler & others
Sidewalk
Medford Street

The Committee on Highways, on petition of J. T. Butler and others, for edgestones and gravel sidewalks on the southerly side of Medford Street from Central Street to School Street, reported recommending that the petition be granted and submitted an order of notice for a hearing.

Accepted.

Order of Notice ✓
Hearing
construct sidewalk
Medford St.

The Order of Notice, submitted with the foregoing report, for a hearing on the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the southwesterly side of Medford Street, from School Street to Central Street, is recorded on page 73 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks—Hearings and construction—of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Order of Notice ✓
Hearing
construction of Sidewalk
Low Street

Alderman Kimball offered an Order of Notice for a hearing on the construction of a brick sidewalk with edgestones, on the easterly side of Low Street, from Warren Avenue to Walnut Street, as recorded on page 77 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks—Hearings and Construction—of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
Wm. Veazie & others
Sidewalk
Medford Street

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of William Veazie and others, for a brick sidewalk on the south side of Medford Street, from Central Street to Tenny-construct, reported recommending leave to withdraw.

Accepted.

President Homenway in the chair.

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✓ Report. Com. on Highways. N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. locations Oxford Street.	The Committee on Highways, on petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for locations for poles and wires on Beacon street, from Oxford street to the Cambridge Line, reported an order for a hearing. Accepted.
✓ Order. Hearing. N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. locations Oxford Street.	The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows, Whereas The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts by its general manager, Jasper N. Keller has petition this board for leave to locate poles and wires in Beacon Street between Oxford Street and the Cambridge Line, it is therefore ordered that this board meet at its room, in the City Hall in said Somerville, on Wednesday the tenth day of September 1890, 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 interested to them and thereappear, by publishing a copy of this order in the Somerville Journal, a newspaper published in said Somerville, at least fourteen days before the time of such meeting, and that a like copy be given to the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts or some officer or agent thereof, at least fourteen days before said meeting, and the City Clerk is hereby ordered to cause said notices to be given as aforesaid. Adopted.
✓ Report. Com. on Highways. Francis Hollis laying out of Norwood Avenue	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Francis Hollis, for the laying out of Norwood Avenue, from Broadway to Medford Street, presented a report as recorded on page 93 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

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Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council July 23.

Accompanying the foregoing report was an Order of Notice for a hearing on the laying out of Norwood Avenue from Broadway to Bedford Street, as recorded on page 94 of the Records of Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Order of Notice Hearing laying out of Norwood Avenue

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by Common Council July 23.

The Committee on Highways on the petition of Frank E. Hodgkins and others, that a part of the City Farm be opened to the public to be used as a base ball ground for the season of 1890 reported recommending leave to withdraw.

Report Com on Highways F. E. Hodgkins & others that a part of City Farm be set apart for a base ball ground.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by Common Council July 23.

Alderman Dickerson offered the following order

Order granting W. C. Kinsley Post G. A. R. use of Low St. Hall Aug. 11, 12, & 13.

Ordered.

That Willard C. Kinsley Post G. A. R. No. 139 of this City be, and is hereby granted the use of Low Street Hall without charge on the 11th, 12th and 13th of August next, in order that they may be better able to care for the visiting post which they are to entertain during the National Encampment, provided satisfactory arrangements can be made by said post with Company M. 8th Regt. M. V. M. said company having the use of the hall for purposes of drill when needed.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by Common Council July 23rd.

Approved by Mayor July 28.

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Order for closing of City Hall Aug. 12 -	Alderman Kimball offered the following order. Ordered:- That his honor the Mayor be and is hereby requested to cause the City Hall to be closed on August 12th that being the day of the re-union and parade of the National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. Adopted and sent down for concurrence. Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council July 23. Approved by the Mayor July 28.
Report Common Public Property proposals heating & ventilating Highland School	The Committee on Public Property, in performance of an order dated June 23rd, submitted the following list of proposals received for the placing of heating and ventilating appliances in the Highland School House.

A. B. Franklin	$3,742.00
Tuttle Steam Warming & Ventilating Co.	2,795.00
Smead	2,400.00
R. L. Kendall & Co.	3,350.00
R. L. Kendall & Co.	5,360.00
McClintock & Woodfare	3,500.00
Walker, Pratt & Co.	4,618.00
A. A. Lanborn	5,375.00
A. A. Lanborn	5,150.00

and recommended the awarding of the contract to the Smead Warming and Ventilating Company.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council July 23.

Order Com. on Public Property make contract with Smead Warming & Ventilating - Ventilating & Heating Highland School	Alderman Vickerson offered the following order. Ordered:- That the Committee on Public Property be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with the Smead Warming and Ventilating Co. for the placing of heating and ventilating appliances in the Highland School house at prices contained in said company's first proposal submitted in said committee's report this evening; the expense so

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incurred to be charged to Highland Schoolhouse Addition Account.

Lead twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Lead twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council July 28th

Approved by the Mayor July 28.

The Committee on Public Property, in pursuance of an order dated June 11, submitted the following lists of proposals received for heating and ventilating and sanitary closet systems for the twelve room brick schoolhouse to be located on the City's land on the corner of Washington and Boston Streets;

Report ✓ Com. on Public Property proposals heating & ventilating & Sanitaries Schoolhouse Washington St. Ward 3.

For a heating and ventilating system for said schoolhouse;

Fuller & Warren Warming & Ventilating Co.	$ 3.330.00
Smead " " " "	3.665.00
D. S. Kendall & Co.	6.380.00
D. S. Kendall & Co.	3.560.00
D. P. Gosline	4.479.00
Walker, Pratt & Co.	3.841.00
A. A. Sanborn	4.986.00
A. A. Sanborn	5.187.00

For a sanitary closet system for said schoolhouse,

Fuller & Warren Warming & Ventilating Co.	$ 936.00
Smead " " " "	560.00
D. S. Kendall & Co.	510.00
D. S. Kendall & Co.	490.00

and recommended the awarding of the contracts for both systems to the Smead Warming and Ventilating Company.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council July 28th

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Order
Com. on Public Property
make contract with
Smead Warming & Ventilating
Co. Heating, Ventilating &
Sanitaries - Schoolhouse
Washington St.
Ward 2.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Property be, and it hereby is, authorized and instructed to make a contract or contracts with the Smead Warming and Ventilating Co. for providing heating and ventilating and sanitary closet systems for the twelve room brick schoolhouse to be erected upon the City's land at the corner of Washington and Boston streets, the expense incurred to be charged to Schoolhouse in Ward Two (Washington Street) Account. The prices in said contracts not to exceed those contained in said company's proposals submitted in said Committee's report this evening.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council July 28.

Approved by the Mayor July 28th.

Order
borrow for current expenses
not exceeding $50.000

Alderman Kennaway offered the following order.

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 five 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 moneys collected for said taxes; to be approved by the Mayor.

Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by unanimous yea and nay votes. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council July 28. Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules its second reading and final passage by a unanimous yea and nay vote in concurrence.

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Approved by the Mayor July 28, 1890 -

Adjourned -

Attest

George A. Vincent
Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville, August 18th 1890. 8 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Kimball, Hemenway, Nickerson, and Sanborn present.

Records read and approved.

Order hearings sunday sewer assessments.

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order
Ordered, -
That hearings be given by this board, this evening, to all persons desiring to object to any of the assessments, laid by this board July 28th, for common sewers on Broadway, Hunting street, Kent Court, Russell Street and Sycamore street; due notice of such hearings having been given by the City Treasurer on the assessment bills.
Adopted.

Hearings Sewer Assessments
Broadway
Shawmey Ave.
Hunting Street
Kent Court
Russell Street
Sycamore Street.

In pursuance of the foregoing order hearings were given upon sewer assessments, as follows, -
Broadway, -
John Herbert Esq. appeared in behalf of Thomas S. Wentworth, owning at the corner of Broadway and Dartmouth street, and objected because he understood from Mr. Wentworth that his estate could not be drained into the sewer and that the estate had previously been assessed for the sewer in Dartmouth street.
John Herbert Esq. also appeared and objected in behalf of Abel S. Haley, owning at the corner of Broadway and School street, because the lot had been assessed for a sewer in School street, and he will use that sewer for the house he is now erecting on the lot.
No other person interested appearing and desiring to be

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heard the hearing was closed.

Shawmut Avenue,-

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Harriting Street,-

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Kent Court,-

Mr. O'Neil representing the Estate of Catherine O'Neil appeared and objected because of the expense.

Mr. Pepper, for the Heirs of Edward Pepper appeared and objected because the estate had already been assessed for the sewer in Kent Street.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Russell Street,-

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Sycamore Street,-

Mr. Samuel N. Gaut, appeared and objected because he did not need the sewer and is already much more conveniently accommodated by the Highland Avenue Sewer than he could be by the sewer in Sycamore Street.

No other persons interested and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed. The several objections were referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Received from the Common Council, an order that the Committee on Ordinances prepare an amendment to Ordinance No 45 entitled "Operator and Repairer of Electric Lines and Operators", or a new ordinance, as said committee may deem proper, that said Operator shall have the power and authority to execute and enforce the provisions of chapter 404 of the Acts and Resolves of the current year, entitled "An act relating to the Regulation and Supervision of Wires over Streets and Buildings" and report the same to the City Council.

Order Com. on Ordinances report ordinance under Chap. 404 acts of 1890 supervision of wires over streets + Buildings

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The order was endorsed, In Common Council July 25, 1890 Referred to Committee on Ordinances. Sent up for concurrence.
The Board of Aldermen concurred in the reference of the order to the Committee on Ordinances.

✓ Report Chief Eng. Fire Dept. month of July.

Received the report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department for the month of July.
Read and sent down for information.
Read for information by the Common Council Aug. 14th.

✓ Report. Chief of Police month of July.

Received the report of the Chief of Police for the month of July.
Read and sent down for information
Read for information by the Common Council Aug. 14.

✓ Petition James Thompson license collect junk

Received a petition for a license to collect junk from James Thompson, Williams Block, Cedar Street, approved by the Chief of Police.
License granted.

✓ Petitions sundry persons licenses cry goods in streets.

Received petitions for licenses to cry their goods in the streets, from

Theophile Le Sieur	213 Columbia St.	Cambridgeport
John A. Fabritis,	489 Main	Charlestown
Patrick McLaughlin,	642 Mystic Ave.	Somerville.
Patrick Murphy,	10 Willow St.	Cambridge
Calvin C. Williams,	8 Row	Everett.

all approved by the Chief of Police.
Licenses granted.

✓ Petitions sundry persons licenses to sell newspapers

Received petitions, each signed by a parent of the proposed licensee, for licenses to sell newspapers under the provisions of ordinance No 43, to

Roland W. Fetch,	21 Wesley Park	aged 12 yrs.
George H. Joslin,	26 Prescott St.	" 11 "
Roy Kyle	10 Jaques "	" 12 "

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John Sheedy 398 Washington St. aged 16 years
all approved by the Chief of Police
Licenses granted.

Received an application from J. V. Steele, for a permit to build a stable and sheds on land in rear of Linwood St. dimensions of stable 55 X 85 ft, and sheds 22 X 90 ft.
Referred to Committee on Building Permits

Application ✓
J. V. Steele
permit build stable
Linwood Street

Received an application from Timothy F. Crimmings for a permit to build a stable for twelve horses on Maple Street.
Referred to Committee on Building Permits.

Petition ✓
Timothy F. Crimmings
permit build stable
Maple Street

Received a petition from Fred W. Pearson, for a license as a common victualler at No 5 Marshall Street - he having bought out the business of Arthur G. Pearson.
Referred to Committee on Licenses.

Petition ✓
Fred W. Pearson
Victuallers License
5 Marshall Street

Received a petition from Fred W. Putney, for a sixth class liquor license at 146 Broadway.
Referred to Committee on Licenses.

Petition ✓
Fred W. Putney
6th class liquor license
146 Broadway

Received a petition from Arthur J. M. Wheeler for a sixth class liquor license at 322 Somerville Avenue.
Referred to Committee on Licenses.

Petition ✓
Arthur J. M. Wheeler
6th class liquor license
322 Somerville Ave.

Received a petition from Charles W. Sawyer and others, for a common sewer in Main street, near Mt. Vernon Avenue to Moreland street (formerly Brook street) and thence in said Moreland street to the sewer in Heath Street.
Referred to Committee on Sewers.

Petition ✓
Chas W. Sawyer et al
Sewer
Main + Moreland Sts

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✓ Petition A. W. Bryne permit blast rock in laying sewer Avon St. Extension	Received a petition from A. W. Bryne, for permission to blast rock in excavating for a sewer in the extension of Avon street, through land of Reuben P. Benton, to Central street. Permit granted.
✓ Petition Mark Saighton permit set hitching post 8 Benedict St.	Received a petition from Mark Saighton, for permission to set a hitching post in the sidewalk in front of his residence No 8 Benedict Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
✓ Petition John Schroeder et al. improving of gutter & side-walk, Summer St. near Cedar St.	Received a petition from John W. Schroeder and others, representing that the raising of the road bed of Summer Street, easterly from Cedar Street, has almost obliterated the sidewalk on the northerly side of Summer Street, so that the storm water flows upon the abutting estates, and praying that proper gutters be made and the sidewalk raised so as to remedy the difficulty as soon as possible. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Aug. 14.
✓ Petition Lester C. Evans et al. that Chas. Moore be enjoined from continuing blasting in pit Moore Street	Received a petition from Lester C. Evans and others, that Charles Moore be enjoined from continuing the blasting of rocks in a pit on Moore Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
✓ Petition Frederic R. Cutter et al. Incandescent Light Bradford Ave.	Received a petition from Frederick R. Cutter and others for an incandescent light on Bradford Avenue. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Aug. 14.

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Received a petition from Benjamin P. Lovejoy for compensation for damage done to his buggy, to the amount of six and 24/100 dollars, by reason of the steam roller frightening his horse; there being no notice, either by sign or flag, that the roller was at work.

Petition Benj. P. Lovejoy compensation damage to buggy horse frightened by Steam Road Roller

Referred to Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Aug 14.

Received a petition from Elijah Walker, for permission to move a wooden building, 21 ft long, 16 ft wide, and 18 feet high from land of Taylor on the north side of Grandview Avenue, near Vinal Avenue, across said Avenue to land of Simpson on the south side of said Grandview Avenue near Vinal Avenue; certified by Alderman Kimball that in his opinion, said removal can be made without injury to public or private travel.

Petition Elijah Walker permit move building Grandview Ave.

Read for information.

Alderman Kimball offered an order granting a permit to Elijah Walker to move a wooden building across Grandview Avenue, as recorded on page 419 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles & Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Order permit move building Elijah Walker Grandview Ave.

Adopted.

Order granting Building Permits

Order granting Building Permits

Ordered.

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave, if necessary, to encumber such portions of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order

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said Lizzie shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this board

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New building	Addition Alteration	District
Wm. L. Fletcher	Annie L. Fletcher	1 dwelling		Kirkdale Ave
"	"	1 "		Lee St.
Peter L. Brown	Daniel Shea	1 "		Kittredge St
Hamer Hopkins	Abel S. Haley	1 "		Schoolhouse Lane
Mark Laughton	Samuel Jenkins	"		Lincoln Ave
James Matthews	Michael J. McKenna	"		Medford St
Henry McCullough	Henry McCullough	"		" "
Jesse S. Keith	Timothy L. Mayo	"		Highland Ave
George Chapelin	Henry K. Glover	"		north of Merchant
Wright & Waugh	George L. Johnson	"		Hall
Henry Mainty	Henry Mainty	"		Medford
Fred'k H. Coffill	Fred'k H. Coffill	"		Sandine
Wm. J. McLean	Mary L. Anderson	1 stable		Alford
George Chapelin	Henry K. Glover	1 dwelling		Merchant
"	"	2 "		"
George E. Hicker	Chas. B. Pegram	2 "		Stickney Ave
John N. Hicker	B. F. Brown Jr.	2 "		Houghton
"	"	3 "		Sycamore
"	Sg Bismarck C. C. Ellis	2 "		10 off Broadway
"	B. F. Brown Jr.	2 "	stable changed to dwelling	" " Sycamore
George Lindemann	Thomas Gephart	"		near 298 Broadway
Wm. E. Jones	John Hoe	1 dwelling, 1 stable		Concord Ave
K. Dine	John F. Fallon	1 "		Beach "
James Shea	James Shea	1 cow shed		14 Lincoln
J. & S. Simonds	Sturtevant Beal		addition to factory	5 Union Sq
C. W. & S. H. Wheeler Co.	A. W. Taylor		" L	Sycamore
Wm. L. Fletcher	Annie L. Fletcher		" piazza	Madison
J. H. Kincaid & Son	Allen Building Assn		alteration in gutter	Broadway & Hudson
Kendall & Haley	Annie Haley		increase in dwelling	Columbia
James Quinn	Edward Haggerty		" " L	South
F. H. Stickney	John P. Squire		foundation for	97-99-101 Somerville Ave

Adopted

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The Committee on Building Permits, on the applications of Harvey Taylor for a permit to build an apartment house of six tenements for George C. Goodrich, corner of School and Montrose streets, reported recommending that a permit be granted.

Report
Com. on Bldg. Permits
Harvey Taylor
apartment house
School & Montrose Sts.

Accepted.

Alderman Kimball for the Committee on Building Permits returned the petition of Mulliken and Moore for leave to project a bay window over the sidewalk at the corner of Medford and Marshall streets, on their building on Pearl, Marshall and Medford streets, with a statement that the committee is unable to agree upon a report.

Com. on Bldg. Permits
Mulliken & Moore
bay window over streets
Medford & Marshall Sts.

Alderman Kimball moved that the petitioners be given leave to withdraw.

Alderman Converse moved as a substitute that the petition be granted.

The motion of Alderman Converse to grant the petition was adopted.

Alderman Kimball, for the Committee on Building Permits returned to the board the petition of Nathan C. Carey for permission to project five bay windows over the sidewalks of Summer and Putnam streets, in the second and third stories of a building there to be erected, as follows: two on Summer street, two on Putnam street, and one at the corner of the two streets, as the committee is unable to agree upon a report.

Com. on Bldg. Permits
Nathan C. Carey
bay windows over streets
Summer & Putnam Sts.

Action postponed until the next meeting.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Order
revoking licenses
sell newspapers.

Ordered:

That the licenses to sell newspapers granted by this board to Arthur S. Hale, David S. Donavan and J. Edward Mack, be and they are hereby revoked; said licensees having failed to call for their badges, as required by ordinance

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Adopted

Order Com. on Sewers make contract sewer Thurston St.

On motion of Alderman Keenan the order passed at the last meeting, authorizing a contract with Charles A. Morgan for the construction of a common sewer in Thurston Street, was reconsidered and laid on the table. (see page 88)

Report Com. on Sewers corrected proposals sewer Thurston St.

The Committee on Sewers in pursuance of an order dated July 9th reported the following corrected list of bids received to construct, in Thurston Street, from the sewer in Broadway, about 315 feet of 10-inch tile sewer, with 1 manhole, the pipes to be furnished by the City

Names of Bidders	Manhole	Laying sewer per lin. foot	Estimated Aggregate
Maurice Battimer	$40.00	$1.20	$418.00
Charles A. Morgan	38.00	1.00	350.00
Richard Flory	46.00	0.90	329.00
Maurice Terry	44.00	0.90	327.00

and submitted an order (see page 92)

Accepted.

Order Com. on Sewers make contract sewer Thurston St.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows:-

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Maurice Terry for the construction of a common sewer in Thurston St, from the sewer in Broadway, at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said Committee's report submitted this evening.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor August 19.

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The Committee on Sewers, on the petition of Patrick F. Mahoney and others, for a common sewer in Highland Avenue, between Cedar and Cherry streets, reported an order.
Accepted.

Report Com on Sewers Patrick F. Mahoney et al Sewer Highland Ave

The order submitted with the foregoing report for the construction of a common sewer in Highland Avenue, from the sewer in Highland Avenue at Cherry Street to the sewer in Highland Avenue at Cedar Street, is recorded on page 175 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Read twice and adopted
Approved by the Mayor August 19, 1896.

Order Com on Sewers construct sewer Highland Avenue from Cherry to Cedar St

The Committee on Sewers, on the petition of Michael H. Cullen, submitted a report for the taking of land for a common sewer in South Street, as recorded on page 87 of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Recorded and sent down for concurrence.
Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug. 14.

Report Com on Sewers Michael H. Cullen sewer South Street

Accompanying the foregoing report, and as a part thereof, was an Order of Notice for a hearing on the taking of land for a sewer in South Street from Harding Street easterly 300 feet as recorded on page 90 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Adopted and sent down for concurrence.
Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug 4.

Order of Notice taking of land sewer South Street

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✓ Report Common Sewers Cushing Otis et al Sewer Lincoln Avenue	The Committee on Sewers, on the petition of Cushing Otis and others, submitted a report for the taking of land for a common sewer in Lincoln Avenue, as recorded on page 97 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to construct sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug 14th.
✓ Order of Notice taking of land Sewer Lincoln Avenue	Accompanying the foregoing report and as a part thereof was an Order of Notice for a hearing on the taking of land for a common sewer in Lincoln Avenue, from the manhole at George street westerly to near Lincoln street as recorded on page 98 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Adopted and sent down for concurrence. Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug 14th.
✓ Order Reassess sewer assessment Highland Ave. from S. M. & H. Stearns to Heirs of Wm Stearns.	Alderman Hemenway offered the following order. Ordered:- That the sum of seventy-six and 35/100 dollars assessed December 18th 1889 to Sarah M. and Harriet M. Stearns as a benefit accruing to their estate on Highland Avenue, from the construction of a common sewer in said avenue, be and the same is hereby abated to them and reassessed to the Heirs of William Stearns. Adopted
✓ Report Com. on Highways petitions for sidewalks Chauncey Ave. Church St. Preston St. School St.	The Committee on Highways, on petitions for sidewalks in Chauncey Avenue, Church street, Preston street and School street, reported orders of notice for hearings:- Accepted.

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The Orders of Notice for hearings, submitted with the foregoing report, for the construction of sidewalks in
Chauncey Avenue, west side from Jaques street, northerly,
Church Street, east side, from Somerville Ave. to Summer Street.
Preston Street, both sides, from School Street, to Summer Street.
School Street, east side, from Somerville Ave. to Summer Street
are recorded on pages 81, 85, 89, and 93 of volume 1 of the Records of Highways, Hearings and Construction — of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Adopted.

Orders of Notice
Sidewalks
Chauncey Ave.
Preston Street
School Street.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts, that certain amendments be made in the order passed July 7th granting locations to said company, recommended leave to withdraw.
Accepted.

Report
Com. on Highways
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.
to amend order of July 7

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of the Somerville Electric Light Company, for sundry locations, reported an order.
Accepted.

Report
Com. on Highways
Som. Elec. Light Co.
sundry locations

The order presented with the foregoing report, granting locations to the Somerville Electric Light Company, in Moore, Mead, Belmont, Harris, Miller, Morgan, Granite, Quincy, Linden, Avon and Grant streets and Fairmount Avenue, is recorded on page 6 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles & Wires, street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.
Adopted.

Order
granting sundry locations
Som. Electric Light Co.

Agreement received
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The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Abby E. Taylor, for the removal of a tree in front of her estate No 41 Beach Street, and the trimming of another tree, reported an order

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Com. on Highways
Abby E. Taylor
removal of tree &c

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Beach Street — Accepted.

✓ Order Com on Highways remove tree 41 Beach Street

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows,

Ordered.-

That the Committee on Highways, be and are hereby authorized to remove a tree standing in front of the estate of Abby E. Taylor, No 41 Beach Street.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor August 19th.

✓ Report Com on Highways Jerome S. Daniels permit hitching-post 119 Perkins Street

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Jerome S. Daniels, for permission to set a hitching post in front of his office No 119 Perkins Street, reported recommending that the petition be granted.

Accepted.

✓ Report Com on Public Property proposals heating + ventilating Highland School

The Committee on Public Property, submitted the following list of proposals received for doing certain portions of the work of placing the Smead system of heating and ventilating in the Highland schoolhouse, not provided for by the contract with the Smead Warming and Ventilating Company authorized by an order dated July 28th viz.-

G. M. Starbird,	$ 3715.00
Smead Warming and Ventilating Co.	$ 2500.00

and recommended a contract with said Company

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug. 14.

✓ Order Com on Public Property make additional contract Smead Warming + Ventilating Co. Highland School

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered.

That the Committee on Public Property be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with the Smead Warming and Ventilating Co. for certain portions of the work of placing the Smead system of heating and ventilating in the Highland Schoolhouse not provided for by the contract with

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the said company authorized by an order dated July 23rd for the sum of Twenty-five hundred dollars.

Read twice and adopted sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug. 14th.

Approved by the Mayor August 19th

The Committee on Public Property submitted the following list of proposals received to furnish a heating and ventilating and sanitary system for the new schoolhouse in Ward Three namely.

C. S. Kendall & Co.	(Steam)	$494.50
A. A. Sanborn	(")	4250.00
Smead Warming & Ventilating Co.	(furnace)	2480.00
Fulton & Warren Co.	(")	2376.00
C. S. Kendall & Co.	(")	2915.00

and recommended a contract with C. S. Kendall & Co. for their furnace system of heating and ventilating with their water closet sanitary system.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug 14th.

Report from Committee on Public Property proposals heating, ventilating & sanitary New Schoolhouse Ward 3

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Property be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Mess C. S. Kendall & Co. of Worcester Mass. for furnishing their furnace system of heating and ventilating together with their water closet sanitary system, for the new schoolhouse in Ward Three, to be erected on Jaques street, at the prices contained in their proposal submitted in said Committee's report received in this board this evening.

Read twice adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug. 14th

Order Committee on Public Property make contract with C. S. Kendall & Co. heating, ventilating & sanitary New Schoolhouse Ward 3

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Approved by the Mayor August 19th.

Order Common Public Property hire room Ward 3.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Public Property be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to hire a room for school purposes in Ward Three, from September first, the expense to be charged to School House Incidental Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug 14th.

Approved by the Mayor August 17th.

Order Common Public Property furnishes furniture Registrars of Voters

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Public Property be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to provide such furniture as may be needed for the Registrars of Voters to enable them to register conveniently and expeditiously; the expense incurred not to exceed Seventy-five dollars and to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug. 14th.

Approved by the Mayor Aug 19th.

Report Comm. on Fire Dept. exchange of chief's horse

The Committee on Fire Department, on an order dated July 9th authorizing the exchange of the horse then used by the Chief Engineer reported that the exchange has been made with John S. Nason, at an expense of $225.00

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug 14th

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The Committee on Fire Department on the petition of Wm. F. Blanchard, for permission to use a four horse stationary engine at 272 Beacon street, reported an order.
Accepted.

Report
Com. on Fire Department
Wm. F. Blanchard
Stationary Engine

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows,
Ordered:-
That permission be and is hereby granted to William F. Blanchard, to erect and use a stationary engine of four horse power, to be propelled by steam with a boiler of six horse power in a building to be used for wood working situated at No. 272 Beacon Street.
Adopted.

Order
granting permit
Wm. F. Blanchard
Stationary Engine
272 Beacon St.

On motion of Alderman Kimball the order, which was laid upon the table at the last meeting, granting locations in Medford Street and Broadway to the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts, was taken from the table.
On motion of the said Alderman the said order was amended by inserting, in the fifth condition, between the words "placing" and "Wires", the words "Signal" and "telephone"; and as thus amended the order was adopted.

Order
granting locations
N. Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.
Broadway & Medford St.

Acceptance received
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see pages 14. 31. 101.
Modified Sept. 10 page 101.

Adjourned

Attest.

George F. Vincent
Clerk.

Special Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall, Somerville, Aug. 25, 1890. 7½ P.M.

Pursuant to a call issued by the City Clerk, by direction of the Mayor, a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held this 7½ P.M.

President Hemenway presiding.

Aldermen Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther and Sanborn present.

Clerk pro tempore

In the absence of the City Clerk, Albert B. Fales was duly chosen Clerk pro tempore, and was sworn to the faithful performance of his duties.

The following is a copy of the oath, with his signature thereto, and the certificate of Alderman Hemenway, Justice of the Peace.

Somerville, August 25, 1890.

I Albert B. Fales, do solemnly swear that I will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on me as Clerk pro tempore of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Somerville. So help me God.

A. B. Fales

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex ss. August 25, 1890.

Sworn to and subscribed,
Before me,
Chas. M. Hemenway.
Justice of the Peace

Jurors

In compliance with a venire from the Superior Court, Rollin K. Baldwin and John M. Mussenett were drawn to serve as Traverse Jurors at said court to be holden at Lowell on the first Monday of September next; said jurors to be summoned to attend said court on the second day of Septem-

Sen.

Adjourned.

Attest.

A. B. Fales

Clerk pro. tem.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville August 27, 1890 8 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope, presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Burbank present.

Records read and approved.

Order
Convention for hearings
laying out of Norwood Ave.
and
taking of land for
sundry sewers.

Alderman Kimball offered the following order

Ordered.

That a message be sent to the Common Council, requesting a convention of the two branches of the City Council in the Common Council Chamber this evening, for the purpose of giving hearings, in pursuance of orders passed July 23rd to all persons desiring to object to the following-named measures,-

Laying out of Norwood Avenue,
Taking of land for sewers in,
Cedar and Hudson streets,
Dowell and Hudson streets,
Hudson street,
Brook and Meacham streets and street B,
Meacham street and street C.
Street A as shown on plan

Adopted and Alderman Kimball appointed to convey the message to the Common Council.

In Common Council, Aug 27, 1890, Request granted and Councilman Wentworth appointed to convey the message to the Board of Aldermen.

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In Convention of the City Council

Convention

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn, President Osgood and Councilmen Hannewell, Webber, Barber, Janes, Willey, Higgins, Wentworth, and Eldridge present.

In pursuance of orders passed July 23rd and this evening, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the laying out of Norwood Avenue, from Broadway to Medford street, - all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officers Return on the Order of Notice recorded on page 75 of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, the hearing was closed.

Hearing laying out of Norwood - Avenue

In pursuance of orders passed July 23rd and this evening, hearings were given to all persons desiring to object to the taking of lands for common sewers, as follows; -

Hearings taking of land for sewers in Cedar & Hudson Sts. Hudson St. Lowell & Hudson St. Brook & Meacham St. & Street B. Meacham St. & Street C. Street A.

in

Cedar and Hudson streets

Mr. Samuel B. Willis appeared in behalf of his mother, Mrs Elizabeth B. Willis, also for James W Stearns of California, the Heirs of James W Stearns and the Heirs of Wm Stearns and objected to the proposed sewers in Hudson street, because the several parties own a large amount of vacant land on Hudson and Albion streets and have but recently paid assessments for the sewer in Albion street, and feel that it is unjust to subject them again to heavy assessments before they shall have had an opportunity to dispose of some of their land.

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No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Hudson street westerly from Bentley Street.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Lowell and Hudson streets.

Mr. Richardson appeared for his wife Annie Richardson and objected because the sewer in Albion street, into which this proposed sewer is to empty, is not large enough for the purpose.

Mr. Richardson presented a protest signed by Franklin Wilkins and twenty-two others, against the proposed plan of draining Hudson street into the Albion street sewer and also against the granting of permits to abutters.

The City Engineer states that the sewer in Albion street is an ample outlet for the proposed sewer in Lowell & Hudson streets as it is to take nothing but house drainage.

Mr. Willis's objections to the proposed Cedar and Hudson streets sewer applied also to this sewer.

Mr. Reuben Willis asked for information which was furnished him.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Brook and Moncham streets and street B.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Moncham street and street C.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Street A from Moncham street northwesterly.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

All parties interested in the matter of the proposed taking of lands, as aforesaid, had been duly notified thereof

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and of said hearings, as appears by the Officer's Returns recorded on pages 43, 57, 51, 67, 75 and 83, of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

The purposes for which it was assembled having been accomplished the convention was dissolved and the Mayor and Aldermen returned to their chamber.

On Board of Aldermen. Board of Aldermen

His Honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

In pursuance of an order passed July 28th hearings were given to all persons desiring to object to the construction of sidewalks, as follows,— Hearings sidewalks Medford St. Bow Street.

Medford Street, southwest side, from School street to Central street.

Mr. Wm K. Fletcher appeared and presented a petition signed by Annie L. Fletcher, Susan P. Thomas and Ellen A. Neal, that the setting of the edgestones may be deferred one or two years or until more of the vacant lots shall have been built upon. He said Mrs Fletcher owned twelve lots with a frontage of some 600 feet and her assessments therefor would be very large

No other persons interested and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Bow street, easterly side, from Warren Avenue to Walnut Street.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be

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heard the hearing was closed.

All parties interested in the proposed construction of sidewalks, as aforesaid, had been notified thereof and of said hearings as appears by the Officer's Returns recorded on pages 74 and 78 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks – Hearings and Construction – of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Order Com on Highways exchange horse

Received from the Common Council the following order.

In Common Council Aug. 14-1890.

Ordered:-

That the Com on Highways either in themselves or through the Supt of Streets be permitted to exchange one of the driving horses in that dept. for another at an expense not to exceed $100. and the amount so expended to be charged to Highway dept.

Said order was endorsed by the Common Council as follows,-

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Received its first reading. Amended by striking out all between the words "Highways" in the first line and "be" in the third line of the order. As amended received its second reading and adoption. Sent up for concurrence.

Said order was acted upon by the Board of Aldermen as follows,-

As amended read twice and adopted in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor.

Request School Committee hire sundry rooms & flag-staff at Kennett School

Received from the School Committee a communication making the following requests,-

1.- that rooms be engaged for the Highland school during the time necessary for the completion of the building.

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2. – that the Baptist Church on Bow Street be hired for the lowest class of the Bell School.

3. – that the seventh grade furniture be set up in the basement room of the Bell School.

4. – that a room be hired for the class which has of late occupied the store in the "Irving" block on Somerville Avenue.

5. – that the Union School building be again fitted up for the lowest grades.

6. – that a flag-staff be placed on the Bennett School.

Referred to Committee on Public Property and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Aug. 27.

Received from the Water Board a request for a further appropriation for Water Works Extension of $8,000.00.

Referred to Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Aug. 27.

Request Water Board further appropriation

Received a petition for a license to cry his goods in the streets, from

Stephen Heanue, 221 Columbia Street,

approved by the Captain of Police

License granted.

Petition Stephen Heanue license cry goods in the streets

Received petitions for licenses to ring bells in the streets to announce their callings from the following-named scissors sharpeners:-

Francesco Soricci 303 North St. Boston

Pasquale Palangi 223 " "

approved by the Captain of Police

Licenses granted

Petitions sundry persons licenses ring bells in streets

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Petition Oldonce J. Marchant license sell newspapers	Received a petition, signed by a parent of the proposed licensee for a license to sell newspapers, under the provisions of ordinance No. 43, to Oldonce J. Marchant, 225 Columbia St, aged 11. approved by the Chief of Police. License granted.
Applications sundry parties permits to build	Received applications for permits to build, from J. B. Plummer & Co, for a wooden ware manufactory, of brick, on Howard Street. Sprague & Hathaway Co, a 4 story brick building, cor Herbert & Day streets. John K. Ricker, a wooden storehouse for provisions on Melrose street. Referred to Committee on Building Permits.
Communications George F. Loring encroachments over line of Putnam St.	Received from George F. Loring, Administrator of the Estate of John B. Johnson, a remonstrance against any encroachments over the line of Putnam Street; also a second communication from said Loring, Administrator, stating that having seen the plans of N. C. Carys building corner of Summer and Putnam streets, he withdraws his said remonstrance. Read for information.
Petition Daniel Frazier license pool table 36 Broadway	Received a petition from Daniel Frazier, for a license to keep one pool table at his place of business No 36 Broadway. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Petitions sundry persons drainlayer's licenses	Received petitions for Drain Layer's Licenses, from Willard B. Bryne, Alfred H. Kines and John Stackpole. Referred to Committee on Sewers.

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Received a petition from Howland and Daniels and others, for a catch basin on the south side of Vine Street.
Referred to Committee on Sewers.

Petition ✓
Howland & Daniels et al
catch basin
Vine Street

Received a petition from Marcy W. Cook for a sewer in Central street, from the end of the present sewer at Cambria street to a point near Gibbons Street.
Referred to Committee on Sewers.

Petition ✓
Marcy W. Cook
Sewer
Central Street

Received a petition from Thomas Dana Trustee and Hannah W. Brooks, for a sewer in Evergreen Avenue, from Thurston street toward Sycamore Street.
Granted.

Petition ✓
Thos. Dana Trustee et al
Sewer
Evergreen Ave.

Received a petition from the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for locations for poles for wires, in
Hathorn Street - four poles and
Arlington " two poles
Referred to Committee on Highways

Petition ✓
New Eng. Tel & Tel Co.
locations
Hathorn & Arlington Sts

Received a petition from the Somerville Electric Light Co. for locations for poles, for wires in
Sacramento, Durham, Hanson, Skehan, Parker, Luke, Allen and Murdock streets and Nevada, Fremont, Linden and Frost Avenues
Referred to Committee on Highways

Petition ✓
Som. Electric Light Co.
Sundry locations

Received a petition from S. P. Lewis and others, for a street crossing in Broadway, from Arthur street to the street railway tracks.
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
Reference concurred in by the Common Council Aug. 27.

Petition ✓
S. P. Lewis & others
crossing
Broadway

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✓ Petition Jerome S. Daniels, Agent crossing Mt. Vernon Street at Wheeler Street	Received a petition from Jerome S. Daniels, Agent for D. Sargent and others, for the removal of the sidewalk and the laying of a crossing on the northwest side of Mt. Vernon Street, at the entrance to Wheeler Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Aug. 27
✓ Petition A. W. Bishop et al. crossing Central Street at Ames Street	Received a petition from A. W. Bishop and others, for the removal of the sidewalk and the laying of a crossing on Central Street at the head of Ames Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Aug. 27
✓ Petition P. J. Fitzgerald et al. Electric Lights Vine Street.	Received a petition from P. J. Fitzgerald and others, for an arc light at the corner of Vine and Hanson Streets and an incandescent light on Vine street near Beacon St. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Aug. 27
✓ Petition Henry F. Woods et al. that Medford be permitted to lay water pipes in North Street.	Received a petition from Henry F. Woods and others, that permission be granted to the Town of Medford to lay water pipes in North Street, from the Medford Line to the lane leading to the gravel pit at Wild Cat Hill, to convey water to the present dwellings and a large number of proposed dwellings. Referred to Committee on Water and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Aug. 27.

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Received a petition from James Synch, for permission to move a wooden building 12 ft. long, 12 ft. wide, and 12 ft. high, from land of the Fifth Reiss on the south side of Washington street near Boston street, to land of said Synch on the east side of Sinwood street, near Washington street, endorsed by Alderman Kimball that in his opinion said proposed moving can be done without injury to public or private property.

Read for information

Petition James Synch permit move building Washington & Sinwood Streets

Order granting Building Permits

Order granting Building Permits

Ordered.

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave, if necessary, to encumber such portions of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Add or Alteration	Street
Willard S. Glidden	W. S. Glidden	1 dwelling		Porter
J. B. Phinney	Lorenzo W. Dow	1 "		Ware
Arthur W. Berry	A. W. Berry	1 "		Beaston Ave.
John R. Gerr	J. O'Connell	1 "		Pine
Daniel E. Crouch	H. E. Crouch	3 "		North
Gould & Murray	Gould & Murray / Robert Adams	4 "		Porter
Wm. J. McLean	John Shute		add to dwelling	Clark
John Birmingham	Thomas Sudbey		foundation under building	Sow Ave.
Chas. H. Collins		stable		241 Columbia St.
Conners & Hoodys Co.	Augusta Gilmore	carriage shed		George
Jeffers, Sewall & Co.	Caroline Ezin	" "		Appleton
Wallace M. Rice	W. M. Rice	1 dwelling		Mountain Ave.

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John K. Ricker — Fred H. Maynard Adwelling — Broadway
Thomas Kiley — Henry P. Synde — 1
Adopted.

✓ Order laying out of Norwood Avenue Broadway to Medford St.

An order laying out Norwood Avenue from Broadway to Medford Street, as recorded on pages 96 to 100, inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council Aug. 27 read twice and adopted in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor, Sept. 13, 1890.

✓ Orders taking of land for sundry sewers

Orders taking land for the purposes of common sewers in

Cedar and Hudson Streets,
Sewell and Hudson Streets,
Hudson street, westerly from Central street,
Brook and Meacham streets and street B.
Meacham street and street C. &
Street marked A on plan

as recorded, respectively, on pages 44 to 48, 52 to 56, 60 to 64, 68 to 72, 76 to 80, and 84 to 88, each inclusive, of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville, were

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council Aug. 27 Read twice and adopted in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor, Sept. 13, 1890.

✓ Report Com. on Building Permits J. B. Plummer & Co. Sprague, Hathaway & Co.

The Committee on Building Permits, on the application for permits to build, from Joseph B. Plummer & Co., a brick building on Howard street to be used for manufacturing purposes, and the Sprague and Hathaway Co., a brick building corner of Herbert and Day Streets, reported recom-

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mending that permits be granted.
Accepted.
On motion of Alderman Kimball it was voted that permits be granted.

The Committee on Licenses, on the petitions for sixth class liquor licenses, from
Christopher C. Brady corner Summer and School Streets
E. F. Chaffee " Cross and Webster Streets
Edgar J. Rowland 376 Somerville Ave.
Fred W. Putney 146 Broadway
Arthur I. W. Wheeler 322 Somerville Ave.
reported recommending leave to withdraw
Accepted

Report Com. on Licenses sundry petitions 6th class liquor licenses

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The Committee on Licenses on petitions for Common Victuallers' licenses, from
Fred W. Pearson, at No. 5 Marshall Street
Mrs B. A. Brackett, 1 Medina Building Davis Square
reported recommending that licenses be granted under the provisions of Chapter 142 of the Public Statutes, the same to remain in force until the first day of May next unless sooner revoked.
Accepted.

Report Com. on Licenses
Fred W. Pearson
Mrs B. A. Brackett
common victuallers

Orders were offered by Alderman Hemenway, for the construction of common sewers in
Cedar and Hudson streets,
Sowell and Hudson streets,
Hudson street westerly from Central street,
Sowell and Hudson streets
Brook and Meacham streets and street B.
Meacham street and street C.
Street A. as shown on plan
Evergreen Avenue from Thurston street to near Sycamore street

Orders construction of sundry sewers

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as recorded, respectively, on pages 497, 499, 500, 501, 503, 505, 507, and 509 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 2. 1890.

✓ Report Com. on Sewers objections to assessments

The Committee on Sewers, on the several objections to sewer assessments made at the hearings given August 13th reported, recommending leave to withdraw.

Accepted.

✓ Report Com. on Sewers contract for sewer Thurston Street.

The Committee on Sewers, which was instructed by an order dated August 13th to make a contract with Maurice Terry for the construction of a common sewer in Thurston Street from the sewer in Broadway, reported, that said Terry now declines to sign the contract, and recommended that a contract be made with Richard Falvey at the prices named in his proposal for said sewer submitted in said committees report of Aug. 13.

Accepted.

✓ Order Com. on Sewers contract with R. Falvey sewer Thurston St.

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order.

Ordered,

That the Committee on Sewers be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Richard Falvey for the construction of a common sewer in Thurston street, from the sewer in Broadway, at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committees report received in the meeting of the Board of Aldermen August 13th.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor. Sept. 2. 1890.

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The Committee on Sewers on the petition of Charles W. Sawyer and others, presented a report for the taking of land for a common sewer in Main Street and Brooks or Moreland street, as recorded on page 165 of volume of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Report Com on Sewers Chas. W. Sawyer land for sewer Brooks or Moreland & Main Street

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug. 27.

Accompanying the foregoing report was an Order of Notice of Notice on the taking of land for a common sewer in Brooks or Moreland street, as recorded on page 166 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Order of Notice land for sewer Brooks or Moreland & Main Street

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug. 27.

Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of a brick sidewalk, with edgestones on the northerly side of Bow Street, from Warren Avenue to Walnut street, to be ten feet in width as recorded on page 77 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Order construct sidewalk Bow Street

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 2.

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.

Order Com on Highways purchase Wild Cat Hill

Ordered,

That the Committee on Highways be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to purchase of Henry F. Woods a certain parcel of land in

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West Somerville, commonly called "Wild Cat Hill", containing about five and one half acres and bounded northerly and westerly by Alewife Brook on the Arlington town line, easterly by land now or formerly of Cook and southeasterly by land now or formerly of Vogler and land now or formerly of Russell together with a right of way to the same from North Street, at a price not exceeding Four thousand dollars, the expense so incurred to be charged to Highways Accounts.

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug. 27.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 2.

Report Com. on Public Property proposals new schoolhouse Ward 2. Washington & Boston sts.

The Committee on Public Property, reported that, in pursuance of an order dated June 11th proposals have been received for the erection of a twelve room brick schoolhouse to be located on the city's land at the corner of Washington and Boston streets, as follows:-

Lord Brothers	$54,784.00
J. E. Giddings & Son	54,171.00
Cormery & Wentworth	53,500.00
Michael McGlyer	52,807.00
Kelley & McKinnon	49,566.00
Conn & Hall	49,440.00
S. Brennan & Co.	48,210.00
John B. Wilson	47,700.00
T. F. Farrington	46,757.00
G. M. Starbird	46,700.00
Williams & Black	45,959.00
F. E. Fuller	46,700.00
T. S. Brown	45,366.00
H. H. Mayers & Co.	43,876.00
Wm. S. Clark & Co.	43,760.00
James McNeil	42,875.00

and recommended that the contract be awarded to James

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Mr. Neil of #509 Columbus Avenue Boston, for the sum specified in his proposal.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug. 27.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered.-

That the Committee on Public Property be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with James Mc Neil of #509 Columbus Avenue, Boston, for the erection of the proposed new schoolhouse in Ward Two, at the corner of Washington street and Boston street, in accordance with plans and specifications by Moss Loring & Phipps, for the sum submitted in said committee's report received in this board this evening.

Read twice and further action postponed until the next meeting.

✓ Order
Com on Public Property make contract with James Mc Neil new schoolhouse Wd 2 Washington & Boston Streets.

The Committee on Public Property authorized by an order of Aug 13th to hire a room for school purposes in Ward Three from Sept 1, reported that Brazillian Hall had been hired of Mr. James S. Brazillian, at a rental of twenty dollars a month.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Aug. 27.

Report ✓
Com on Public Property hired Brazillian Hall for school purposes Ward 3.

Alderman Souther offered the following order.

Ordered.

That the Highway Committee are requested to purchase, for public weighing, two platform scales at an expense not exceeding four hundred and fifty dollars, the expense to be charged to Miscellaneous account, - the same to be located on or near Davis Square.

Order ✓
Com on Highways purchase platform scales to be located at Union & Davis Square

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Read and action postponed until the next meeting.

✓ Order naming battery Central Hill

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order.

Ordered, -

That the Battery located on the City land on Central Hill be named "The Grant Memorial Battery."

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Aug 27.

✓ Petition Nathaniel Cary permit for bay windows over streets Summer + Putnam Sts

On the petition of Nathaniel Cary to have five bay-windows on a building to be erected by him at the corner of Summer and Putnam Streets, project over the sidewalks, viz. - two on Summer Street, two on Putnam street and one at the corner of the two streets, said windows to be in the second and third stories, - action on said petition having been postponed at the last meeting - it was voted on motion of Alderman Souther, that the desired permission be granted.

Adjourned.

Attest.

George S. Vincent
Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville, Sept. 10, 1890. 8.15 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Records approved.

Order convention for hearing laying out of Chandler Street

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That a message be sent to the Common Council requesting a convention of the two branches of the City Council in the Common Council Chamber this evening for the purpose of hearing all persons desiring to object to the laying out of Chandler Street, in accordance with an order for such hearing passed June 26th.

Adopted and Alderman Kimball appointed a messenger to convey the request to the Common Council.

In Common Council Sept. 10. Request granted and Councilman Armstrong appointed to convey the message to the Board of Aldermen.

Convention

In Convention of the City Council.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn, President Osgood, and Councilmen Hunnewell, Webber, Barber, Wickerman, James, Caswell, Willey, Higgins, Wentworth, Armstrong, Winters, McLean, Eldridge and Prichard present.

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Hearing laying out of Chandler Street.

In pursuance of orders passed June 26th, and this evening, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the laying out of Chandler street, from Park Avenue to Broadway; all parties interested having been duly notified as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 87 of the Records of Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Convention dissolved.

The purpose for which it was assembled having been accomplished the Convention was dissolved and the Mayor and Aldermen returned to their chamber.

Board of Aldermen.

In Board of Aldermen.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Hearing N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co. locations Beacon Street.

In pursuance of an order passed July 28th, a hearing was given all persons interested in the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts, for locations for poles and wires in Beacon street, due notice of such hearing having been given as appears by the following return on said order.

Somerville, Sept. 10. 1890. I have complied with the within order by publishing a copy thereof in the Somerville Journal of August 2nd, and by delivering a like copy to George E. Hanson, the Agent of the within named company, at his place of business in this city, by hand of the City Messenger, more than fourteen days prior to this date.

George D. Vincent,
City Clerk.

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No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed

By request of Homer L. Holt, approved by the Chief of Police, the Mayor appointed Nicholas Leonard a Special Police without pay, and the appointment was confirmed by the Board of Aldermen

Appointment Nicholas Leonard Special Police without pay

The Mayor appointed the following Election Officers for a term of one year from Nov. 1.

Appointments Election Officers

Ward One

Precinct 1.

Warden	George W. Bartlett		R.
Deputy "	F. DeWitt Lapham		R.
Clerk	Abbott C. Knowles		D.
" "	John F. Mills		D.
Inspectors	George F. Stoddard 2d	John C. H. Snow	R.
	George W. Hadley	Arthur B. Walton	D.
" "	Benjamin Y. Snow	Robert Bass	R.
	John H. Byron	Lewis L. Sellew	D.

Precinct 2.

Warden	Charles F. Wilder		R.
Deputy "	Alpheus Bowers		R.
Clerk	Frederick C. Babson		D.
" "	Arthur W. Tyler		D.
Inspectors	Ralph S. Baker 2d	Gardner F. Daniels	R.
	Alexander Foster Jr.	Francis H. Fay	D.
" "	Frank H. Bowers	Fred E. Morrison	R.
	Andrew J. Barnes	Samuel B. Sands	D.

Precinct 3.

Warden	Charles H. Colgate		R.
Deputy "	George H. Tewksbury		R.
Clerk	Hiram G. Jameson		D.
" "	Benjamin P. Palmer		D.
Inspectors	S. Herbert Huntley	& Fitch C. Cutler	R.

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	Inspectors	Noah D. Robinson &	Ellis L. Glover	D.
Deputy	"	Thomas T. A. Sargent "	Harold P. Palmer	R.
"	"	Harvey E. Twitchell "	Patrick J. Carney	D.

Precinct 4.

	Warden	Nathaniel F. Babb		D.
Deputy	"	William T. Harney		D.
	Clerk	Wm. F. S. Robinson		R.
"	"	Sam S. Carlton		R.
	Inspectors	Edwin F. Nealley &	John S. McDonough	D.
	"	Thomas F. Casey "	James S. Daley	R.
"	"	John Wilson "	Irving W. Slack	D.
"	"	Wm. J. Coughlin "	Owen Cunningham	R.

Ward Two.

Precinct 1.

	Warden	Henry W. Pitman		R.
Deputy	"	Henry Richardson		R.
	Clerk	Charles W. Hopkins		D.
"	"	Frank W. Karn		D.
	Inspectators	George W. Sawson &	William T. Hayes	R.
	"	Charles E. O. Folsom "	Thomas A. Syons	D.
"	"	Frederic E. Wood "	J. Charles Marchant	R.
"	"	Patrick F. Hourly "	John W. Cremen	D.

Precinct 2.

	Warden	Charles D. Elliot		R.
Deputy	"	Frederic W. Stone		R.
	Clerk	Edward W. Doyle		D.
"	"	George C. French		D.
	Inspectators	Nathan T. Souther &	Benjamin F. Doten	R.
		Thomas J. McCormic "	Edward B. West	D.
"	"	Omer B. McLaughlin "	George W. Frost	R.
		John H. Cuddy "	Jeremiah B. McDonald	D.

Precinct 3.

	Warden	William A. Flaherty		D.
Deputy	"	Dennis F. Flynn		D.
	Clerk	Albert S. Haskell		R.
"	"	Charles C. Farrington		R.

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Inspectors	Leighton W. Manning &	Bernard J. McAlar	D.
	Charles A. Segalla	William Armstrong	R.
Deputy "	Frederick W. Hoffman	Daniel E. Monaghan	D.
	Fred W. Gilbert	Eli T. Millon	R.

Precinct 4.

Warden	James F. Henderson		D.
Deputy "	Patrick F. Healy		D.
Clerk	George A. Pratt		R.
" "	George E. Whitaker		R.
Inspectors	James E. McHugh &	Peter Powers	D.
	James A. McLane	Chas. A. Southwick	R.
" "	John A. Connell	Patrick H. Crakley	D.
	James McKay	Harvie R. Cummings	R.

Precinct 5.

Warden	David A. Sanborn		R.
Deputy "	William E. Whitney		R.
Clerk	John S. Jones		D.
" "	Timothy J. Kelley		D.
Inspectors	Charles A. Holmes &	Charles W. Trull	R.
	Emile J. Pichens	Charles E. Riley	D.
" "	Anson S. Tuttle	Harvie P. Buckham	R.
	Edward J. Larkin	John E. O'Riley	D.

Ward Three

Precinct 1.

Warden	Frederic A. Chandler		R.
Deputy "	Alvin E. Lowell		R.
Clerk	Charles H. Olber		D.
" "	Frank T. Carroll		D.
Inspectors	Henry E. Knapp &	Frank H. Lowell	R.
	James H. Gould	Cyrus H. Peirce	D.
" "	Charles E. Prichard	Calvin H. Whitney	R.
	John A. Laughlin	James F. Riley	D.

Precinct 2.

Warden	John H. Lussault		D.
Deputy "	James F. Sharkey		D.

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Clerk	Gardner W. King		R.
Deputy "	William A. Hall		R.
Inspectors	Edgar T. Mayhew &	William E. Perry	D.
	Edwin R. Perham	Henry B. Sellon	R.
" "	George H. Dodd	William J. Fermoyle	D.
	Fred Preston	George W. Foster	R.

Precinct 3

Warden	Wilfred B. Rich		R.
Deputy "	Charles E. Moore		R.
Clerk	Daniel J. Kenniff		D.
" "	Clarence D. Payson		D.
Inspectors	William C. Walker &	Eben S. Tracy	R.
	Edwin F. Sharkey	Charles P. Durgin	D.
" "	Thaddeus P. Irish	Edwin G. Heath	R.
	Otis H. Currier	John P. Downey	D.

Precinct 4

Warden	William F. Griffiths		D.
Deputy "	Joseph Sullaway		D.
Clerk	William P. Jones		R.
" "	Francis E. Robie		R.
Inspectors	Michael E. Ryan &	Albert D. Davenport	D.
	John Andrews	Luther B. Pillsbury	R.
" "	William H. Cotter	John A. Thayer Jr.	D.
	Alonzo B. Cushing	J. Harry White	R.

Ward Four

Precinct 1

Warden	James S. Lowell		R.
Deputy "	James B. David		R.
Clerk	George A. Gordon		D.
" "	Harry Gordon		D.
Inspectors	Enoch B. Jones &	Frank H. Robinson	R.
	John J. Quinlan	Edward T. O'Neil	D.
" "	Albert R. Kerr	Walter A. Chabot	R.
	Charles A. Kelley	Daniel W. McDermott	D.

Precinct 3

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	Warden	Frederick A. P. Fiske		R.
Deputy	"	Henry H. Freeman		R.
	Clerk	William C. Foster		D.
"	"	William P. Pitman		D.
	Inspectors	Frank H. Hitchcock &	Charles G. Brett	R.
		Patrick F. Mahoney "	John W. Finnon	D.
"	"	Frank Dondero "	Charles M. Hill	R.
		James M. Lynch "	John M. Schroeder	D.

Precinct 3.

	Warden	William McAllister		D.
Deputy	"	Albert C. Stacy		D.
	Clerk	Danforth S. Steele		R.
"	"	Elmer L. Glazier		R.
	Inspectors	George W. Trefren Jr. &	J. Russell Armington	D.
		D. Wallis Tucker "	William H. Barker	R.
"	"	Henry H. Fisher "	Edwin B. Bradshaw	D.
		George T. Rand "	Loring L. Wilder	R.

Precinct 4.

	Warden	Edgar F. Comee		D.
Deputy	"	Franklin A. Hobart		D.
	Clerk	Charles F. Bertwell		R.
"	"	Frank W. Dickey		R.
	Inspectors	Aura S. Trefren &	James J. Fenton	D.
		Edwin S. Burroughs "	Henry C. Fay Jr.	R.
"	"	William A. Mazzey "	Gustave Leuchte	D.
		Cyrus A. Reed "	Franklin E. Huntress	R.

Action deferred until after the expiration of not less than three nor more than seven days, as required by law.

Received the Report of the Chief of Police for the month of August,

Read and sent down for information.

Read for information by the Common Council Sept. 10th

Report Chief of Police August

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✓ Report Chief Eng. Fire Dept. August.

Received the report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department for the month of August.
Read and sent down for information
Read for information by the Common Council Sept. 10

✓ Petitions sundry minors licenses sell newspapers

Received petitions for licenses to sell newspapers, each signed by a parent of the proposed licensee, for the following named minors, -

Roy E. Foss	341 Washington Street	aged 9 years
George W. Hollis	90 Jaques "	" 14 "
Guy F. Kendall Jr.	46 Cedar "	" 10 "
Alexander M. Watt	8 Emerson "	" 14 "

All approved by the Chief of Police
Licenses granted.

✓ Petitions sundry persons licenses cry goods in streets

Received petitions for licenses to cry their goods in the streets, from

Robert J. Ferris	5 London Street
Asa S. Prichard	1 Beacon Street

both approved by the Chief of Police
Licenses granted

✓ Application Geo. M. Starbird permit build store Perkins street

Received an application from George M. Starbird, for a permit to build a one story wooden store for James Hanson at the corner of Perkins and Pinckney streets; - disapproved by the Inspector of Buildings
Permit refused.

✓ Application James Elston permit build stable Dickinson Street

Received an application from James Elston, for a permit to build a stable for 14 horses on Dickinson Street.
Referred to Committee on Building Permits

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Received a petition from Augusta & Gilman, for permission to keep 7 horses in their stable on George street Referred to Committee on Building Permits	Application ✓ Augusta & Gilman permit keep 7 horses stable George Street
Received a protest from Wm. S. Stearns, against the construction of a sewer in Hudson street, and announcing his intention of resisting assessments for such sewer Read for information	Protest ✓ Wm. S. Stearns Sewer Hudson Street
Received a petition from David A. Sanborn for a catch-basin at the junction of Prospect and Newton streets. Referred to Committee on Sewers	Petition ✓ David A. Sanborn catch-basin Prospect & Newton Sts
Received a protest from M. E. and Laura B. Hawes, against the placing of a sidewalk on Mills street opposite their premises Read for information	Protest ✓ M. E. & L. B. Hawes sidewalk Mills street
Received a demand from Mather E. and Laura B. Hawes for a hearing on the subject of the placing of edgestones in front of their estate on Mills street. Laid on the table	Demand ✓ M. E. & L. B. Hawes hearing sidewalk Mills street
Received a petition from Benjamin F. Wotton, for a sewer in Central street, so that the premises No 67 Central street can enter the same Referred to Committee on Sewers	Petition ✓ Benjamin F. Wotton Sewer Central Street
Received a petition from the West End Street Railway Company, for a location for a side track about 420 feet long on Broadway, as shown on plan presented. Referred to Committee on Highways	Petition ✓ West End St Ry Co location side track Broadway

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✓ Petition Som. Horse R.R. Co. locations turnouts Cross, Pearl & Medford Sts.	Received a petition from the Somerville Horse Railroad Company, for locations for turnouts, each about 200 feet long, as follows,- on Cross street at Webster street on Cross street near Flint street, on Pearl street near Walnut street on Medford street near Jenny Lind Avenue on Medford street near Sycamore street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
✓ Petition Thomas Kilmartin removal of tree 484 Medford Street.	Received a petition from Thomas Kilmartin, for the removal of a tree in front of his estate No 484 & 486 Medford street, corner of Partridge Avenue, as it overhangs the house to the damage of the same, he agreeing to furnish a tree or trees more suitable, to be set in its place. Referred to Committee on Highways.
✓ Petition Edward E. Williams edgestones Summer Street.	Received a petition from Edward E. Williams and others, for gravel sidewalks, with edgestones, on both sides of Summer street, from School street to land now or formerly of Foster near Laurel street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
✓ Petition Mullikin & Moore brick sidewalks Medford & Pearl Sts.	Received a petition from John E. A. Mullikin and George H. Moore for brick sidewalks, with edgestones on Medford and Pearl streets, to the end of their building, they agreeing to pay for the materials used. Referred to Committee on Highways with full powers. Reference concurred in by the Common Council, Sept. 10th.
✓ Petition Timothy F. Scannell driveway Tufts street.	Received a petition from Timothy F. Scannell for a driveway in front of his estate on the northeasterly side of Tufts street (the old chapel) at his expense. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

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Reference concurred in by the Common Council Sept. 10th.

Received a petition from T. F. Cummings, one of the owners of Connor Building, for a driveway in the sidewalk in Warren Avenue, at the rear of said building at their expense.

Petition T. F. Cummings driveway Warren Avenue

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Sept. 10.

Received a petition from Bernard Jacobson and others, for one electric light on James Street.

Petition Bernard Jacobson et al electric light James Street

Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Sept. 10th.

Received a petition from J. W. Cullen and others for two Incandescent lights on Claremon Street.

Petition J. W. Cullen et al Incandescent lights Claremon Street

Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Sept. 10th.

Order granting Building Permits

Order granting Building Permits

Ordered.

That upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave, if necessary, to encumber such portions of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants namely, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this

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order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	add + alteration	Street
Sylvester Woods	Ellen Murphy	1 dwelling		Webster Ave
"	John Keefe	1 "		Merriam
Wm K. Fletcher	A. S. Fletcher	1 "		Richdale Ave
"	" "	1 "		Lee
Wm E. Jones	Robt. Brown	1 "		cor Kinckley + Broadway
James Matthews	M. Hawkins	1 "		Durham
Chas. C. Emerson	Harry Walker	1 "		Raymond Ave
James E. Paul	J. E. Paul	1 "		Central
Geo. T. Willoughby	J. W. Brooks Est	1 "		Evergreen Ave
Smith + Donahue	H. C. Holt	8 "	new steeling	Marion to Wyatt
	Chas. F. Darling	1 store		349 Washington
Franklin Hathaway	Fulton O'Brien	1 "		Union Sq.
Wm Saulley	Nora Shea	shed		14 Bonair
Timothy Scannell	T. F. Scannell	"		Tufts
M. Robertson	F. M. Sadd	"		Autumn
John Cowhig	Mrs O'Neil	stable		Merriam

Adopted.

✓ Order laying out of Chandler St.

An order laying out Chandler street, from Park Avenue to Broadway, as recorded on pages 88 to 92, inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council Sept 10th.

Approved by the Mayor 17th of Sept. 1890.

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That the Committee on Buildings Permits, on the petition of John K. Ricker, for permission to erect a store house on Melrose street, reported an order

Accepted.

Report Com on Building Permits John K Ricker storehouse Melrose St.

The order accompanying the foregoing report is as follows,-

Ordered,-

That permission be granted to J. K. Ricker to erect a wooden building on Melrose street, said building to be of the dimensions of fifty feet by seventy feet and to be used as a storehouse

Adopted

Order permit to build John K. Ricker storehouse Melrose St.

The Committee on Sewers on petition of John Stackpole, for a drain layer's license, reported recommending leave to withdraw

Accepted.

Report Com on Sewers John Stackpole drain layer's license

The Committee on Sewers on the petitions of Willard S. Bryne and Alfred H. Hines, for drain layer's licenses, reported recommending that licenses be granted when the required bonds shall have been furnished.

Accepted.

Report Com on Sewers W S Bryne + A H Hines drain layer's licenses

Alderman Hennessey offered the following order

Ordered,-

That drain layer's licenses be issued to Willard S. Bryne and Alfred H. Hines, when they severally shall have filed bonds, with surety, in the sum of One Thousand Dollars, satisfactory to this board.

Adopted.

Order granting drain layer's licenses Willard S. Bryne Alfred H. Hines

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Report Com on Sewers proposals sewer Highland Avenue

The Committee on Sewers, in pursuance of an order of August 18th submitted the following list of proposals received to construct in Highland Avenue, from the sewer at Cherry street to the sewer at Cedar street, about 500 feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, with 1 manhole, the pipe to be furnished by the city.

Names of Bidders	Manhole	Rock separated per cu yard	Laying Sewer per lin. ft	Estimated aggregate
Richard Fahey	$50.00	—	$1.24	$670.00
Maurice Tenay	56.00	—	1.05	581.00
Chas A. Morgans	50.00	—	6.90	500.00
Christopher Burke	43.00	—	0.83	458.00
Dennis C. Collins	46.00	—	0.86	446.00
A. H. Bryne	55.00	—	0.70	405.00

and recommends that the contract be awarded to A. H. Bryne.

Accepted.

Order Com on Sewers make contract for sewer Highland Avenue

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order:

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized to make a contract with A. H. Bryne, for the construction of a common sewer in Highland Avenue, from the sewer in Highland Avenue at Cherry street to the sewer in Highland Avenue at Cedar Street, at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 18th.

Report Com on Sewers proposals sewers Brooks + Meacham Street B + Thorndike St.

The Committee on Sewers, in pursuance of an order of August 27th, submitted the following list of proposals received to construct in Brook street, Private Ways, Meacham Street, Street B. and Thorndike street, from the manhole in Lover street northwesterly to street C. - about 770 feet of 15-inch 250 feet of 12-inch, 350 feet of 10-inch and 115 feet of 8-inch

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pipe sewer, with 6 manholes, the pipe to be furnished by the City

Names of Bidders	Manholes	Laying 15 in. Sewer per lin. ft.	Laying 12 in. Sewer per lin. ft.	Laying 10 in. Sewer per lin. ft.	Laying 8 in. Sewer per lin. ft.	Estimated Aggregate
	$	$	$	$	$	$
D. G. Collins	38.00	0.75	0.60	0.54	0.49	1,200.85
Maurice Ruttimer	38.00	0.60	0.56	0.45	0.40	1,018.50
C. A. Morgan	40.00	0.48	0.50	0.40	0.40	926.60
Maurice Fenn	42.00	0.37	0.37	0.36	0.34	794.50
Richard Fahey	33.00	0.39	0.37	0.37	0.36	761.70
A. W. Bryne	35.00	0.40	0.40	0.30	0.25	751.75
Edward Fitzgerald	34.50	0.35	0.33	0.33	0.30	709.00
Christopher Burke	34.00	0.33	0.37	0.32	0.30	697.10

and recommended that the contract be awarded to Christopher Burke

Accepted.

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order

Ordered.-

That the Committee on Sewers, be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Christopher Burke for the construction of a common sewer in Brooks street, Private Ways, Meacham street, street B. and Thorndike street, from the manhole in Elm street northwesterly to street C. at the prices named in his proposals submitted in said committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 18th.

Order. Com. on Sewers. make contract sewer Brooks & Meacham St. B. & Thorndike St.

The Committee on Sewers, in pursuance of an order of August 27th, submitted the following list of proposals received to construct in Meacham street and street C. from the manhole at street B. westerly to street C. and through street C. northwesterly to street B, - about 180 feet of 10 inch pipe sewer, and 400 feet of 8-inch pipe sewer, with 2 manholes, the pipe to be furnished by the city:-

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Names of Bidders	Manholes	Laying 12 in. Sewer per lin ft.	Laying 8 in. Sewer per lin foot	Estimated Aggregate.
Maurice Kuttimer	$ 39.00	$ 0.57	$ 0.55	$ 400.66
Thomas L. Collins	39.00	0.49	0.45	346.20
Chas A. Morgan	38.00	0.48	0.46	322.40
Richard Fahey	35.00	0.39	0.37	288.20
Maurice Terry	42.00	0.35	0.34	283.00
A. W. Bryne	38.00	0.40	0.33	280.00
Christopher Burke	37.00	0.35	0.32	265.00
Edward Fitzgerald	34.50	0.33	0.30	248.40

and recommended that the contract be awarded to Edward Fitzgerald.

Accepted.

✓ Order Com. on Sewers make contract for sewer Meacham st. + Street C.

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Sewers, be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Edward Fitzgerald, for the construction of a common sewer in Meacham street and street C. from the manhole at street B. westerly to street C. and through street C. northwesterly to street B. at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 13th.

✓ Report Com. on Sewers proposals sewers Street A.

The Committee on Sewers in pursuance of an order of August 27th, submitted the following list of proposals received, to construct in street A. from the manhole in Meacham street, - about 170 feet of 8 inch pipe sewer, with 1 manhole, - the pipe to be furnished by the City:-

Names of Bidders	Manhole	Rock excavated per cu yard	Laying Sewer per lin foot	Estimate Aggregate
Maurice Kuttimer	$ 40.00	——	$ 0.60	$ 125.00
A. W. Bryne	40.00	——	0.40	108.00
Chas. A. Morgan	40.00	——	0.40	108.00

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Maurice Tivy	$44.00	——	$0.37	$166.90
James B. Collins	37.00	——	0.40	185.00
Richard Falvey	35.00	——	0.37	97.66
Christopher Burke	37.00	——	0.35	96.50
Edward Fitzgerald	34.50	——	0.33	96.66

Accepted.

Order Com. on Sewers make contract sewer Street A.

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order.

Ordered.

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Edward Fitzgerald, for the construction of a common sewer in Street A from the manhole in Merchant St. at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 13th.

Report Com. on Sewers proposals sewer Evergreen Avenue

The Committee on Sewers, in pursuance of an order of August 27th submitted the following list of proposals received to construct in Evergreen Avenue, from Thurston street southwesterly about 170 feet of 10-inch pipe sewer, with one manhole, the pipe to be furnished by the City:-

Names of Bidders	Manhole	Rock excavated per cu. yards	Laying sewer per lin. foot	Estimated Aggregate
Maurice Bettimer	$45.00	——	$0.78	$177.60
Richard Falvey	40.00	——	0.75	187.50
Chas. A. Morgan	45.00	——	0.66	147.66

and have recommended that the contract be awarded to Charles A. Morgan.

Accepted.

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Order
Com. on Sewers
make contract sewer
Evergreen Avenue

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Charles A. Morgan, for the construction of a common sewer in Evergreen Avenue, from the sewer in Thurston street northwesterly at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 13th.

President Hemenway presiding.

Order
granting locations
N. E. Tel. + Tel. Co.
Beacon Street.

agreement filed Sept. 23/90

Alderman Kimball offered an order granting locations to the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for poles and wires in Beacon Street, as recorded on page 8 of volume 10 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving of Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Report
Comm. Highways
Mark Laighton
permit set hitching post
8 Benedict St.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Mark Laighton, for permission to set a hitching post in front of his premises No. 8 Benedict Street, reported an order.

Accepted.

Order
permit set hitching post
Mark Laighton
8 Benedict St.

The order accompanying the foregoing report is as follows,

Ordered,-

That permission be granted to Mark Laighton to set a hitching post, at his expense, in front of his residence No. 8 Benedict street.

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Adopted.

The Committee on Highways on the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts, for locations for poles and wires in Hathorn street, and Arlington street, reported an order for a hearing.

Report Com. on Highways N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. locations Hathorn & Arlington sts.

Adopted

The order accompanying the following report is as follows:-

Order hearing locations N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. Hathorn & Arlington sts.

Whereas:-

The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts, by its general manager, Jasper N. Keller, has petitioned this board for leave to locate poles and wires in the following named streets to wit;- Hathorn street four poles & Arlington street two poles, it is therefore

Ordered:-

That this Board meet at its room in City Hall in said Somerville on Wednesday the eighth day of October 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 interested to the end there appear by publishing a copy of this order in the Somerville Journal, a newspaper published in said Somerville, at least fourteen days before the time of said meeting, and that a like copy be given The New England Telephone & Telegraph Company of Massachusetts or some officer or agent thereof at least fourteen days before said meeting; and the City Clerk is hereby ordered to cause said notices to be given as aforesaid

Adopted

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Report Com. on Highways Som. Electric Light Co. sundry locations Agreement filed Oct 8/90.	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of the Somerville Electric Light Company for locations for poles and wires in Allen, Durham, Hanson, Hawkins, Lake, Murdock, Parker, Sacramento and Skehan streets and Fairmount, Frost, Linden and Nevada Avenue, - reported an order. Accepted.
Order granting sundry locations Som Electric Light Co.	The order accompanying the foregoing report, granting locations to the Somerville Electric Light Company, for poles and wires in the several streets and avenues named in said report, is recorded on page 7 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville Adopted.
Report Com. on Highways Annie Hazlett removal of tree 13 Rush Street.	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Annie Hazlett for the removal of a tree in front of her residence No 13 Rush Street, - the same being so large as to make the house too dark, - reported an order. Accepted.
Order Com. on Highways remove tree 13 Rush Street.	The order accompanying the following report is as follows, Ordered, - That the Committee on Highways be and are hereby authorized to remove a tree standing in front of the estate of Annie Hazlett, No 13 Rush street, the expense of the same to be charged to Highways Account. Read twice and adopted. Approved by the Mayor Sept. 13th.

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Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the southwesterly side of Medford street, from School street to Central Street, to be of the width of eight and 7/12 feet, - as recorded on page 75 of Volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks-Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 13th

Order construction sidewalk Medford Street.

The Committee on Highways on the petition of J. H. Stevens and others, for gravel sidewalks, with edgestones on both sides of Chandler street, from Park Avenue to William street, reported an order of notice for a hearing.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways J. H. Stevens + others edgestones Chandler Street.

The order of notice, accompanying the foregoing report, for a hearing on the construction of a gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, on the westerly side of Chandler street, from Park Avenue to the northeasterly side line of the estate of Amy W. Bailey, is recorded on page 97 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

Adopted

Order of Notice for hearing construction sidewalk Chandler Street.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Thomas W. Tuttle and others, for a brick sidewalk on the southwesterly side of Prescott street, reported an order of notice for a hearing.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways Thos. W. Tuttle + others brick sidewalk - easterly side Prescott St.

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Order of Notice for hearing construction sidewalk Prescott Street

The order of notice accompanying the foregoing report for a hearing on the construction of a brick sidewalk, the edgestones being already set, on the southeasterly side of Prescott street from Summer Street to Highland Avenue, is recorded on page 101 of volume 1 of the Records of Highways-Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Report Com. on Highways, completion of sundry sidewalks

The Committee on Highways, reported that in pursuance of orders dated May 28th and June 25th sidewalks have been constructed as follows;-

in Evergreen Avenue, both sides, from School street to Thurston street, with edgestone and covered with gravel,

in Howe street, both sides, from School street to Marshall street, with edgestones and covered with gravel,

in Tufts street, northeasterly side, from Washington street to Cross street, with bricks,- the edgestones having been already set,

in Virginia street, both sides, from Aldrich Street to Jasper street, with edgestones and covered with gravel,

and submitted lists of assessments, with warrants and orders for their collection.

Accepted.

Assessments for sidewalks Evergreen Avenue Howe Street Tufts Street Virginia Street

The lists of assessments, with warrants and orders, submitted with the foregoing report, for sidewalks in

Evergreen Avenue
Howe Street
Tufts Street and
Virginia Street

are recorded respectively, on pages 93-96, 97-100, 101-104, and 105-108, of Volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalk Assessments, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted

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Alderman Souther offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the Highway Committee are requested to remove a tree on Hedford Street, corner of Adams in front of estate of Amos Keyes.

Referred to Committee on Highways with full powers.

Order removal of tree Hedford St. cor Adams

Alderman Kimball offered an order, for a hearing on the petition of the West End Street Railway Company for a location for a side track in Broadway, as recorded on page 216 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Order hearing West End St. Ry Co. location side track Broadway.

Alderman Kimball offered an order for a hearing on the petition of the Somerville Horse Railroad Company for locations for turnouts in Cross street, in Pearl street and Hedford street, as recorded on page 208 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Order hearing Som. Horse Railroad locations turnouts Cross, Pearl & Hedford Streets.

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.

Whereas - an order of the Board of Aldermen was passed August 18, 1890, to licence the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts to erect posts in certain locations, as in said order more particularly described, and whereas it is provided in said order that all such posts shall be, if not more than fifteen inches in diameter at the point where they leave the ground, now therefore the said order is so modified that said posts may be erected to be of not more than twenty inches in diameter at the point, where they leave the ground, provided that within

Order modifying order Aug. 18 granting location to N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.

acceptance of modification filed Sept. 22-1890.

agreement, under order as modified, filed Oct. 6/90

see pages 14, 31, 59.

two weeks from the passage of this order the said Company shall notify the City Clerk in behalf of the City that it consents to said modification of the Order of August 18, and accepts the said modification.

Adopted.

Report Com. on Public Property. Proposals. Jaques Street

The Committee on Public Property, under an order of July 7th, submitted the following list of proposals received, to erect an eight-room brick schoolhouse to be located on the City's land on Jaques street, in accordance with plans and specifications made by Mess. Loring and Phipps.

David J. McKim & Co.	$39.797.00
W. S. Clark & Co.	36.735.00
F. T. Fuller	36.735.00
T. S. Brown	36.472.00
M. Gillycuddy Bros.	36.445.00
Kelley & McKinnon	36.192.00
T. F. Farrington	36.115.00
George M. Stanford	34.872.00
James McNeil	32.545.00
J. B. Wilson	32.506.00
H. M. Myers	29.409.00

and reported an order

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Sept 10th

Order Com. on Public Property make contract for Schoolhouse Jaques Street.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows:-

That the Committee on Public Property be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with J. B. Wilson, for the sum of Thirty-two thousand five hundred dollars for the construction of an eight-room brick schoolhouse to be located on the City's land on Jaques street, in accordance with plans and specifications made by Mess. Loring and Phipps, the expense of the same to be charged to Schoolhouse

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in Wards Three Accounts, provided however that said Wilson will construct concrete walks to said schoolhouse to the satisfaction of said committee and said architect.

Read twice. Amended by adding the words "and provided also that the said Wilson shall furnish a bond, with sureties, satisfactory to the Committee, in the sum of $8.000. for the proper fulfillment of the terms of the contract." As amended adopted and sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council Sept. 10. As amended read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 13th

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Order
Com. on Public Property
secure polling places for elections

Ordered.

That the Committee on Public Property be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to secure suitable polling places for the elections to be held in this city November 4th and December 2nd and to report a list thereof to this Board at its next regular meeting; any expense that may be incurred under this order to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 13th

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

Order
Common Public Property
hire store for schools
Elm & Winter sts

Ordered.

That the Committee on Public Property be authorized to hire, by lease or otherwise, from Lucund Jones the store on the corner of Elm and Winter streets, West Somerville, or such other school accommodations for such time and on such terms as to them shall seem proper.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council September 10th. Read twice and adopted in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 13th.

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Report Com. Fire Dept. hose purchased

The Committee on Fire Department reports that under an order of May 14th, one thousand feet of hose has been purchased, at a cost of $770.00, and placed in service

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Sept. 10th.

Order Common Fire Dept. exchange horse.

Alderman Conner offered the following order:

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Fire Department be and are hereby authorized to exchange a horse now used on the Hook and Ladder Truck No-1, (the horse in question being unfit for service) the expense of said change to be charged to Fire Department Account.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence Sept. 10th.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 13th.

Report Com. on Water new cart purchased

The Committee on Water, reported that by authority of an order dated June 25th a seven hundred and thirty gallon water cart has been purchased of the Studebaker Bros. Manfg. Company of South Bend, Indiana, at a cost of $465.00, and placed in service.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Sept. 10th.

Report Com. on Water use of horses of Fire Dept.

The Committee reported that under an order of June 25th a conference has been held with the Committee on Fire Department concerning the advisability of using the Fire Department horses in watering the streets in the vicinity of the several stations of the department, and that it is deemed inexpedient to so use them.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

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Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Sept. 16th.

Report Com. on Finance Water Board further appropriation Water Works Extension

That Committee on Finance, on the request of the Water Board for a further appropriation of Eight thousand dollars for Water Works Extension, reported an order

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Sept. 16th.

Order Com. on Finance borrow on funded debt $8000.00 Water Works Extension

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows;-

Ordered:-

That for the purpose of providing for the cost of a further extension of the Water Works of the City, the sum of eight thousand dollars be and is hereby appropriated, and the Committee on Finance are hereby authorized to borrow the said sum for a term not exceeding thirty years from the first day of October 1890, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized under the direction of said Committee to issue a bond or bonds of the City for the same.

Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage, by unanimous yea and nay votes, - more than two thirds of the members being present and voting. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council Sept. 16. Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by unanimous yea and nay votes, - more than two thirds of the members being present, and voting in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 16th.

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Order
Com on Finance
borrow on funded debt
$ 39,000.00
renewal
City Loan Bonds

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order

Ordered:

That for the purpose of providing in part for the payment of City Loan Bonds, No 576 to 646 and 914 to 918 inclusive the sum of Thirty nine thousand dollars be and is hereby appropriated, and the Committee on Finance are hereby authorized to borrow the said sum for a term not exceeding twelve years from the first day of October 1890, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized under the direction of said Committee to issue a bond or bonds of the City for the same.

Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by unanimous yea and nay vote, more than two-thirds of the members being present and voting. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council Sept. 10 - Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by unanimous yea and nay votes, in concurrence, more than two-thirds of the members being present and voting.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 10th.

Order
Com on Finance
borrow on temporary loans
$50,000.00
current expenses

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order

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 moneys collected for said taxes, to be approved by the Mayor.

Received its first reading and, under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by unanimous

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yeas and nays votes. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council Sept 10. Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by unanimous yeas and nays votes, in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 10th.

The order offered, and upon which action was postponed, Aug 27th authorizing the Committee on Public Property to make a contract with James McNeil 509 Columbia Avenue, Boston, for the erection of a school-house at the corner of Boston and Washington streets, Ward Two, in accordance with plans by Loring and Phipps, and at the price named in said McNeil's bid submitted in said committee's report Aug 27th, was taken from the table.

Order ✓
Com on Public Property
make contract schoolhouse
Boston & Washington Sts.
Ward 2.

Received its second reading and final passage. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council Sept. 10th Read twice and adopted in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 17

The order offered, and on which action was postponed Aug 27th requesting the Committee on Highways to purchase, for public weighing, two platform scales, at a cost not exceeding four hundred and fifty dollars, to be charged to Miscellaneous Account, the scales to be located in or near Union and Blackstone Squares, - was taken up for action and was

Said upon the table

Order ✓
purchase of scales
for public weighing

Received from the Common Council the following order;

Ordered.-

That the Committee on Public Property be authorized to contract for suitable walks and areas about the Hancock and Horace Schools, to be covered with concrete

Order ✓
concrete walks & areas
Tufts & Horace Schools

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or other suitable materials, at an expence of not over five hundred dollars, the sum so expended to be charged to Schoolhouse Incidentals.

In Common Council Sept. 10. Read twice and adopted and sent up for concurrence.

In Board of Aldermen Sept. 10. Read and action postponed until the next meeting.

Adjournment.

On motion of Alderman Souther it was voted that when the board adjourns it adjourn until Wednesday Sept. 17th at 8 O'clock P.M.

Adjourned

Attest

George F. Vincent
Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville Sept 17 1890 8 10 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Edmands, Hemenway, Souther, and Sanborn present.

On the appointments of Election Officers, made by the Mayor at the last meeting, the Mayor stated that Mr. Frank H Kaan, who was appointed as a Democrat, Deputy Clerk for Ward 2, Precinct 1 had since informed him, verbally, and also the City Clerk, in writing, that he is not a Democrat but a Republican, and he is therefore ineligible for the appointment.

The appointment of Frank H Kaan as Deputy Clerk for Ward 2, Precinct 1, was therefore rejected, and all other of the said appointments were confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Appointment Election Officers

Received an application from Elva A. Snow, for a permit to enlarge a stable owned by her at 42 Derby street, now used for two horses, so that it will accommodate seven horses.

Referred to Committee on Building Permits.

Application Elva A. Snow enlarge stable house Derby Street.

Received an application from John K. Thompson for a permit to build a stable for seven horses for Timothy Keefe, on Linwood street near Poplar Street.

Referred to Committee on Building Permits.

Application John K. Thompson for Timothy Keefe build stable for horses Linwood Street.

Received a petition from Wilbur P Rice, for permission to build a sewer in Porter street, from Highland Avenue to Mountain Avenue, under city inspection.

Petitioner given leave to withdraw.

Petition Wilbur P. Rice permission build sewer Porter Street.

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Drain Layer's Bond
Willard S. Bryne

Received a Drain Layer's Bond in due form and in the sum of One thousand Dollars, signed by Willard S. Bryne as principal and Ebenezer S. Atwood of Somerville as surety.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Sewers proposals Lowell & Hudson Street

The Committee on Sewers, under an order of August 27th, submitted the following list of proposals received to construct (for house drainage only) in Lowell street from the manhole in Albion street, southwesterly, about 240 feet of 8-inch pipe sewer, to Hudson street, and thence in Hudson street easterly, about 1000 feet of 8 inch pipe sewer, with 4 man holes, the pipe to be furnished by the City.

Names of Bidders	Manhole	Laying 240 ft of sewer per lin foot	Laying 1000 ft sewer per lin foot	Estimated Aggregate
	$	$	$	$
Chas. A. Morgan	52.00	1.10	0.75	1.222.00
Richard Falvey	42.00	0.77	0.72	1.072.80
Christopher Burke	46.00	0.70	0.65	1.002.00
Dennis C. Collins	47.63	0.67	0.61	961.32
A. W. Bryne	45.00	0.75	0.60	960.00
Maurice Buttimer	45.00	0.65	0.60	986.00

Also the following list of proposals received to construct, in Hudson street, from the center of Lowell street, westerly, about 1150 feet of 8-inch pipe sewer, with 4 manholes, the pipe to be furnished by the city.

Names of Bidders	Manhole	Laying sewer per lin foot	Estimated Aggregate
	$	$	$
Charles A. Morgan	49.00	0.78	1.095.00
A. W. Bryne	50.00	0.70	1.005.00
Richard Falvey	41.00	0.69	957.50
Christopher Burke	41.00	0.65	911.50
Dennis C. Collins	46.00	0.63	908.50
Maurice Buttimer	56.00	0.59	878.00

and reported an order.

Accepted

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Order Com on Sewers make contract sewer Lowell & Hudson Sts

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows,-

Ordered.-

That the Committee on Sewers, be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make contracts as follows,- with Maurice Buttimer for the construction of a common sewer (for house drainage only) in Lowell street, from the manhole in Albion street, southeasterly about 240 feet to Hudson street, and thence in Hudson street easterly about 1010 feet. and with Maurice Buttimer for the construction of a common sewer (for house drainage only) in Hudson street, from the centre of Lowell street westerly about 1150 feet, at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 17th.

Report Com on Sewers proposals Hudson Street

The Committee on Sewers under an order of August 27th, submitted the following list of proposals received to construct (for house drainage only) in Hudson street, from the manhole in Central street northwesterly, about 350 feet of 8-inch pipe sewer, with 1 manhole, the pipe to be furnished by the City.

Names of Bidders	Manhole	Laying Sewer per Lin. foot.	Estimated Aggregate
Chas. A. Morgan	$45.00	$0.75	$307.50
Richard Falvey	38.00	0.65	265.00
A. H. Bryant	45.00	0.60	255.00
Maurice Buttimer	45.00	0.59	257.00
Lemuel L. Collins	37.73	0.58	242.73
Christopher Burke	41.00	0.50	216.00

and reported an order

Accepted.

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✓ Order Com. on Sewers make contract sewer Hudson Street.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows, -

Ordered, -

That the Committee on Sewers, be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Christopher Burke for the construction of a common sewer in Cedar Street from the manhole in Albion street southerly about 214 feet, and in Hudson street easterly about 220 feet, at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 17th.

✓ Report Com. on Sewers proposals Cedar & Hudson St.

The Committee on Sewers under an order of August 27th, submitted the following list of proposals received to construct, in Cedar street from the manhole at Albion street southerly, about 214 feet of 12-inch pipe sewer to Hudson street, and in Hudson street easterly, about 220 feet of 8-inch pipe sewer, with two manholes, the pipe to be furnished by the City.

Names of Bidders	Manholes	laying 12 in pipe sewer per lin foot	laying 8 in pipe sewer per lin foot.	Estimated Aggregate
	$	$	$	$
Chas. A. Mongan	48.00	0.75	0.70	426.20
Lennie G. Collins	45.00	0.67	0.60	369.38
Maurice Buttimer	46.00	0.67	0.58	342.48
Richard Falvey	40.00	0.60	0.59	341.15
A. H. Bryne	46.00	0.55	0.65	331.45
Christopher Burke	39.00	0.49	0.53	302.11

And reported on order

Accepted.

✓ Order Com. on Sewers make contract sewer Cedar & Hudson St.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows, -

Ordered, -

That the Committee on Sewers, be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Christopher

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Burke for the construction of a common sewer (for house drainage only) in Hudson street from the manhole in Central street northwesterly about 350 feet, at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 17th

Aldermen Hemenway offered an order of assessment upon Joseph F. Wilson for benefit derived from the sewer in Highland Avenue, as recorded on page 100 of volume 1 of the Records of Sewer Assessments, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Sewer Assessment
Joseph F. Wilson
Highland Ave.

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order

Ordered:-

That the sum of seventy six 26/100 dollars assessed to the Heirs of Wm. Stearns, being the amount assessed to them on lot No 8 on plan, as their proportional part of the cost of constructing a common sewer in Highland Avenue, be and same is hereby abated to them, and re-assessed to the Heirs of James H. Stearns.

Adopted.

Order
assessment sewer assess
Highland Ave.
Heirs of Wm. Stearns
to Heirs of Jas. H. Stearns

On motion of Alderman Hemenway the two orders passed at the last meeting for hearings on the petition of the West End Street Railway Company for a location for a side track in Broadway and the petition of the Somerville Horse Railroad Company for locations for turnouts in Cross, Park and Medford streets, were reconsidered.

On motion of the same Alderman the said orders were amended by striking out the words 24th September and inserting 8th October, as the date for the hearing.

As thus amended the orders were adopted.

Orders
hearings
West End St. Ry. Co.
Som. Horse R.R. Co.
locations

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Petition Hudson & Lewis permit to blast rock Wesley Street.	Received a petition from Hudson & Lewis for a permit to blast rock in excavating for a cellar in Wesley street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition Geo. H. Derby & others brick sidewalk Highland Ave.	Received a petition from George H. Derby and others for a brick sidewalk on the southerly side of Highland Avenue from Central Street to Trull Lane. Referred to Committee on Highways.
	Adjourned

Attest.

George F. Vincent
Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen,
City Hall,
Somerville, Sept. 24, 1890, 8 P.M.

His Honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Records of previous

Alderman Kimball offered the following order

Ordered,-

That a message be sent to the common council, requesting a convention of the two branches of the city council in the common council chamber this evening, for the purpose of giving hearings for all persons desiring to object in the matters of taking land for sewers in Lincoln Avenue and South Street, in pursuance of orders for such hearings passed August 18th and 19th.

Adopted and Alderman Kimball appointed a messenger to convey the request to the Common Council.

In Common Council Sept. 24 Request granted and Councilman Higgins appointed a messenger to convey the information to the Board of Aldermen.

Order
Convention for hearing taking land for sewers Lincoln Avenue South Street

In Convention of the City Council

Convention

His Honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson, and Sanborn. President Osgood and Councilmen Hammond, Barber, Nickerson, Jones, Caswell, Willey, Higgins, Butters and McLean present.

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Hearings taking of land for Sewers Lincoln Avenue South Street

In pursuance of orders passed Aug. 18th and 14th and this evening, hearings were given on the taking of land for the purposes of common sewers on Lincoln Avenue and South Street, (all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Returns recorded on pages 99 and 91 of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville) as follows,-

on Lincoln Avenue, Catherine Lathmore and Augusta M. Stilphen objected to being assessed for the proposed sewer, because their estates had already been assessed for George Street, and Lincoln Street sewers respectively.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, the hearing was closed.

on South Street,-

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, the hearing was closed.

Convention dissolved

The purposes for which it was assembled having been accomplished the convention was dissolved and the Mayor and Aldermen returned to their chamber.

Board of Aldermen

In Board of Aldermen

His honor, Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmunds, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Hearings Sidewalks Chauncey Ave. Church Street Preston " School "

In pursuance of orders passed August 18th, all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Returns recorded on pages 82, 86, 90 and 94 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville hearings were given on the construction of sidewalks in Chauncey

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Avenue, westerly side, from Jaques street northerly, Church street, easterly side, from Somerville Ave. to Summer street; Preston street, both sides, from School street to Summer street, & School street, easterly side, from Somerville Avenue to Summer street.

No person interested appearing and desiring to be heard in either case, the hearings were closed.

As the appointment of Theodore E. Heron as a Police Patrolman for the probationary term of six months will expire Sept. 26th, the Mayor made said appointment from and after that date, permanent under the provisions of ordinance No. 18 and the Civil Service Laws; and the Mayor's action was confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Appointment (permanent) Theodore E. Heron Police Patrolman

Received a remonstrance from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department that appointments be made as follows:-

James Wallace McDonald, John Dorsey and Elisha Grant, call-members of Hose Company No. 1, to fill vacancies;-

and

James D. Ferguson, Charles W. Ferguson and Louis L. Bently, call-members of Hose Company No. 3, to fill vacancies.

The appointments recommended were made by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Appointment call members Fire Department

Received petitions, each signed by a parent of the proposed licensee, that licenses to sell newspapers, under the provision of ordinance No. 43, be granted to the following-named minors:-

James G. Deegan,	119 Heath street,	Aged	13
Frederick E. Dowling	278 Elm "	"	15
Herbert W. Estabrook	39 Sycamore "	"	13
Joseph F. Hopkins	566 Somerville Avenue	"	13
Albert Ramsey	564 " "	"	10

All approved by the Chief of Police

Petitions sundry persons licenses sell newspapers

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Licenses granted.

✓ Petitions sundry persons licenses to cry goods in streets

Received petitions for licenses to cry their goods in the streets from

Patrick Cahill, 26 Harvey Street No Cambridge
James Donin, 567 Somerville Ave Somerville

both approved by the Chief of Police.

Licenses granted.

✓ Applications Thos. F. Farrington permit build stable & coal shed for Mulliken & Moore Pearl St.

Received applications from Thomas F. Farrington, for permits to build a stable for four horses and a coal shed, on land of Mess, Mulliken and Moore on Pearl Street.

Referred to Committee on Building Permits.

✓ Petition Chas. H. Bradbury 6th class liquor lic. 55 Elm St.

Received a petition from Charles H. Bradbury, for a sixth class liquor license at his drug store, No 55 Elm Street.

Referred to Committee on Licenses.

✓ Petition John K. Licker permit stationary engine Melrose Street.

Received a petition from John K. Licker, for permission to use a fifteen horse power, stationary engine, in a building to be erected on Melrose street.

Referred to Committee on Fire Department.

✓ Order Hearing John K. Licker Stationary Engine Melrose Street.

Attached to the foregoing petition was the following order,

Ordered.

That fourteen days notice be given by the petitioner to all parties interested, that this Board will on Wednesday the 22nd day of October at 8 o'clock P.M., at its room in the City Hall, take into consideration the expediency of granting the prayer of the above petition, at which time any parties, who object thereto, may appear and be heard. Said notice is to be given by publication of a copy of said petition and this order thereon in the Somerville Citizen.

Adopted.

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Received a petition from Mary E. Jones for an abatement of her sewer assessment on Munroe street, as the sewer is not near the house that is upon her land.
Referred to Committee on Sewers.

Petition
Mary E. Jones
abatement sewer assessment
Munroe Street

Received notices from Laura A. Haley, and Thomas S. Wentworth, by their attorneys, Herbert and Quincy, of their intention to apply for a jury to determine whether the assessments laid on their respective estates on Broadway corner of School street and Broadway corner of Dartmouth street, or any part thereof, should be paid by them.
Referred to Committee on Sewers.

Notices
Laura A. Haley
Thos. S. Wentworth
intention apply for jury
sewer assessments
Broadway

Received a petition from Mercy K. Sanborn, that edgestones be set on the northeasterly side of Jaques street, from Chauncey Avenue to Wheatland street, - the cost of the edgestones to be paid by the petitioners.
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
Reference concurred in by the Common Council Sept. 24th.

Petition
Mercy K. Sanborn
edgestone
Jaques Street

Received a petition from Charles C. Allen, for the moving of a driveway in front of his estate on the east side of Prescott street, near Summer street to a more convenient point in front of the same estate, at his expense.
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
Reference concurred in by the Common Council Sept. 24th.

Petition
Charles C. Allen
moving of driveway
Prescott Street

Received a petition from John K. Hall and others, for a crossing across Broadway, from the southerly side of Mt. Pleasant St.
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
Reference concurred in by the Common Council Sept. 24th.

Petition
John K. Hall & others
crossing
Broadway & Mt. Pleasant

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✓ Order granting Building Permits

Order granting Building Permits

Ordered,

That upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further lines, if necessary, to number such portions of the Street and Sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of applicant	Owner of land	New Erection	Add or Alteration	Street
Ernest H. Putman	A. Larson	1 dwelling		Otis
Stephen H. Lewis	S. H. Lewis	1 "		Pearl
Hudson & Lewis	Hudson & Lewis	1 "		Wesley
S. & L. H. Williams	S. & L. H. Williams	1 "		Amee
" "	Geo. E. Wyman	1 "		Avon
James M. Andrews	J. M. Andrews	1 "		Shawmut Ave
Andrew J. Simonson	Malcolm Smith	1 "		Smith Ave
John Elston	J. Elston	1 "		Dickerson
Geo. E. Ricker	E. N. Sellick	1 "		Chandler
Augustus F. Dickson	A. F. Dickson	1 "		Wesley
Geo. M. Starbird	L. E. Nickerson	2 "		Franklin
Jacob H. Wilber	J. H. Wilber	3 "		Holland W
" "	" "	4 "		Nashua
" "	" "	4 "		Lawrence
" "	" "	13 "		Lincoln
Moses K. Norwood	L. F. Brown	1 apartment House		Oak
	Joseph Silva	Stable		Beach Ave
M. Giglio	Peter Gaidi	"	one cellar	29 Ward
John F. Elkins	J. F. Elkins	raise and move forward house		Maple

Adopted.

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Orders for the taking of land for the purposes of common sewers in Lincoln Avenue from George Street to near Lincoln Street, and in South Street, from Harding Street easterly about 300 feet, - and recorded respectively on pages 100 to 104 inclusive and 92 to 96 inclusive, of volume 1, of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Somerville.

Orders taking land for sewers Lincoln Ave. South Street.

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence Sept. 24th.

Approved by the Mayor Sept. 26.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Order revoking licenses sell newspapers

Ordered: -

That the licenses granted by this board to John S. Danehy, Fred Frazier, Roland W. French, and Charles F. McDonald, to sell newspapers under the provisions of ordinance No. 43 be and they are hereby revoked, the said licensees having failed to call for their badges

Adopted.

The Committee on Building Permits, on petitions for permits to build wooden stables, - from

Report Com. on Building Permits sundry petitions build and use stables for more than four horses

Timothy F. Cummings, - one for twelve horses on Maple Street,

James Elston, - one for fourteen horses on Dickenson street,

Elva A. Snow, - to enlarge one now used for two so as to accommodate seven horses at 42 Derby Street.

J. V. Steele, - one 65 x 35 ft, with sheds 22 x 90 ft. on Sinwood street.

John R. Thompson, - for McCarthy Bros, - one for seven horses on Sinwood street, and the petition of

Augusta W. Gilman, for permission to keep seven horses in their stable on George street; -

reported an order

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Accepted.

Order granting permits sundry persons build and use stables for more than four horses

The orders submitted with the foregoing report is as follows,

Ordered,

That the City Clerk be and is hereby authorized and instructed to issue permits as follows,-

To Timothy F. Cummings to erect a wooden stable on Maple street 36 x 40 for twelve horses.

To James Elston, to erect a wooden stable on Dickinson street 22 x 36 for fourteen horses.

To Elva A. Snow to enlarge a stable now used for two horses so as to accomodate seven horses at 42 Derby Street.

To J. V. Steele, to erect a stable and sheds on land in rear of Linwood street (stable to be 65 x 35 and sheds 22 x 90)

To John H. Thompson for H. Brathy Bros. a stable for seven horses on Linwood street, near Poplar street 20 x 40

To Augusta E. Gilman to keep seven horses in their stables on George Street.

Adopted.

Report Comm. on Sewers R. E. Coulter et al taking land for sewer Cutter Ave.

The Committee on Sewers, on the petition of Richard E. Cutter and George E. Homer, submitted a report for the taking of land for the purposes of a Common Sewer in Cutter Avenue, as recorded on page 113 of volume 1 of the Recorder of Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Sept. 24.

Order of Notice taking of land for sewer Cutter Avenue

An Order of Notice was presented with the foregoing report, for a hearing on the taking of land for the purposes of a common sewer in Cutter Avenue, from the end of the present sewer northeasterly to near Vinal Avenue, as re-

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corded on page 114 of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Sept. 24.

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order

Ordered,

That the sums assessed to the Citizens Mutual Insurance Company, being the amounts assessed to them as their proportional part of the cost of constructing a common sewer in School and Montrose Streets as follows, on lot Three amounting to thirty-four and 42/100 dollars, and on lot K amounting to thirty-three, & 10/100 dollars, be and the same is hereby abated to them and reassessed to Benjamin B. Lawrence.

Adopted.

Order reassessing sewer assorted Citizens Mutual Life Ins. Co. to Benjamin B. Lawrence School & Montrose Sts.

The Committee on Highways reported that in pursuance of orders dated May 28th and Aug 27th, brick sidewalks, with edgestones, have been constructed in

Bow street, easterly side, from Warren Avenue to Walnut Street,

& Elm street, southwesterly side, from a point 145 feet southeast of the northwesterly side line of the estate of Wm. T. Henderson to Mossland street, -

and submits lists of assessments for one-half their cost.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways completion sidewalks Bow Street Elm Street

The lists of assessments, submitted with the foregoing report, for sidewalks in Bow street and Elm street, with warrants and orders for their collection, are recorded, respectively, on pages 109 to 112 and 113 to 116, inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks Assessments, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Sidewalk Assessments Bow Street Elm Street

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Orders construct sidewalks Chauncey Avenue Church Street Preston Street School Street	Alderman Kimball offered orders for the construction of sidewalks, as follows, - in Chauncey Avenue westerly side, from Jaques Street northerly 378 42/100 feet, with edgestones and to be covered with gravel, and to be of the width of eight and 7/12 feet. Church Street easterly side, from Somerville Avenue to Summer Street, to be covered with bricks, - the edgestones being already set and to be of the width of six and 8/12 feet, Preston Street both sides, from School Street to Summer Street, with edgestones and to be covered with gravel, and to be of the width of six and 8/12 feet, School Street easterly side, from Somerville Avenue to Summer Street, to be covered with bricks, - the edgestones being already set and to be of the width of six and 8/12 feet, as recorded respectively on pages 83, 87, 91 and 95, of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Read twice and adopted. Approved by the Mayor Sept. 26.
Report Com. on Highways Hudson & Lewis blast rock, Wesley Street.	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Hudson & Lewis for permission to blast rock in excavating for a cellar on Wesley Street, reported an order. Accepted.
Order permit blast rock Hudson & Lewis Wesley Street.	The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows, - Ordered, - That the City Clerk be, and is hereby instructed, to issue a permit to Hudson & Lewis to blast rock for the purpose of excavating for a cellar on Wesley Street.

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The Committee on Highways reported that, in pursuance of orders dated July 9th and August 13th trees have been removed as follows, two in Orchard street in a row of five in front of the estate of Gilmore Genther & one in Beach street, in front of the estate of Abby E. Taylor.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways removal of trees Orchard & Beach Sts.

The Committee on Highways in pursuance of an order dated January 22 reported that street signs have been erected throughout the City wherever needed at an expense of $946.73.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Sept. 24.

Report Com. on Highways street signs erected

The Committee on Highways, reported that on petitions of

George W. Shaw, No. 12 Oakland Avenue,
Sylvanus Spencer, corner Elm and Mossland streets,
Mrs. H. K. Woodward, Mossland street,
Wm. H. Preston, 91 Boston street &
Wm. A. Muzzey, Newburn street,

for brick sidewalks in front of their respective estates, as stated, reported that sidewalks have been constructed as prayed for and bills for the cost of the bricks and edgestones used have been sent to the Treasurer for collection except in the case of Wm. A. Muzzey who furnished the bricks used in the sidewalk at his estate.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Sept. 24th.

Report Com. on Highways brick sidewalks, land for
G. W. Shaw - Oakland Ave.
H. K. Norwood - Mossland St.
S. Spencer - Mossland St.
Wm. H. Preston - Boston St.
Wm. A. Muzzey - Newbury St.

The Committee on Highways, reported that on petition of Chas. C. Ellis and S. J. Bowman, the sidewalk has been removed and a crossing constructed at the entrance to a new private way leading northeasterly from Broadway at a cost of $11.90.

Report Com. on Highways C. C. Ellis & S. J. Bowman street opening Broadway

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Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Accepted in concurrence by Common Council Sept. 24.

✓ Order Com. on Highways allow $75.00 to M. Kelley grade damage School St. Sidewalks

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.

Ordered.-

That the Committee on Highways be and are hereby authorized to disburse in pay roll of Highways the sum of Seventy-five dollars in favor of Dennis Kelley, which sum shall be in full payment for any damage sustained to his estate No 112 School street, caused by the change of grade in said street.

Read twice and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.
Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence Sept. 24.
Approved by the Mayor Sept. 26.

✓ Report Com. on Public Property. Polling Places

The Committee on Public Property in pursuance of an order dated Sept. 18th reported an order designating polling places for the coming elections.
Accepted.

✓ Order designating Polling Places

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows,-

Ordered -

That polling places for the several voting precincts in this city, to be used at the State election to be held November 4th and the City election to be held December 2nd, be and they are hereby designated and appointed as follows,-

Ward 1. Precinct 1.

The Ward Room in the Prescott School house on Pewter Street.-

Ward 1. Precinct 2.

a room in the southerly side of the basement of Edgerly School house on Cross street; there being no convenient polling place which can be obtained within the territorial limits of said

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precinct.

Ward 1, Precinct 3.

a room in the Davis Schoolhouse on Tufts Street.

Ward 1, Precinct 4.

a room in the Jackson Schoolhouse on Maple Street at the corner of Poplar Street.

Ward 2, Precinct 1.

a room in the Bell Schoolhouse on Vinal Avenue.

Ward 2, Precinct 2.

the Ward Room in the Police Building on Bow Street.

Ward 2, Precinct 3.

Eberle lower hall in Union Square

Ward 2, Precinct 4.

a room in the Union Schoolhouse on Prospect Street, there being no convenient polling place which can be obtained within the territorial limits of said precinct.

Ward 2, Precinct 5.

a room in the Webster Schoolhouse, on Webster street.

Ward 3, Precinct 1.

a room in the northerly side of the basement of the Edgerly Schoolhouse on Cross street.

Ward 3, Precinct 2.

the hall known as Brazillian Hall numbered 271 Broadway

Ward 3, Precinct 3.

a room in the basement of the Forster Schoolhouse on Sycamore Street.

Ward 3, Precinct 4.

a room in the Bingham Schoolhouse on Sowell Street.

Ward 4, Precinct 1.

a room in the Beach Street Schoolhouse, on Beach Street.

Ward 4, Precinct 2.

a room in the Burns schoolhouse on Cherry street.

Ward 4, Precinct 3.

a room in the Highland Schoolhouse on Highland Avenue, at the corner of Grove Street.

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the store numbered 280 Elm street, near Winter Street, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to cause copies of this order to be posted in at least ten public places in each of the said precincts agreeably with section 74 of Chapter 423 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1890.

Adopted.

✓ Order Com. on Finance borrow $100,000.00 current expenses

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order.

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 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 moneys collected for said taxes, to be approved by the Mayor.

Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by unanimous yea and nay vote. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council Sept. 24, 1890. Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules its second reading and final passage by unanimous yea and nay vote in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor Sept 24.

✓ Petition Wilbur P. Rice permit lay sewer Porter Street

On motion of Alderman Carpenter it was voted that the action of Sept 17th giving leave to withdraw on the petition of Wilbur P. Rice for permission to lay a sewer in Porter Street, to connect with the sewer in Highland Avenue, be reconsidered.

On reconsideration a motion to refer the petition to the Committee on Sewers was lost.

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Alderman Kimball offered the following order.

Ordered.

That the City Engineer be and is hereby instructed to grant a permit to any licensed drain layer of Somerville, to build a sewer in Porter Street from Highland Avenue to Mountain Avenue and connect the same with the public sewer in Highland Avenue.

The size, length, depth, the number of manholes and inlets shall be determined by the City Engineer, and the sewer shall be constructed under his direction.

All expenses for building said sewer shall be paid by the owners of the abutting estates.

Adopted.

Order
City Engineer
give permit for private
sewer Porter Street

On the order from the Common Council for the construction of walks and areas about the Lowe and Morse schools, action in which was postponed Sept 10th, on motion of Alderman Nickerson it was voted that the order be laid on the table.

Order
Common Public Property
contract for walks + areas
Lowe + Morse Schools

Received an order passed by the Common Council this evening, - That the City Council accept the provisions of Chapter 74 of the Acts of 1890.

Action postponed until the next meeting.

Order
to accept.
Chap 74 Acts of 1890

Adjourned.

Attest.

George F. Vincent
Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall,
Somerville Oct. 8 - 1890 - 8 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope, presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Records approved.

✓ Order requesting convention for hearing taking land for sewer Brooks or Moreland Streets

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order.

Ordered, -

That a message be sent to the common council, requesting a convention of the two branches of the City Coun in the common council chamber this evening, for the purpose of hearing all persons desiring to object to the taking of land for the purpose of a common sewer in Brooks or Moreland streets and Main street, in pursuance of an order for such hearing passed August 27th.

Adopted and Alderman Hemenway appointed a messenger to convey the request to the Common Council.

In Common Council Oct 8 - 1890. Request granted and Councilman Wentworth appointed to convey the message to the Board of Aldermen

Convention

In Convention of the City Council.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmunds, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn, President Osgood and Councilmen Webber, Barber, Dickerman, Jones, Caswell, Higgins, Wentworth, Armstrong, McLean and Eldridge present.

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In pursuance of orders passed Aug. 27th and this evening, a hearing was given for all persons desiring to object to the taking of land in Brooks or Moreland street, for the purpose of a common sewer in said Brooks or Moreland street and Main street, from the sewer in Heath street to new Mt Vernon Avenue, all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 107 of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Hearing taking of land for sewer Brooks + Moreland Sts.

The purpose for which it was assembled having been accomplished, the convention was dissolved and the Mayor and Aldermen returned to their chamber.

Convention dissolved.

In Board of Aldermen

His honor, Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

In pursuance of an order passed Sept. 16, a hearing was given all parties interested in the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts, for locations for poles and wires, as follows,-

Hathorn street, four poles, and Arlington, two poles; due notice of the hearing having been given, as appears by the following return, endorsed on said order.

Hearing N. E. Tel. + Tel. Co. locations Hathorn + Arlington Streets

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I have complied with the within order by publishing an attested copy thereof in the Somerville Journal of Sept. 20, and by delivering a like copy by hand of the City Messenger to Mr. George E. Hanson an agent of the within-named company at

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his office in this city more than fourteen days before the date of hearing within stated.

George D. Vincent,
City Clerk.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

✓ Hearing West End St. Ry. to location side track Broadway near Franklin St.

In pursuance of an order passed September 10th a hearing was given all parties interested in the petition of the West End Street Railway Company for a location of a side track of said company on Broadway; due notice, of the hearing having been given, as appears by the City Clerk's return recorded on page 206 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Mr Monks, Manager for the Company, explained that the siding is needed at the terminus of the Franklin Street line.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, the hearing was closed.

✓ Hearing Somerville Horse R.R. Co. locations turnouts Cross, Pearl + Medford Sts.

In pursuance of an order passed Sept. 10, a hearing was given all parties interested in the petition of the Somerville Horse Railroad Company for locations for turnouts each about 200 feet long, as follows, -

On Cross street, at Webster street,
On Cross street, near Flint street
On Pearl street, near Walnut street,
On Medford street, near Jenny Lind Avenue
On Medford street, near Sycamore Street

due notice of the hearings having been given, as appears by the City Clerk's return recorded on page 208 of vol. one 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways, and Moving of Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Josiah L. Kennett Esq. President of the Company appeared and said turnouts are desired by the West End Company, the lessee of the locations in those streets, whose Manager would

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explain the need of them.

Mr. Monks, General Manager for the West End Company, appeared and said these locations are needed to avoid delays of the cars. He considered the turnouts as evils, but necessary evils in streets too narrow for double tracks. The turnout in Medford street near Jenny Lind Avenue, was included in this petition by mistake, as the location in that part of Medford street is held by the West End Company which has this evening petitioned for a location for such turnout. Mr. Monks said further that if the exact locations of these turnouts, or any of them as indicated on the plans are objectionable they might be moved a matter of a hundred feet, more or less, in either direction, without serious inconvenience to the company.

Mr. Horace B. Runey appeared and objected to the proposed location on Cross street near Flint street because it is exactly in front of his Undertaker's rooms, and a turn-out there would be very detrimental to his business. A turnout had been removed, by order of the Board of Aldermen, from this same location, within a year because of the damage it caused him.

Mr. Hale objected to the proposed location in Cross street at Webster street, because it is in front of his house and the turnout would interfere with the use of his driveway for getting in coal &c, also because of the profane and vulgar language by the drivers and conductors, and also because a car standing there would interfere with the Webster street hose carriage when turning into Cross street in case of fire.

No other person interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Received the report of the Chief of Police for the month of September.

Read and sent down for information.

Read for information by the Common Council Oct. 8

Report Chief of Police month of September

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Report Chief Eng. Fire Dept. month of September	Received the report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department for the month of September. Read and sent down for information. Read for information by the Common Council Oct 8
Request School Committee fit basement for classroom also for radiator 3d story High School	Received a request from the School Committee that the basement room in the High Schoolhouse be fitted for a class room by improving the means for heating and ventilation, also that an additional radiator be placed in the room at the northwest corner of the third story of the same building. Referred to Committee on Public Property and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct 8
Request School Committee flag-staff Franklin School	Received a request from the School Committee that a flag staff be erected at the Franklin School Referred to Committee on Public Property and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct 8
Communication City Clerk failure of Chas. H. McCawley to pay for Auctioneer's license	Received a communication from the City Clerk stating that an order was passed April 28th for the issuing of an Auctioneer's license to Charles H. McCawley when he should have paid therefor the fee of two dollars, and that said McCawley has failed to pay said fee. Referred to Committee on Licenses.
Petition James Duffy license cry goods in streets	Received a petition for a license to cry his goods in the streets from James Duffy, 90 Webster Ave. approved by the Chief of Police. License granted.

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Received a petition signed by the mother of the proposed licensee, for the granting of a license to sell newspapers, under the provisions of ordinance No-43, to Roger B. Buck, 31 Mystic Ave. aged 18 years approved by the Chief of Police
License granted.

Petition Roger B. Buck license sell newspapers

Received applications for permits to build, from Thomas Griffiths, a club-house, with two stores, on land of the Somerville Guild, Central and Berkeley Streets.
Charles B. Emerson, a shop and stable on land of Nellie A. Emerson, Vernon and Munier streets.
Wm. M. Hanson, a bakery and stable on his own land, Bonair Street.
Referred to Committee on Building Permits.

Applications sundry petitions permits to build Clubhouse, shops, stable

Received an application from T. A. Scott, for a permit to build a wooden stable for four horses on his land on Kossmore Street.
Referred to Committee on Building Permits.

Application T. A. Scott permit to build stable Kossmore Street

Received a petition from Edward Fitzgerald for a drain layer's license.
License granted.

Petition Edward Fitzgerald drain layer's license

Received a drain layer's bond in due form in the sum of One Thousand dollars, from Edward Fitzgerald, with William and Maurice Fitzgerald of Somerville as sureties.
Accepted.

Drain Layer's Bond Edward Fitzgerald

Received a petition from the West End Street Railway Company, for a location for a turnout on Medford Street, near Jenny Lind Avenue.
Referred to Committee on Highways.

Petition West End St Ry. Co location for turnout Medford St. near Jenny Lind Avenue

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Petition Charles Moore blastrock Moore Street	Received a petition from Charles Moore for permission to blast rock in his quarry on Moore Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition Ann Eliza Johnson removal of tree Trull & Medford St	Received a petition from Ann Eliza Johnson for the removal of a tree standing in the middle of Trull Street at its junction with Medford street, as it will interfere with the moving of a building which she wishes to move from Central street to Trull street. Granted.
Petition Terrence Sherlin removal of trees Alme Street	Received a petition from Terrence Sherlin, for the removal of three trees on Alme street in front of his estate corner of Alme and Washington streets, as they are so old and decayed that the limbs are liable to fall off and fall upon his building. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition George S. Pool permit set hitching post 46 Mt. Vernon Street	Received a petition from George S. Poole, for permission to set one or two hitching-posts in front of his estate No 46 Mt. Vernon Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition E. C. Hall permit set hitching post 94 Perkins street	Received a petition from E. C. Hall, for permission to set a hitching post in front of his estate No 94 Perkins street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition E. T. Barker driveway 36 Concord Ave	Received a petition from E. T. Barker, for a driveway at his house, No 36 Concord Avenue. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct. 8.

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Received a petition from Samuel W. Hopkins and others, for a crossing across Cross street in line with the northeasterly sides of Kinney and Flint streets.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct. 8-

Petition ✓ Samuel W. Hopkins et al. crossing Cross Street from Kinney to Flint Sts.

Received a petition from John S. Ambrose for a brick sidewalk in front of his estate on Columbus Avenue.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct. 8.

Petition ✓ John S. Ambrose brick sidewalk Columbus Ave.

Received a petition from J. F. Guthrie and others, for the relaying of the crossing on Webster Avenue at Newton street.

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

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct. 8.

Petition ✓ J. F. Guthrie et al. relaying of crossing Webster Ave. at Newton Street

Received a petition from George A. Goodrich for a brick sidewalk with edgestones in front of his estate on School street, and for a brick sidewalk, the edgestones being already set, in front of his estate on Montrose street; also for a gravel sidewalk with edgestones, in front of his estate on Jaques street; the bricks and edgestones used to be paid for by him.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct. 8.

Petition ✓ Geo. A. Goodrich sidewalks School, Montrose & Jaques Street

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Petition Chas B Elliot Agent Est. of J. C. Ayer acceptance of Morrison Ave.	Received a petition from Charles B. Elliot, Agent for the estate of James C. Ayer, for the acceptance of Morrison Avenue, from Willow Ave. to Cedar Street. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by Common Council Oct 8.
Petition E. E. Kelsey et al electric light Hamlet Street.	Received a petition from E. E. Kelsey and others, for a electric light at the end of Hamlet street nearest Boston street. Referred to Committee Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence Reference concurred in by Common Council Oct. 8.
Petition J. Merry & others substitution of suspended for pole electric light Highland Ave & Central St	Received a petition from J. Merry and others, for the discontinuance of the pole electric light near the intersection of Highland Avenue and Central street, and the substitution of a suspended light over the intersection of said streets. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct 8.
Petition John O'Donnell that Lime Street be lighted	Received a petition from John O'Donnell and others that Lime street be properly lighted. Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct. 8.
Notice of Hearing Supreme Court appointment commissioners apportion cost of Metropolitan Sewerage System	Received a notice of a hearing in the Supreme Court of Massachusetts at Boston on the first Monday of November next, on the petition of the Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners, for the appointment of commissioners to apportion upon the several cities and towns interested, their several portions of the cost of constructing the Metropolitan Sewerage System

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Placed in the hands of the City Solicitor. Sent down for concurrence.

Placed in the hands of the City Solicitor by the Common Council in concurrence. Oct. 8.

Received notice to answer in the Superior Court at Cambridge on the first Monday of November next to Walter H. Snow, in action of tort to the damage of said Snow, as he claims, in the sum of four thousand dollars.

Notice of Suit
Walter H. Snow
action of tort

Placed in the hands of the City Solicitor, Sent down for concurrence.

Placed in the hands of the City Solicitor, by the Common Council in concurrence Oct. 8.

Received petitions to move wooden buildings, from Ann Eliza Johnson, - through Central, Medford and Trull Sts. Patrick J. Flynn, - " Tennyson & Medford Streets and Partridge Avenue,

Petitions
for permits move buildings
Ann Eliza Johnson
Patrick J. Flynn

both certified by Alderman Souther, that in his opinion, said removals can be made without injury to public or private property.

Read for information.

Alderman Souther offered orders for the granting of permits to move wooden buildings, to Ann Eliza Johnson, through Central, Medford and Trull streets & Patrick J. Flynn, - " Tennyson & Medfords streets and Partridge Avenue, as recorded on pages 420 and 421, respectively of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Orders
permits move buildings
Ann Eliza Johnson
Patrick J. Flynn

Adopted.

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Jurors Supreme Court Cambridge

In pursuance of a venire for the drawing of two good and lawful men to serve as Traverse Jurors in the Supreme Court at Cambridge on the third Tuesday of October inst, they to be notified to attend said court on the first day of its sitting

Fitch H. Cutter
Thomas L. Shame.

were drawn to serve as said jurors.

Jurors Superior Court Lowell

In pursuance of a venire for the drawing of two good and lawful men to serve as Traverse Jurors in the Superior Court to be holden at Lowell on the third Monday of October inst. they to be notified to attend said Court on Monday Oct. 27th.

Moses K. Norwood
John H. Cook

were drawn to serve as such jurors

Order granting Building Permits

Order granting Building Permits.

Ordered,-

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave if necessary, to encumber such portions of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of applicant	Owner of land	New Erection	Add. or Alteration	Street
Colin Chisholm	John Caley	dwelling		Prospect
Robt. H. Collupy	H. H. Brodie	"		Bartlett
John K. Abbott	J. K. Abbott	"		Cypress
Albert S. Tuttle	E. H. Woodley	"		Clarendon Av

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Robt. H. Collupy	S. K. Wentworth	1 dwelling		Miner
Hiram A. Blaney	H. A. Blaney	tenement house		Lincoln
Sylvester Woods	Mrs P. McCarty		S.	Linden
Chas S. Nichols	S. I. Nichols	1 dwelling	1 stable	Elmwood
Nathan F. Hanson	Robt S. Shaw	1 stable		Sidney
Mary S. Springer	M. S. Springer	1 "		10 Oak
James Frazier	S. M. Winwell	1 "		Rush
Johnson & Parker	Bent & Felch	1 dwelling		Oxford
James H. Connor	Michael Fay	1 "		Harrison
	Chas E. Mead	1 stable		Chandler
Colonial Chem. Co.	Colonial Chem. Co.		add to shed	Boston Ave.

Adopted.

An order taking land in Brooks or Moreland Streets, for the purposes of a common sewer in Brooks or Moreland street and Main Street, as recorded on pages 108 to 112, inclusive, of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Oct. 10.

Order taking of land for sewer Brooks or Moreland St.

The Committee on Licenses, on the petition of Daniel Frazier, for a license to keep a pool table at No. 36 Broadway, recommended leave to withdraw.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Licenses Daniel Frazier pool table 36 Broadway

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Alderman Hamenway offered an order for the construction of a common sewer in Brooks or Moreland Street and Main street, from Heath to near Mt. Vernon Avenue, as recorded on pages 611 of volume 1 of the Records of Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Oct. 10.

Order construct sewer Brooks or Moreland & Main St.

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✓ Report Com. on Sewers Mary E. L. Jones abatement, Munroe St.	The Committee on Sewers on the petition of Mary E. L. Jones, for an abatement of her sewer assessment Munroe Street, recommended leave to withdraw. Accepted.
✓ Order granting locations Som. Horse R.R. Co. turnouts Cross, Pearl & Medford Sts.	Alderman Kimball offered an order granting locations for tracks for turnouts to the Somerville Horse Railroad Company, in Cross, Pearl and Medford streets, as recorded on page 209 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Adopted.
✓ Order granting location West End St Ry Co. side track Broadway near Franklin St.	Alderman Kimball offered an order granting a location to the West End Street Railway Company for a side track on Broadway near Franklin street, as recorded on page 207 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Adopted.
✓ Order hearing West End St Ry Co. Location for turnout Medford St near Jenny Sind Av.	Alderman Kimball offered an order for a hearing on the petition of the West End Street Railway Company for a location for a turnout on Medford Street near Jenny Sind Avenue, as recorded on page 210 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Adopted.
✓ Order Com. on Highways remove trees Medford, Trull & Marshall Sts.	Alderman Souther offered the following order. Ordered:- That the Committee on Highways be and is hereby authorized and instructed to remove a tree standing at Medford Street opposite Trull Street, as said tree is in the way of a building to be moved in Trull Street; also to re

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move a dead tree standing on Marshall street at the corner of Gilman Square opposite the Stickney Building.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Oct. 8.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Thomas Kilmartin for the removal of trees in front of his estate Nos. 484 and 486 Medford street, as they overhange the house to the damage of the same, reported that the trees have been trimmed so that they do not now interfere with the building, and recommended leave to withdraw.

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
Thomas Kilmartin
removal of trees
484 + 486 Medford St.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of George H. Derby and others, for a brick sidewalk on Highland Avenue (southerly side) from Central Street to Trull Lane, reported an order of notice for a hearing.

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
Geo. H. Derby + others
brick sidewalk
Highland Avenue

The order of notice submitted with the foregoing report, for a hearing on the construction of a brick sidewalk on the southerly side of Highland Avenue from Central street to Trull Lane, is recorded on page 105 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Order of Notice ✓
brick sidewalk
Highland Ave.
Central St. to Trull Ln.

The Committee on Highways, reported that in pursuance of orders of April 9 and July 9, sidewalks have been constructed as follows,-

in Broadway, southwest side, from School street to Marshall street, covered with bricks the edgestones being already set;

in Medford street, northerly side, from School street to Tennyson

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
completion of
sundry sidewalks

street, edgestones and bricks;
in Mills street, both sides, from Walnut street to Sargent Avenue, edgestones and gravel;
in Sargent Avenue, both sides, from Walnut street to Mills Street, edgestones and gravel;
and submitted lists of assessments for one-half the costs of said sidewalks.

Accepted.

Assessments Sidewalks Broadway Medford St. Mills St. Sargent Ave.

The lists of assessments for sidewalks in
Broadway, from School Street to Marshall Street.
Broadway, from School Street to Sycamore Street,
Medford Street, from School Street to Tennyson Street,
Mills Street &
Sargent Avenue,
as stated in, and submitted with the foregoing reports, with warrants and orders for their collection, are recorded on pages 117-120, 121-124, 125-128, 129-132 and 133-136, respectively of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalk Assessments, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Report Com. on Highways. John M. Schroeder et al remedying of defect

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of John M. Schroeder and others, for the remedying of defect in Summer Street from Cedar street easterly, reported that the street had been repaired as prayed for.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Oct. 8.

Report Com. on Highways approve favor Dennis Kelley grade damage School Street Sidewalk

The Committee on Highways, authorized by an order of Sept. 23, to approve in pay-roll of Highways favor Dennis Kelley, the sum of seventy-five dollars in full for damage of his change of grade of School Street in constructing sidewalk, reported that the sum has been so approved.

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Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Oct. 8.

The Special Committee on entertaining Post 534 G. A. R. of Brooklyn N. Y. and the Mayor of that city at the recent national encampment G. A. R. reported that by authority of an order of June 11th a bill of J. A. Litchfield for $500.00 paid Silas D. Carter for board &c of said Post at Hotel Warren had been approved and forwarded to the Treasurer for payment.

Report ✓
Special Committee entertainment G. A. R. Post 534 of Brooklyn N. Y.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Oct. 8.

Alderman Sanborn offered the following order.

Order ✓
transfer of $1.000 from Street Lights &c to Highways &c.

Ordered:-

That the City Treasurer be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a transfer of one thousand dollars from the Appropriation for street lights to the Appropriation for Highways.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.
Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Oct. 8.
Approved by the Mayor Oct. 10.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

Order ✓
transfer $3332.20 from Interest to Morse Schoolhouse Add. Schoolhouse Ward Two

Ordered:-

That the sum of three thousand three hundred thirty-two & 20/100 dollars be and is hereby transfered from Interest account and placed to the credit of the following accounts.

Morse Schoolhouse Addition	$1.383.89
Schoolhouse in Ward Two	$1.948.31

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.
Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Oct. 8
Approved by the Mayor Oct. 10.

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Order Com. on Printing print ordinances Nos 19 & 20 Construction & Inspection of Buildings

Alderman Southes offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Printing be and is hereby authorized and instructed to have printed, in pamphlet form, five hundred copies of ordinance Nos. 19 and 20 entitled, respectively, "Construction of Buildings" and "Inspection of Buildings", the expense to be incurred to be charged to Printing and Stationery Account.

Read twice and adopted, sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council Oct. 8. Read and laid on the table.

Order accepting provision Chap. 74, Acts of 1890.

The order from the Common Council - "That the City Council accept the provisions of Chapter 74 of the Acts of 1890", - upon which action was postponed at the last meeting, was taken up and adopted.

Adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Oct. 10.

Adjourned.

Attest.

George F. Vincent
Clerk.

Meeting of Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville, Oct. 22, 1896. 8 P.M.

His Honor Mayor Potter presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther and Nickerson present.

Records read and approved.

In pursuance of an order passed September 14th a hearing was given for persons desiring to object to the construction of a granite sidewalk with edgestones, on the westerly side of Chandler Street, from Park Avenue to the northerly line of the estate owned by Amy S. Bailey; all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Return recorded on page 98 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Hearing Sidewalk Chandler Street ✓

Gardner H. Kingman appeared and objected because the grade is too high in front of his estate and should be lowered before setting edgestones

Mr. Kingman said he also objected, by request for Mrs. Tribble

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

In pursuance of an order passed September 10th, a hearing was given for all persons desiring to object to the construction of a brick sidewalk on the southeasterly side of Prescott Street, from Summer Street to Highland Avenue; all parties interested having been duly notified as appears by the Officer's Return recorded page 102 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks, Hearings and Construction of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somer- Hearing Sidewalk Prescott Street ✓

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No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Hearing John K. Kicker Stationary Engine Melrose Street

On the issuance of an order passed Sept. 24th, a hearing was given on the petition of John K. Kicker, for permission to place and use a fifteen horse-power Stationary Engine in a building erected for that purpose on Melrose Street; notice for a hearing having been published by the petitioner as required by law.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Declinations and Appointments Election Officers

Declinations of appointments of Election Officers were received and appointments to fill vacancies were made as follows:-

Precinct	Office	name of Officer declined	Appointee to fill vacancy
Ward 1. Precinct 1	Deputy Inspector	D. Dennis S. Sullivan	Cushing Otis
" 1 " 2	" Warden	R. Alpheus Bowers	William E. Miller
" 1 " 2	" Clerk	D. Arthur H. Tyler	Harrington Sund
" 1 " 2	" Inspector	D. Samuel B. Sund	Matthew Barley
" 1 " 3	" "	D. Harvey E. Twitchell	Maurice J. White
" 1 " 4	"	D. James S. Daly	William J. Coughlin
" 1 " 4	" "	D. William J. Coughlin	John Sullivan
" 2 " 1	" Clerk	D. (office vacant)	George H. Moore
" 2 " 1	Inspector	D. Chas. E. W. Folsom	Edward H. Kupter
" 2 " 1	"	D. Thomas A. Lyons	Frederick Ball
" 2 " 1	" "	D. Patrick F. Rouley	James E. Byrne
" 2 " 1	" "	D. John H. Bremen	Edward J. Sherally
" 2 " 2	"	D. Thomas J. McCormic	Cornelius J. Cohill
" 2 " 2	" "	D. Jeremiah S. McDonnell	Edward Kelly
" 2 " 3	" Warden	D. Dennis F. Flynn	James J. Muldoon
" 2 " 3	" Inspector	R. Eli T. Allen	Edgar J. Bean
" 2 " 4	" Warden	D. Patrick F. Cleady	William Smith

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Ward 1	Precinct 4	Deputy Inspector	R.	Harris L. Cummings	William J. Jones
" 2	" 5	"	D.	Charles E. Riley	Patrick J. Follon
" 2	" 5	" "	D.	Edward J. Larkin	James Kerrigan Jr.
" 2	" 5	" "	D.	John E. O'Riley	Philip F. Smyth
" 3	" 1	Clerk	D.	Frank T. Carroll	Fred M. Condit
" 3	" 2	Warden	D.	James F. Sharkey	Charles A. Gage
" 3	" 3	" Inspector	R.	Edwin G. Heath	Charles S. Underhill
" 4	" 2	"	D.	John W. Finnon	James S. Rowe
" 4	" 2	" "	R.	Charles M. Hill	Waldo B. Hayward
" 4	" 2	" "	D.	James M. Lynch	John A. Ginty
" 4	" 3	"	D.	J. Russell Armington	Henry H. Fisher
" 4	" 3	" "	D.	Edwin B. Bradshaw	Silas S. Cummings
" 4	" 3	" "	D.	Henry H. Fisher	John Regan Jr.
" 4	" 4	"	D.	James J. Fenton	Wm. H. Birmingham
" 4	" 4	" "	D.	William A. Muzzey	Bernard Black
" 4	" 4	" "	D.	Gustave Leuchte	Patrick S. Lynch

Declination accepted. Appointments made by the Mayor and action thereon deferred until after the expiration of not less than three nor more than seven days as required by law.

By request of the Chief of Police the Mayor appointed as Special Police without pay,

Augustus A. Lewis

and

Joseph F. Hurley

and the appointments were confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Appointments Special Police without pay

Received from the Overseers of the Poor a request for an additional appropriation of Two Thousand Dollars; as the present appropriation is nearly exhausted.

Referred to Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council

Request Overseers of Poor additional appropriation

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Petitions sundry minors license sells newspapers	Petitions for licenses to sell newspapers, - each signed by a parent of the proposed licensee, - were received from the following named minors, -
	Edwin Adler, 39 Alston Street, Aged 14 Henry B. Andrews, 28 Hamlet " 13 Wm. F. Cutter, 8 Lincoln " 11 Henry B. Thomas, 105 Bross " 10 all approved by the Chief of Police Licenses granted.
Petition Austin H. Goldthwait license sells newspapers	Received a petition for licenses to sell newspapers from, Austin H. Goldthwait, 34 Mt. Pleasant St, Aged 26. approved by the Chief of Police Licenses granted.
Petitions Alexander Fullerton license Music & entertainments	Received petitions from Alexander Fullerton for licenses to give musical entertainments Oct. 24 & 29th, recommended by the Chief of Police, approved by the Mayor and certified by the City Clerk, that the licenses were issued - Oct. 21. Issuing of licenses approved.
Petition Henderson J. Edwards brick sidewalk Washington St.	Received a petition from Henderson J. Edwards, for a brick sidewalk in front of his premises Nos. 34, 36 and 38 Washington Street. Referred to Committee on Highways.
Petition Patrick Keating et al acceptance of Harrison St.	Received a petition from Patrick Keating and others for the acceptance of Harrison Street from Isaloo Street to Mondamin Court. Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence. Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct. 22.

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Received a petition from L. H. Lyman and others for the laying out of Whittland Street, from Jaques St., to Mystic Avenue.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct. 22.

Petition ✓ L. H. Lyman etals laying out of Whittland St. Jaques St. to Mystic Ave

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Received a petition from J. H. Kelly and others, that Taggard Court leading from Beacon Street, be changed to Beacon Place.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct. 22.

Petition ✓ J. H. Kelley + others change name of Taggard Court to Beacon Street

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Received a petition from Gottlieb Mauch and others, for an Arc electric light at the corner of Broadway and Farragut Ave.

Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct. 22.

Petition ✓ Gottlieb Mauch Arc electric light Broadway + Farragut Ave

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Received a petition from Charles Trull for a release from the city of a certain small triangular piece of land in the rear of Lowell Street, which was erroneously included in his deed from said Trull to the City of the Bingham School lot on Lowell Street, but which was not bargained or paid for by the City.

Referred to Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Oct. 22.

Petition ✓ Charles Trull release of land rear Lowell Street

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✓ Petition Michael B. Dewire permit move building Washington & Sine Str.

Received a petition from Michael B. Dewire, for permission to move a wooden building from the corner of Washington and Beacon streets, through Washington and Sine streets to land of said Dewire in Cambridge on the westerly side of said Sine street near Washington street.

certified by Alderman Carpenter that in his opinion the proposed removal can be made without injury to public or private property.

Read for information.

✓ Order permit to move bldg Michael B. Dewire Washington & Sine Str.

Alderman Carpenter offered an order granting permission to Michael B. Dewire to move a wooden building through Washington and Sine streets as stated in the foregoing petition, which order is recorded on page 422 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

✓ Order granting Building Permits

Order granting Building Permits

Ordered:-

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave, if necessary, to encumber such portions of the Street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Add. or Alter.	Street
Chas. A. Slager	C. A. Slager	1 dwelling		Hancock
Sylvester Woods	Daniel J. Buckley	"		Tufts

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Arthur W. Berry	Geo. E. Farber	1 dwelling	Hudson	
	Wm. B. Allen	1 "	Billingham	
Geo. D. B. Robinson	Edw. B. Russell	1 "	Kidder Ave.	
John England	J. England	1 "	Holland	
Israel P. Rice	I. P. Rice	1 "		No Wyatt
S. & C. H. Williams	James List	1 "		Tufts
" "	S. & C. H. Williams	1 "		Ames
John Elston	J. Elston	1 "		Springfield
John W. Norton	Saml. Stephens	1 "		Francis
Michael Mullarky	M. Mullarky	1 "		Lawrence
Jesse S. Rich	S. B. Rich	1 "		Highland Ave.
" "	James W. Rich	1 "		" "
W. O. Hunnewell	C. S. Hunnewell	1 "		Mason
M. Parker	Fred R. Slater	1 "		Medford
Higgins & Dewing		1 apartment house		Prescott
Elijah Walker	Chas. Taylor	double house		Vinal Ave.
John A. McIsaacs	J. Dougherty	" "		Som. Ave.
Hiram A. Kent	H. A. Kent	2 dwellings		Sydney
John F. Pickering	Quincy A. Vinal	3 "		Prescott
George C. Chaplin	Henry R. Glover	3 "		Campbell Pk.
Thos. Woodworth	James H. Steele		add to house 18	Auburn Ave.
Wm. E. Jones	Edw. Llewellyn		" " store	Som.

Adopted.

Alderman Edmands offered the following order.

Order adopting Warrants State Election

Ordered:-

That the seventeen accompanying warrants for the holding of the annual State election in the several voting precincts of this city November 4th, be and they are hereby adopted, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to deliver said warrants to any constable of the City of Somerville for service and return as provided by law, the publication required by ordinance No. 3, to be made in the Somerville Journal.

Adopted.

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✓ Warrants State Election

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 No. One, Precinct One, qualified to vote as the law directs, to assemble at the ward room in the Prescott Schoolhouse on Pearl street, on Tuesday, the fourth day of November, A.D. 1890, at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and from that time until four o'clock and thirty-four minutes in the afternoon, then and there to give in their ballots for a Governor, a Lieutenant-Governor, a Secretary, a Treasurer and Receiver-General, an Auditor, and an Attorney-General of the Commonwealth,

A Councillor for Councillor District Number Three,

A Representative in Congress for the Fifth Congressional District,

A Senator in the General Court for the First Middlesex Senatorial District,

A Representative in the General Court for the Fifth Middlesex Representative District, and

A County Commissioner for the County of Middlesex.

All of the above-named officers to be voted for on one ballot.

Also to give in their votes on the same ballot for or against the following proposed amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, -

1. Amendment to the Constitution to prevent the disfranchisement of voters because of a change of residence within the Commonwealth.

2. Amendment to the Constitution to prevent the disfranchisement of honorably discharged soldiers and sailors because of receiving aid from any city or town or because of the non-payment of a poll-tax.

The polls for the choice of the several officers, as aforesaid, will be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and closed at four o'clock and thirty-four minutes in the afternoon.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with

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your doings thereon.

Witness, Charles G. Pope, Mayor of our said City of Somerville, on this twenty-second day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

George I. Vincent
City Clerk.

The election warrants for the other sixteen precincts are exactly like that for Ward One Precinct One, except that in those for Ward Two the number of the Representative districts is six, and in those for Wards Three and Four the number of said districts is seven; and except also in the numbers of the Wards and Precincts and the locations of the Polling Places which are as follows.

Ward One, Precinct Two.

A room in the southerly side of the basement of the Edgerly Schoolhouse on Cross Street, there being no convenient polling place which can be obtained within the territorial limits of said precinct

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Ward One, Precinct Three

A room in the Clarice Schoolhouse on Tufts Street.

Ward One, Precinct Four.

A room in the Jackson Schoolhouse, on Maple Street, corner Poplar Street.

Ward Two, Precinct One.

A room in the Hill Schoolhouse, on Vinal Avenue

Ward Two, Precinct Two.

At the Ward Room in the Police Building on Bow St.

Ward Two, Precinct Three

At Eberle Lower Hall, in Union Square.

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Ward Two, Precinct Four.

A room in the Union School house on Prospect Street, there being no convenient polling place which can be obtained within the territorial limits of said precinct.

Ward Two, Precinct Five

A room in the Webster School house, on Webster Ave.

Ward Three, Precinct One.

A room in the northerly side of the basement of the Edgerly School house on Cross Street.

Ward Three, Precinct Two.

A hall known as Brazilian Hall, numbered 271 Broadway.

Ward Three, Precinct Three

A room in the basement of the Forster School house Sycamore Street.

Ward Three, Precinct Four.

A room in the Bingham School house, Lowell Street.

Ward Four, Precinct One.

A room in the Beach-Street School house, Beach Street.

Ward Four, Precinct Two.

A room in the Burns School house, Cherry Street.

Ward Four, Precinct Three.

A room in the Highland School house on Highland Ave.

Ward Four, Precinct Four.

A store numbered 280 Elm Street, near Winter Street.

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Alderman Nickerson offered the following order

Ordered, -

That the license to sell newspapers granted by this board January 16th to Guy B. Aldrich, be and it is hereby revoked, as the said Aldrich has surrendered his badge.

Adopted.

Order ✓ revoking license Guy B. Aldrich sell newspapers

The Committee on Licenses, on the communication from the City Clerk, stating that Charles H. McBarley has failed to pay the fee of two dollars for an Auctioneer's license, which ordered April 22nd to be issued to him on payment of such fee, - reported an order.

Accepted.

Report ✓ Com. on Licenses Com. City Clerk Chas. H. McBarley Auctioneer license

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The order accompanying the foregoing report is as follows, -

Ordered, -

That the order passed by this board April 28th 1890, directing the City Clerk to issue an Auctioneer's license to Charles H. McBarley when he shall have paid therefor the legal fee of two dollars, be and is hereby rescinded, said Charles H. McBarley having failed to pay said fee.

Adopted.

Order ✓ rescinding license granting Auctioneers license Chas. H. McBarley

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The Committee on Licenses on the petition of Charles H. Bradbury for a Sixth Class liquor license at No. 55 Elm Street, reported an order.

Accepted.

Report ✓ Com. on Licenses Chas. H. Bradbury 6th Class liquor

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows, -

Ordered, -

That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to issue to Charles H. Bradbury druggist and apothe-

Order ✓ 6th Class liquor license Chas. H. Bradbury 55 Elm Street

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and registered pharmacist, a licence of the sixth class to sell liquors, for medicinal, mechanical and chemical purposes only, and to such persons only as may certify in writing for what purpose they may want it, at his place of business No 65 Elm Street in the front room on the first floor, whom he shall have filed with the City Treasurer a satisfactory bond, with surety, in the sum of one thousand dollars, and shall have paid the fee provided by law, - said licence to expire May 1st 1891 unless sooner forfeited or rendered void

Adopted

✓ Report from on Building Permits sundry petitions Stables &c.

The Committee on Building Permits, on the applications for permits to build stables, from

Charles B. Emerson, Vernon & Miner Streets, Shop & Stable
Thomas F. Farrington, Pearl Street.
Wm. H. Hanson, Bonair " , bakery & stable.
T. A. Scott, Rosemore "

and the application of

Thomas Griffiths, for a permit to build a club house, with stores on Central & Berkeley Streets.

reported an order

Accepted

✓ Order from on Building Permits sundry petitions build stables &c

The accompanying the foregoing report as follows,

Ordered, -

That permits to build be issued to the following named parties, to wit, -

Charles B. Emerson, shop & stables on land of Nellie A. Emerson Vernon & Miner Streets,
Thomas F. Farrington, stable for four horses for Mulliken and Moore on Pearl street,
Thomas Griffiths, club-house on land of Somerville Guild, on Central & Berkeley streets,
William H. Hanson, bakery & stable Bonair Street &
T. A. Scott, stable for four horses Rosemore street.

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Alderman Kemenway offered a resolve and order for the construction of a Sewer in Lincoln Avenue, as recorded on page 513 of volume 1 of the records of Taking of Lands for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Oct. 24

Order Com. on Sewers construct sewer Lincoln Avenue

The Committee on Sewers, in pursuance of the foregoing order, submits the following list of proposals received to construct in Lincoln Avenue, from the manhole at St. George Street westerly, - about 200 feet of 8-inch pipe sewer, with 1 manhole, the pipe to be furnished by the City, -

Names of Bidders	Manhole	Laying Sewer per lin ft.	Estimated Aggregate
Chas. O. Morgan	$50.00	$0.65	$180.00
Richard Fahey	39.00	0.57	153.00
Christopher Burke	42.00	0.55	152.00
O. H. Bryne	42.00	0.50	142.00

and reported an order

Accepted.

Report Com. on Sewers Proposals sewer Lincoln Ave.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows, -

Ordered, -

That the Committee on Sewers be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with O. H. Bryne, for the construction of a Common Sewer in Lincoln Avenue, from the manhole at George street about two hundred feet westerly, at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said Committee's report of this date.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Oct. 24

Order Com. on Sewers make contract sewer Lincoln Ave.

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√ Report Com on Highways Lester B Evans et al enjoin Chas Moore from blasting in Moore Street	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Lester B Evans and others, that Charles Moore be enjoined from continuing the blasting of rock in his pit on Moore Street, reported that the Chief of Police has been instructed to prosecute said Moore as he was blasting without a license in violation of ordinance No 39. Accepted.
√ Report Com on Highways Chas Moore, to blast quarry Moore St.	The Committee on Highways on the petition of Chas Moore for permission to blast rock in his quarry on Moore Street, reported leave to withdraw. Accepted.
√ Report Com on Highways removal of trees Rush + Medford Sts.	The Committee on Highways, reported that in pursuance of orders dated Sept 10th, trees have been removed as follows, one in Rush Street, in front of estate No 13 owned by Annie Haglett, one in Medford Street at the corner of Adams Street, Accepted.
√ Report Com on Highways Charles McCarthy Linden Ave.	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Charles McCarthy for the removal of two trees in front of his estate No 15 Linden Avenue, reported an order. Accepted.
√ Order Com on Highways remove trees at Chas McCarthy Linden Ave.	The order accompanying the foregoing report is as follows, – Ordered, – That the Committee on Highways be and are hereby authorized to remove two trees in front of the estate of Charles McCarthy No 15 Linden Avenue, the trees in that location being too thick. Read twice and adopted. Approved by the Mayor Oct 24.

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The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Terrence Sherlin, for the removal of three trees in front of his estate, Lane Street, reported an order

Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways Terrance Sherlin removal tree Lane St.

The order accompanying the foregoing report is as follows,

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Highways be and are hereby authorized to remove three trees standing in front of the estate of Terrance Sherlin at the corner of Lane and Washington streets, as said tree having become old and decayed the limbs are liable to break and fall upon his buildings

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Oct. 24

Report Com. on Highways remove trees Terrance Sherlin Washington & Lane sts.

The Committee on Highways on petitions for permission to set hitching posts, from

E. L. Hall at 94 Perkins street and

George L. Poole at 46 Mt Vernon Street,

reported an order

Accepted.

Report Com on Highways permits hitching posts E. L. Hall, 94 Perkins St. G. L. Poole, 46 Mt. Vernon St.

The order accompanying the foregoing report, is as follows,

Ordered,-

That permission be granted to E. L. Hall to set a hitching post in front of his residence No 94 Perkins St., and to George L. Poole to set one or two hitching posts in front of his residence No 46 Mt. Vernon Street.

Adopted.

Order permits hitching posts E. L. Hall, Perkins St. G. L. Poole, Mt. Vernon St.

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Order construction of brick sidewalk Prescott St. east side.

Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of a brick sidewalk - the edgestone being already set - on the southeasterly side of Prescott street, from Summer Street to Highland Avenue, as recorded on page 108 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Bearings and Constructions of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Oct 24.

Order granting locations New England Tel & Tele. Co. Hathorn + Arlington St.

Alderman Kimball offered an order granting locations to the New England Telephone and Telephone Company of Massachusetts, in Hathorn and Arlington Streets, as recorded on page 9 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

agreement filed Oct 6 1890.

Adopted.

Order changing Hose Co. No. 4. to Engine No. 4.

Alderman Converse offered the following order.

Ordered,

That "Hose Co No 4," which is located in the building on the corner of Highland Avenue and Grove Street in Ward 4, be hereafter designated and known as "Engine Company No 4," the members of said "Hose Company No 4" to constitute the membership of said "Engine Company No 4" and that said "Engine Company No 4" be, and the same hereby is, established under the provisions of Section 1, of No 17, of the City Ordinances, as a steam fire engine company, and to have charge of the new steam fire engine recently purchased for the City.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Oct 22

Approved by the Mayor Nov. 4.

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On motion of Alderman Converse it was voted that when this Board adjourns it adjourn to meet Wednesday Oct. 29th at 8 O'clock P.M.

Adjourned.

Attest.

George S. Vincent
Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen,
City Hall,
Somerville, October 29, 1896, 8 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Hemenway and Nickerson present.

Appointment Election Officers

All of the appointments of election officers made by the Mayor at the last meeting were confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Adjourned

Attest

George F. Vincent
Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall,
Somerville Nov. 12 1890. 8 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Edmands, Kimball, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Records approved

Aldermen Kimball offered the following order.

Order
Convention for hearing taking land for sewer Butler Ave.

Ordered.-

That a message be sent to the Common Council requesting a convention of the two branches of the City Council in the common council chamber this evening for the purpose of hearing all persons desiring to object to the taking of land for the laying of a common sewer in Butler avenue, in pursuance of an order for such hearing passed September 24th

Adopted, and Alderman Kimball appointed a messenger to convey the request to the Common Council.

In Common Council, Nov. 12, 1890. Request granted and Councilman Willey appointed to convey the message to the Board of Aldermen.

In Convention of the City Council.

Convention

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Edmands, Kimball, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn. President Argood, and Councilmen Webber, Karber, Hickerman, James, Caswell, Willey. McLean and Eldridge present.

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√ Hearing taking land for sewer Butter Ave.

In pursuance of orders passed Sept 24th, and this evening, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the taking of land for the purposes of a common sewer in Butter Avenue, from the end of the present sewer northeasterly; all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officers Return recorded on page 115 of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Convention dissolved

The purpose for which it was assembled having been accomplished the convention was dissolved and the Mayor and Aldermen returned to their chamber.

Board of Aldermen

In Board of Aldermen

His honor, Mayor Pohe presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

√ Hearing brick sidewalk Highland Avenue Central St to Trull Lane

In pursuance of an order passed October 8th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to the construction of a brick sidewalk on the southeasterly side of Highland Avenue, from Central street to Trull Lane, all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officers Return recorded on page 166 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks - Hearings and Construction - of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

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In pursuance of an order passed October 8th, a hearing was given all persons interested in the petition of the West End Street Railway Company for a location for a turnout in Medford street near Jenny Lind Avenue; due notice of the hearing having been given, as appears by the City Clerk's return endorsed on said order and recorded on page 218 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Hearing West End St Ry Co. location in turnout Medford St. near Jenny Lind Ave.

Received a recommendation from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department that Charles H. Folger and Llewellyn Mank be discharged from Engine Company No. 4, at their own request.

Discharges as recommended made by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Recommendation Chief Eng. Fire Dept. Discharges

Received a recommendation from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, that Merrill N. Kent, be appointed a call member of Hose Company No. 5.

Appointment as recommended made by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Recommendation Chief Eng. Fire Dept. Appointment

Received a communication from the City Engineer of Cambridge, in behalf of the Board of Aldermen of that City, inviting such persons as this board may authorize to meet himself and the Superintendent of Streets of Cambridge to perambulate the boundary line between Cambridge and Somerville.

The Mayor with the assent of the board, appointed Alderman Kimball, the City Engineer and the Superintendent of Streets to join with the representatives of Cambridge in perambulating the said boundary line

Communication City of Cambridge perambulation Boundary Line

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Report Chief of Police month of October.	Received the report of the Chief of Police for the month of October. Read and sent down for information Read for information in the Common Council Nov. 12.
Petitions sundry persons licenses entertainments	Received petitions for licenses for entertainments from Prof. Anderson, Magic + Ventriloquism, Bacon Hall, Nov. 8th. Fraternal Associates of America, Dramatic + Musical, Union Hall, Nov. 10th both recommended by the Chief of Police, approved by the Mayor, and licenses issued by the City Clerk, Nov. 7th and 8th. Issuing of licenses approved
Petitions sundry minors licenses sell newspapers	Received petitions each signed by a parent of the proposed licensee that licenses to sell newspapers, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 43, be granted to the following named minors. Norris E. Hadley, 26 Wallace St. aged 12 Walter C. Henderson, 86 Mt. Vernon St. " 14 Peter Kelley, 27 Fountain Ave " 12 Leon Merrill, 15 Summer St. " 13 all approved by the Chief of Police Licenses granted
Petition Andrew Monahan license collect junk	Received a petition for a license to collect junk, from Andrew Monahan, 20 Bolton Street. approved by the Chief of Police. Licence granted.
Petition Wm. S. Keyes licence Common Victualler	Received a petition for a Common Victuallers license, from William S. Keyes, at No 9. Bow Street. Referred to Committee on Licences.

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Received petitions for catch basins, from H. S. King and others, in Cross street, near easterly line of No. 167, Alice S Waterhouse, at corner of Franklin street and Franklin Avenue,
John Fay and others, in south street at the foot of Hunting street.
Referred to Committee on Sewers.

Petitions ✓ catch-basins
H. S. King et al, Cross St.
A. Waterhouse, Franklin St.
John Fay et al, Hunting St.

Received petitions for the removal of trees, from F. E. Harrington, one (deceased) in front of his store Nos 315 + 317 Broadway.
Margaret Manning one in front of her house No 36 Oak street, as it is an injury to her property.
Referred to Committee on Highways.

Petitions ✓ removal of trees
F. E. Harrington, Broadway
M. Manning, Oak St.

Received petitions for permits for bulkheads in sidewalks, from
Herbert H. Chase, on Clover street,
Sprague, Hathaway + Co. on Herbert Street,
Referred to Committee on Highways.

Petitions ✓ permits bulk-heads
H. H. Chase, Clover St.
Sprague Hathaway + Co Herbert St.

Received petitions for the lowering of edgestones, to form driveways, from
Edward Cox, at No 36 Central street,
N. A. Taylor, at No 62 Putnam street,
at their expense.
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.
Reference concurred in by the Common Council Nov. 12th.

Petitions ✓ driveways
E. Cox - 36 Central St.
N. A. Taylor - 62 Putnam St.

Received a petition from Alice S. Waterhouse, for a street crossing across Franklin street at the head of Franklin Avenue.
Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Petition ✓ Alice S. Waterhouse crossing Franklin Street.

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Reference concurred in by the Common Council Nov. 12th.

√ Petition
Martin Kinney & others
change in location
Incandescent Light
Linden Avenue

Received a petition from Martin Kinney and others, that the incandescent light on the westerly side of Linden Avenue near Summer Street may be moved to the easterly side of said avenue opposite Linden Place.

Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights, and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Nov. 12

√ Notice
James B. Eastman
claim for damage
injury to horse
Wallace Street

Received a notice from James B. Eastman, by his Attorney M. B. Melano, of his claim for damages on account of an injury to his horse received in Wallace Street near Park Avenue, October 24th 1890, caused by the slumping or sinking of the road on highway of said street over which said horse was being driven.

Referred to Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Nov. 12.

√ Petition
members of H. & L. Co. No. 1
increase of salary

Received a petition from the members of Hook & Ladder Company No. 1, for an increase of salary to $150.00 per annum, in view of the fact that said company is required to perform double the duty of any other as its members must respond to all first alarms while the other companies only respond to those from a limited number of boxes.

Referred to Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Nov. 12

√ Petition
A. A. J. & J. E. Herrick
permit move building
Summer, Elm & Russell Sts.

Received a petition from A. A. J. & J. E. Herrick for permission to move a wooden building from land of Porter in rear of the northeasterly side of Summer Street near Butters Avenue, through Summer, Elm and Russell streets, to land of said Herrick, on the west side of Russell Street near Elm Street

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certified by Alderman Converse, that in his opinion said removal can be made without injury to public or private property.

Read for information

Alderman Converse offered an order for the granting of a permit to W. A. J. & J. E. Herrick to move a wooden building through Summer, Elm and Russell streets, as stated in the foregoing petition, said order being recorded on page 423 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Order permit move building W. A. J. & J. E. Herrick Summer, Elm & Russell Sts

Order granting Building Permits

Ordered,-

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave if necessary to encumber such portions of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Order granting Building Permits

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Add or Alteration	Street
A. N. Godfrey	Minnie Bosworth	1 dwelling		Albion
Daniel E. Robbins	Wm. Manning	1 "		Billingham
S. W. Hutchinson	E. F. Hutchinson	1 "		Jenny Lind Ave.
James Matthews	F. A. Cunningham	1 "		Joseph
John W. Prevost	Hall & Prevost	1 "		Montrose
J. L. & C. L. Simons	F. Meehan	1 "		Joseph
Ingram S. Phinney	A. P. Simpson	1 "		Holland
F. B. McCabe	W. H. Wilde	1 "		Ashland

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	James Elston	James Elston	2 dwellings		Dickenson
	John L. Kicker	Robt. Duddy	double		cor Heath & Bond
	Elmer A. Hutchins	E. N. Hutchins	3		Knapp
	C. D. & S. H. Abbott	Patrick Flynn		S.	Partridge Ave
	"	Annie E. Johnson		S.	Trull
	Weston O. Francis	Geo. H. Tewksbury		S.	18 Austin
	Jason E. Herrick	J. E. Herrick	shop		Russell
	American Tube Works		3 shops		Frost Ave
	Frederic A. Chandler	F. A. Chandler	stable & one shop		Melvin
	Mr Colbath	John Crowley	1 stable		Fitchburg
	Clarence Hunter	S. M. Ayres	1 "		463 Highland Av
	Edward Cox	E. Cox	1 " & one dwelling		Summer
	Samuel Perry	Geo. H. Ireland	1 "		20 Preston
	Chas Crocker	N. A. Taylor	1 "		62 Putnam
		Catherine Ryan		cellar	Sacramento
	Benj. F. Robinson	B. F. Robinson	2 houses in block		Laurel
	Jasmiah O'Brien	J. O'Brien	1 house		Bonair

Adopted

✓ Order taking land for sewer Cutter Avenue

An order taking land in Cutter Avenue, for the purposes of a Common Sewer, as recorded on page 116 to 120, inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of the Taking of Land for and Orders to Construct Sewers of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, was

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

Approved by the Mayor Nov. 18.

✓ Officer's Returns on Warrants for State Election

On the Warrants for the Election, adopted October 22nd, Jairus Mann, Constable of Somerville, made return on each and every one of said warrants, under date of November 4th, that he had served the same by posting a true and attested copy in not less than ten public places in the precinct and by publishing like copies in the Somerville Journal of October 25th, said posting and publication

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having been made at least seven days at least before the day of election.

The State Election Returns being presented by the City Clerk, and referred to the Committee on Elections, - the said Committee after examining the same and comparing them with the City Clerk's record thereof, reported that the said returns are in due form and the City Clerk's record agrees therewith, and that the result of said election, as appears by said returns, is as shown by said record.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Elections result of State Election

Alderman Edmands offered the following order.

Ordered, -

That the result of the annual State election held in the several voting precincts of this City Nov. 4th, be and hereby is declared to be as reported this day by the Committee on Elections and as shown by the City Clerk's record thereof on pages 22 to 29 inclusive of volume 1 of the Record of Elections of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Order declaring result of State Election

Alderman Edmands offered the following order

Ordered, -

That the seventeen accompanying warrants for the holding of the annual municipal election in the several voting precincts of this City December 2nd be, and they are hereby adopted; and the city clerk is hereby directed to deliver the said warrants to any Constable of the City of Somerville for service and return as provided by law; the publication required by ordinance No. 3, to be made in the Somerville Citizen.

Adopted.

Order adopting warrants City Election

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Warrants ✓ City Election

The Election Warrants adopted by the foregoing order are as follows:-

Ward 1. Precinct 1.

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 One, Precinct One, qualified to vote as the law directs, to assemble at the Ward Room in the Prescott School house on Pearl Street, on Tuesday the second day of December, A.D. 1890, at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and from that time until four o'clock and twelve minutes in the afternoon, then and there to give in their ballots for a Mayor, eight Aldermen, two aldermen being selected from each ward, four Common Councilmen, who shall, at the time of their election, be residents of said ward; - all the above-named officers to be voted for on one ballot.

Also to give in, on the aforesaid ballot, their votes, "Yes" or "No" upon the question, "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this city?"

Also to give in their votes on the same ballot, for or against the acceptance of Chapter 217 of the Acts of the Legislature of the year 1890, which provides for the appointment by the Mayor and Aldermen, in the year 1891, of a Water Board of three persons for terms of three, two, and one years, respectively, and thereafter, annually, of one member of said board for a term of three years, instead of the present system of an annual election of a Water Board of five persons by the City Council.

Women who are qualified to vote for members of the School Committee will give in their votes on a separate ballot.

The polls for the choice of the several officers, as aforesaid, will be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and closed at four o'clock and twelve minutes in the afternoon.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon.

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Witness, Charles G. Pope, Mayor of our said City of Somerville, on this twelfth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

George I. Vincent,
Clerk.

The election warrants for the remaining sixteen precincts are the same as that for Ward 1, Precinct 1, above recorded, except in the number of the Wards and precincts and the locations of the polling places, which are as follows:

Ward 1. Precinct 2.

A room in the southerly side of the basement of the Edgerly Schoolhouse on Cross street, their being no convenient polling place which can be obtained within the territorial limits of said precinct.

Ward 1. Precinct 3.

A room in the Davis Schoolhouse on Tufts street.

Ward 1. Precinct 4.

A room in the Jackson Schoolhouse on Maple Street.

Ward 2. Precinct 1.

A room in the Bell Schoolhouse on Vinal Avenue.

Ward 2. Precinct 2.

The Ward Room in the Police Building on Bow Street.

Ward 2. Precinct 3.

Eberle Lower Hall in Union Square

Ward 2. Precinct 4.

A room in the Union Schoolhouse on Prospect street, there being no convenient polling place which can be obtained within the territorial limits of said precinct.

Ward 2. Precinct 5.

A room in the Webster Schoolhouse on Webster Avenue.

Ward 3. Precinct 1.

A room in the northerly side of the basement of the Edgerly Schoolhouse on Cross street.

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Ward 3. Precinct 2.

The hall known as Brazilian Hall, numbered 271 Broadway.

Ward 3. Precinct 3.

A room in the basement of the Foster Schoolhouse on Sycamore street.

Ward 3. Precinct 4.

A room in the Kingham Schoolhouse on Powell Street

Ward 4. Precinct 1.

A room in the Beech-street Schoolhouse on Beech street.

Ward 4. Precinct 2.

A room in the Burns Schoolhouse on Cherry Street.

Ward 4. Precinct 3.

A room in the Highland Schoolhouse on Highland Avenue.

Ward 4. Precinct 4.

At the store numbered 280 Elm Street, near Winter street

Report Com. on Police Van purchased

The Committee on Police, reported that in pursuance of an order passed June 11th a van for the use of the Police Department has been purchased of Charles Vaughan & Co. for the sum of $400.00.

Accepted.

Order Com. on Sewers construct sewer Butter Avenue

Alderman Souther offered an order for the construction of a common sewer in Butter Avenue, from the end of the present of the present sewer in said avenue in said avenue, northeasterly to near Highland Avenue as recorded on page 515 of volume 1 of the Records, of Taking of Sands for and Orders to Construct Sewers, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Nov. 18.

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Report Com. on Sewers completion of Highland Ave. Sewer

The Committee on Sewers reported that in pursuance of an order passed August 13th, there has been constructed in Highland Avenue from the sewer in said avenue at Cedar street, by contract with Andrew H. Byrne, 523.6 feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, with 1 manhole, at a cost of $1887.06 and submitted a list of assessments on estates benefited.

Accepted.

Assessments Sewer Highland Avenue Cedar to Cherry sts.

The list of assessments, submitted on the foregoing petition, for a sewer in Highland Avenue, from Cherry street to Cedar Street, with a warrant and an order for their collection, is recorded on pages 121 to 124, inclusive, of volume 1 of the Records of Sewer Assessments of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

Adopted.

Order hearing on assessments sewer Highland Ave.

Alderman Souther offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That November 25th at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen's room in the City Hall be and they are hereby designated as the time and place for a hearing before this board, for all persons desiring to object to their assessments laid this evening for a common sewer in Highland Avenue, between Cherry and Cedar Streets.

Adopted.

Report Com. on Sewers completion of sewers Brook & Beacham Sts. Street B. Beacham St. & St. B. Street A.

The Committee on Sewers reported that, in pursuance of orders dated August 27th, common sewers have been constructed as follows;-

in Brook street, Beacham street, Private Ways and lands and street B., as shown on a plan by Horace S. Eaton, City Engineer, dated July 23, 1890, from the sewer in Lower Street to the westerly and northeasterly extremities of said street B. - 786.5 feet of 15 inch, 200 feet of 12-

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inch, 355.7 feet of 10-inch, and 101 feet of 8-inch pipe sewer, with six manholes, by contract with Christopher Burke, at a cost of $2247.50;-

in Meacham street and a street marked street B. on said plan, from the sewer in Meacham street at street B. to Orchard street and to the northwesterly end of said street C. - 181.1 feet of 10-inch and 407.2 feet of 8-inch pipe sewer, with two manholes, by contract with Edward Fitzgerald, at a cost of $377.64;

in street marked A. on said plan, from the sewer in Meacham street to the northwesterly end of said street A, - 178.4 feet of 8-inch pipe sewer, with one manhole, by contract with Edward Fitzgerald, at a cost of $136.30. and the committee also submitted lists of assessments on estates benefited by said sewers.

Accepted.

Assessments Sewers Brook & Meacham sts. street B. Meacham st. & street C. Street A.

The lists of assessments, submitted with the foregoing report, for common sewers in Brooks street, Meacham Street, private ways and lands and street marked B. on plan,

Meacham street and street marked C. on plan, and street marked A on plan,

with warrants and orders for this collection, are recorded, respectively on pages 109 to 112, 113 to 116, and 117 to 120, inclusive, of volume 1 of the Records of Sewer Assessments, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Report Com on Sewers Proposals sewers Brooks, Moreland & Heath sts.

The Committee on Sewers, in pursuance of an order dated October 8th, submitted the following list of proposals received to construct in Brooks or Moreland Street and Main street from the sewer in Heath street, to Mount Vernon Avenue; 600 feet of 10-inch pipe sewer, with 3 manholes, and to remove about 75 cubic yards of

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the bribes to be furnished by the city.

Names of Bidders	Manholes each	Rock excavated per cu. yd.	Laying sewer per lin. foot	Estimated Aggregates
	$	$	$	$
Maurice Bullimer	50.00	4.00	1.00	950.00
Richard Falvey	48.00	4.00	0.91	891.00
Charles A. Morgan	48.10	3.00	0.65	731.50

and the committee recommended that the contract be awarded to Charles A. Morgan.

Accepted.

Alderman Souther offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That November 25th at 8 P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen's room in the City Hall be a time and place designated as the time and place for a hearing before this board for all persons desiring to object to their assessments, laid this evening for common sewers as follows,-

in Brook Street, Meacham Street and Street B.

in Meacham Street and Street B. and

in Street A.

all as shown on plan made by Horace S. Eaton City Engineer, dated July 28. 1896 entitled "Brook Street Private Ways and Sewer and Meacham Street Sewer, Taking of Land"

Adopted.

Order hearings on assessments Sewers Brooks + Meacham Sts + Street B. Meacham Street + Street B.

Alderman Souther offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Sewers, be and is hereby authorized and instructed to make a contract with Charles A. Morgan, for the construction of a common sewer in Brooks or Moreland street from the sewer in Health Street to Main Street and in Main street southeasterly to near Mt. Vernon Avenue at the prices named in his proposal submitted in said Committee's report of this date

Read twice and adopted.

Order Com. on Sewers make contract for sewer Brooks, Moreland + Main

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✓ Report Com. on Highways West End Street Ry. Co. location side track Broadway.	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of the West End Street Railway Company, for a location for a side track in Broadway (near Franklin Street) reported that as the location was granted by the board of Aldermen October 8th, no further action is necessary. Accepted.
✓ Report Com. on Highways West End St. Ry. Co. location for turnout Medford Street.	The Committee on Highways, on the petition of the West End Street Railway Company for location for a turnout in Medford Street near Jenny Lind Avenue, reported an order for a location. Accepted
✓ Order granting locations for turnouts West End Street Ry. Co. Medford Street acceptance & agreement fee [illegible]	The order submitted with the foregoing report, granting a location to the West End Street Railway Company, for a turnout in Medford Street near Jenny Lind Avenue, is recorded on page 211 of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville. Adopted
✓ Order Com. on Highways remove tree 113 Pearl Street.	Alderman Kimball offered the following order. Ordered:- That the Committee on Highways be and are hereby authorized and instructed to remove a tree standing in front of the estate No. 113 Pearl street, as said tree is unsightly and rotten in some of its branches. Read twice and adopted. Approved by the Mayor Nov. 18th.

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The Committee on Highways reported that in pursuance of an order dated October 8th a tree has been removed which stood in Medford Street, opposite Trull street, and another which stood in Marshall street at the corner of Gilman Square

Accepted

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
trees removed
Medford at Trull St.
Marshall St. at Gilman Sq.

Alderman Kimball offered an order for the construction of a brick sidewalk in Highland Avenue, southwesterly side, from Central street to Trull Lane, of the width of 6 5/10, as recorded on page 107 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalks — Hearings and Construction — of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Read twice and adopted.

Approved by the Mayor Nov. 18th

Order ✓
construction of Sidewalk
Highland Avenue
Central St. to Trull Lane

The Committee on Highways reported that, in pursuance of an order dated July 28th, September 10th and September 24th sidewalks have been constructed as follows; — in

Church Street, easterly side, from Somerville Avenue to Summer street, brick, —

Medford Street, southwesterly side, from School Street, to Central street, gravel with edgestones, —

Pearl street, southwesterly side, from Cross street, to Walnut street, gravel with edgestones.

and the committee submitted lists of assessments for one half the cost of said Sidewalks

Accepted

Report ✓
Com. on Highways
completion of sidewalks
Church Street
Medford "
Pearl "

The lists of assessments, submitted with the foregoing report, for sidewalks in

Church Street, easterly side from Somerville Avenue to Summer Street, —

Medford Street, southwesterly side, from School street to Central street, —

Assessments ✓
Sidewalks
Church Street
Medford "
Pearl "

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Pearl street, southwesterly side, from Cross to Walnut St. with warrants and orders for their collection, are recorded respectively, on pages 137 to 140, 141 to 144 and 145 to 148 of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalk Assessments of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

Adopted

✓ Report Com. of Highways John S. Ambrose - Sidewalk Columbus Avenue

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of John S. Ambrose, for a brick sidewalk in front of his estate, Columbus Avenue, the materials to be paid for by him, reported that a sidewalk has been laid as prayed for and a bill of $47.26 for the bricks used, has been sent to the Treasurer for collection.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

✓ Petition J. H. Kelley & others that name of Taggard Court be changed to Beacon Pl.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of J. H. Kelley and others, that the name of the passageway leading (northerly) from Beacon Street and now Taggard Court be changed to Beacon Place, reported an order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

✓ Order changing name of Taggard Court to Beacon Place

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows

Ordered, -

That the Court extending northeasterly from Beacon Street, between Dalton Street and Washington Street, called, Taggard Court, be hereafter known as Beacon Place

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

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Alderman Kimball offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That the street extending southeasterly from Walnut Street to Boston Street, called Munroe Street, be hereafter known as High Street.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

Approved by the Mayor Nov. 18.

Order changing name of Munroe St. to High Street.

The Committee on Highways on petitions for driveways, from

E. T. Baker, at No. 86 Concord Avenue

Timothy F. Scannell, northerly side of Tufts Street, and

Timothy F. Crimmings, at rear of Connor Building, on Warren Avenue.

reported that sidewalks have been constructed, as prayed for, and bills for the cost, amounting respectively, to $200, $9.20, and $9.17 have been sent to the Treasurer for collection.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

Report Com. on Highways driveways constructed. E. T. Baker - Concord Ave. T. F. Scannell. Tufts Street. T. F. Crimmings - Warren Ave.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of B. H. Ramsdell and others, for a street crossing on Pearl street, from Aldrich Street to Hana Street, reported that a crossing has been laid as prayed for.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

Report Com. on Highways. B. H. Ramsdell + others. Crossing Pearl St. + Aldrich St.

The Committee on Highways reported that by authority of an order dated April 23d, crushed stone to the value of $105.25 has been sold to the West End Street Railway Company and Mead stone to the value of $229.15 has been bought of Frank Mead.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

Report Com. on Highways. crush stone sold. Mead stone bought.

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Report Com. on Highways manure + junk sold.

The Committee on Highways reported that by authority of an order dated February 17th. manure has been sold during the year to Irving L. Russell to the value of $135.00, and junk, to the value $18.50 to Mr. F. Tinney, and bills therefor have been sent to the Treasurer for collection.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in Common Council in concurrence Nov. 12.

Report Com. on Highways petitions for laying out of Braxton Ave. Gibbens Street. Montrose Street. Tyler Street. William Street

The Committee on Highways, on petitions for the laying out of streets, from

John H. Shaw and others, for the laying out of Braxton Ave.
Edward B. Morgan and others, for the laying out of Gibbens Street.
E. A. Kisbee and others, for the laying out of Montrose Street,
S. L. Tower and others, for the laying out of Tyler Street
Willard A. Munroe and others, for the laying out of Williams Street,

presented favorable reports, as recorded respectively, on pages 101, 109, 117, 125 and 133, of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

Orders of Notice laying out of Braxton Ave. Gibbens Streets Montrose Street. Tyler Street. William Street

Accompanying the foregoing reports were orders of notice for hearings on the laying out of

Braxton Avenue.
Gibbens Street,
Montrose Street,
Tyler Street,
Williams Street,

as recorded respectively, on pages 102, 110, 118, 126 and 134 of volume 1 of the records of the Laying out of Streets of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

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The Committee on Fire Department, reported that by authority of an order dated July 9th, a hose wagon for Hose Company No. 3, has been purchased of Hess & Teel Co, of Medford, for the sum of $480.00

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

Report Com. on Fire Dept. hose wagon bought for Hose Co. No. 3.

The Committee on Fire Department reported that by authority of an order dated September 10th a horse has been purchased of John S. Nason for use on Ladder Truck No. 1, for the sum of $200.00 and one of the old horses given in exchange.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

Report Com. on Fire Dept. horse purchased for Ladder Truck No. 1

The Committee on Fire Department reported that by authority of an order dated April 9th a Steam fire engine has been bought by the Silsby Manfg. Company of Seneca Falls, New York for the sum of $3600.00, exclusive of a heater and relief valve which cost, in addition $290.00, also a pair of horses have been purchased of John S. Nason for $625.00; making the total cost of engine and equipments, $4515.00.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by Common Council Nov. 12.

Report Com. on Fire Dept. Steam Fire Engine and equipments purchased.

The Committee on Fire Department, on the petition of Thomas Gaghan, for the bank wall at the rear of the lot owned by the City on Marshall Street at Hose Two House, the expense to be borne by the City, recommended leave to withdraw.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

Report Com. on Fire Dept. Thos. Gaghan bank wall in rear of Marshall St (Hose) Lot

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Report Com. on Public Property contract made for Schoolhouse Ward 2. Boston + Washington St.

The Committee on Public Property reported that by authority of an order dated August 25th, a contract has been made with James McNeil of 509 Columbus Avenue, Boston, for the erection of a twelve room brick schoolhouse at the corner of Boston and Washington Street, in Ward Two, according to plans by Mess. Loring + Phipps, for the sum of $42,875.00.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

Report Com. on Public Property contract made for Schoolhouse Ward 3. Jaques St.

The Committee on Public Property reported that by authority of an order dated September 10th a contract has been made with J. B. Wilson, for the erection of an eight-room brick schoolhouse on Jaques Street in Ward Three, according to plans by Mess. Loring + Phipps, for the sum of $32,560.00.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

Report Com. on Public Property store Elm St. hired of Mrs Susan B. Jones

The Committee on Public Property reported that by authority of an order dated September 15th the store owned by Mrs Susan B. Jones at the corner of Elm and Winter Streets, has been hired for school purposes from October 1st 1890 to January 1st 1891 at a rental of forty dollars per month.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

Report Com. on Public Property furniture purchased for Registrars of Voters

The Committee on Public Property reported that by authority of an order dated August 13th furniture for the Registrars of Voters has been purchased of B. H. Lyman Co. at a cost of $65.00

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

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The Committee on Claims on the notice of Bridget Condon of her claim for damages on account of injuries received by falling against the root of a tree in front of No. 41 Beacon Street, reported an order

Report Com. on Claims Bridget Condon injuries Beacon St.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 12.

The order presented with the foregoing report is as follows:-

Ordered:-

That there be paid in settlement of the suit of Bridget Condon vs. City of Somerville (which was pending in the Superior Court of Middlesex County, and was brought on account of injury to the plaintiff on account of a defect on Beacon Street) the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars, the same to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Order settlement of claim Bridget Condon's injuries Beacon Street

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council Nov. 12.

Approved by the Mayor Nov. 18.

Alderman Edmunds offered the following order

Order settlement of claim Ellen Shedd injuries Russell Street

Ordered:-

That there be paid in settlement of the suit of Ellen Shedd vs. City of Somerville (which was pending in the Superior Court of Middlesex County, and was brought on account of a defect on Russell Street) the sum of fifty dollars, the same to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence Nov. 12.

Approved by the Mayor Nov. 18.

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✓ Order Common Soldiers Relief purchase turkeys for Thanksgiving

Alderman Sanborn offered the following order.

Ordered, -

That the Committee on Soldiers Relief be and are hereby authorized to purchase turkeys for Thanksgiving and to distribute them to the needy soldiers and sailors and families of soldiers and sailors of the late war, residing in our city, the sum so expended not to exceed two hundred and seventy five dollars and to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence, Nov. 13.

Approved by the Mayor Nov. 18

✓ Order filling of wells in Moore Quarry Moore Street

Received from the Common Council the following order, -

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Ordered, -

That the owner of that portion of Moore Street known as Moore Quarry be instructed to close the same immediately and to fill up the wells now existing there, the same being in a dangerous condition, so much so that one life has recently been lost there, and also be it further ordered that unless the same be immediately attended to this matter be referred to the City Solicitor with instructions to secure safety to the people residing there to which they are entitled.

signed Isaac L. Webber.

Referred by the Common Council to the Committee on Highways and sent up for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Board of Aldermen Nov. 12.

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On motion of Alderman Converse, it was voted that when the board adjourns it adjourns until Tuesday, the 25th inst. at 8 P.M.

Adjourned

Attest.

George S. Vincent
Clerk.

Special Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall,
Somerville, Nov. 21. 1890. 8 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope, presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Edmunds, Kimball, Southworth, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Perambulation Arlington Boundary Line.

Received a communication from the Selectmen of Arlington, stating that they would like to meet representatives of this City for the purpose of perambulating the boundary line between Arlington and Somerville.

The Mayor appointed Alderman Kimball the City Engineer and the Superintendent of Streets to join the Arlington Selectmen in perambulating said boundary line.

Jurors

Received a venire from the United States District Court for the drawing of two men to serve as Grand Jurors at the said Court to be holden in Boston on the second day of December next, said jurors to appear in said court on said second day of December at ten o'clock A. M.

Daniel H. Desmond
and
Alonzo Kane
were accordingly drawn to serve as such Grand Jurors.

Jurors

The same venire directed the drawing of four men to serve as Petit Jurors at the said Court, there to appear on the ninth day of December at 10 o'clock A. M.

John L. Dunmore,
Jacob T. Butler,
Alfred T. Dunbar,

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Adams H. Otherton
were accordingly drawn to serve as such Petit Jurors

Received a petition from J. Lincoln Collins and others for a catch-basin in Concord Avenue at the foot of Linnick Street.
Referred to Committee on Sewers

Petition
J. Lincoln Collins et al
Catch-basin
Concord Avenue

Alderman Souther offered an order to authorize the Committee on Public Property to allow the use of Kow-Street Hall for military drill by the scholars of the High School.
Laid on the table.

Order ✓
Use of Kow St. Hall
for military drill
by scholars of High School

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order
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 seventy five thousand dollars for a term not exceeding nine 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 moneys collected for said taxes, to be approved by the Mayor

Order ✓
Loan $75.000
Current expenses

Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules its second reading and final passage by unanimous yea and nay vote. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council Nov. 21 - Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules its second reading and final passage by a unanimous Yea and Nay vote in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor Nov. 21.

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Adjourned until Tuesday the 26th inst at 8 P.M.

Adjourned

Attest

George S. Vincent
Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville Nov. 25, 1890. 8 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Conners, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther and Vickerson present.

In pursuance of an order passed Nov. 12th, a hearing was given all persons desiring to object to their assessments laid Nov. 12th, for a common sewer in Highland Avenue from Cedar Street to Cherry Street.

Hearing ✓ sewer assessments Highland Avenue

Mrs Nicholas Foran appeared and objected to the assessment to Nicholas Foran, because she did not feel able to pay it, her husband died a year ago and had paid taxes on the land, which is vacant, seventeen years.

No other persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Objection referred to Committee on Sewers.

In pursuance of an order passed Nov. 12th hearings were given all persons desiring to object to their assessments, laid Nov. 12th, for common sewers in

Brook Street, Meacham street and street B.
Meacham street and street C.
Street A.

Hearings ✓ sewer assessments Brook St. Meacham St. + St. B. Meacham St. & Street C. Street A.

No persons interested and appearing and desiring to be heard the hearing was closed.

Received a request from the School Committee, that permission be granted to the High School Battalion to drill in Bow Street Hall.

Request ✓ School Committee use of Bow Street Hall for High School Batt. for drill

Referred to Committee on Public Property and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Nov. 28th.

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Communication Mayor of Boston return for use of streets by private corporations

Received a communication from Hon. Thomas N. Hart, Mayor of Boston, inviting the cooperation of this City Government (as well as of all other city governments of Massachusetts) in a petition to the General Court, for an Act authorizing cities to require return for the use of streets by private corporations.

Referred to Committee on Finance and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Nov. 25.

Petition C. H. & J. S. Porter removal of tree 34 Franklin Street

Received a petition from Charles H. and Josephine S. Porter, for the removal of a tree standing in front of their estate No. 34. Franklin Street, as it is prejudicial to the health of themselves and their family.

Referred to Committee on Highways.

Petition Laura B. Hawes recision award of damages by laying out of Mills Street and for a hearing

Received a petition from Laura B. Hawes, for a recision of the award for damage (nothing) made to her on account of the laying out of Mills Street, and for a hearing in the matter, as she claims that by such laying out and by the construction of a sidewalk in Mills Street, her estate was greatly damaged.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Nov. 25th.

Petition W. P. Phillips & others electric light Conwell Ave.

Received a petition from Wm. P. Phillips and others, for an electric light in Conwell Avenue.

Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in Nov. 25th.

Petitions permits to move building Mullken & Moore Bedford to Pearl Street

Received petitions for permits to move buildings, from George H. Moore and J. E. F. Mullken, a wooden building, from the north side of Bedford street near Marshall street to the south side of Pearl Street near Marshall Street,

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George McDonald and C. M. Warner stables, from the west side of Mystic street near Somerville Avenue, through Mystic street, Somerville Avenue, Merriam and Charlestown streets, to the north side of Charlestown street near Merriam street, & — McDonald & Warner. Mystic to Charlestown sts.

George McDonald & C. M. Warner, a wooden building, from the west side of Mystic street near Washington street through Mystic street, Somerville Avenue, Medford street, private lands and Charlestown street, to the north side of Charlestown street near Merriam street, said petitions being certified, - the first by Alderman Nickerson and the other two by Alderman Kimball, that in their opinion the proposed removal can be made without injury to public or private property.

Recd for information

Aldermen Nickerson and Kimball respectively offered order for the granting of permits to move buildings, to — Orders permit to move buildings

Geo. H. Moore & J. & A. Mulliken — Mulliken + Moore

& George McDonald & C. M. Warner, — & McDonald + Warner

as stated in the three foregoing petitions and as recorded on pages 424, 425 and 426, of volume 1 of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Orders granting Building Permits — Order granting Building Permits

Ordered,-

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings a building permit, with further leave, if necessary, to encumber such portion of the street and sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants, for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five

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days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

Name of Applicant	Owner of Land	New Erection	Added Alteration	Street
Israel P. Rice	I. P. Rice	1 dwelling		Bowdoin
S. G. Hudson	S. G. Hudson	1 "		Dana
Wm. K. Fletcher	A. S. Fletcher	1 "		Lee
Daniel E. Robbins	I. M. B. Wyman	1 "		Billingham
Willis A. Young	W. A. Young	1 "		Hudson
Wm. E. Jones	Maurice Byard	1 "		Summer
Wilbur P. Rice	W. P. Rice	4 "		Delaware
Geo. E. Ricker	E. A. Perkins	4 "		Derby
A. F. Dickson	A. F. Dickson	4 "		Wesley
Jos. H. Daley	J. H. Daley	1 stable		Beacon
Arthur W. Berry	A. W. Berry	1 "		Hudson
Wilbur P. Rice	Mr. Osborne	1 "		Mountain ave

Adopted

Order revoking sundry Newsboys Licenses

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the licenses granted May 14th, June 11th, August 12th, and Sept. 24th to Henry K. Fitts, Waldron W. Hodsdon, Joseph F. Hopkins, George A. Jorlin, Frederick A. Smith and Alexander M. Watt, to sell newspapers under the provisions of ordinance No. 43, be and they are hereby revoked, the said licensees having failed to procure badges as required by said ordinance.

Adopted.

Report Com. on Sewers contract with R. Falvey sewer Thurston Street

The Committee on Sewers, which was authorized by an order dated August 27th to make a contract with Richard Falvey for the construction of a sewer in Thurston Street, reported that it was found inexpedient to make a contract as so authorized and that said sewer has been laid by day labor, under the direction of the City Engineer.

Accepted.

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Report of Committee on Sewers on completion of sundry sewers.

The Committee on Sewers reported that by authority of orders dated July 9th, August 27th, October 22nd and November 12th, sewers have been constructed as follows, - in

Thurston Street from the sewer in Broadway to near Heath street, about 320.5 feet of ten-inch pipe sewer, with 1 manhole, at a cost of $479.58.

Lowell Street from the sewer in Albion street to Hudson street and in Hudson street, from Lowell Street northwesterly to a point about 208 feet southwesterly from Cedar Street, and southeasterly to a point about 366 feet northwesterly from Central Street, by contract with Maurice Cuttimer, about 2845.6 feet of eight inch pipe sewer with 9 manholes, at a cost of $2042.10.

Cedar Street, from the sewer in Albion Street to Hudson Street, and in Hudson street, from Cedar Street southeasterly about 223 feet, by contract with Christopher Burke, about 211.8 feet of 12 inch and 206.4 feet of 8 inch pipe sewer with 3 manholes, at a cost of $435.96.

Hudson Street from the sewer in Central street, to a point about 366 feet northwesterly from said Central Street, by contract with Christopher Burke, about 354 feet of 8 inch pipe sewer, with 1 manhole, at a cost of $322.42.

Evergreen Avenue from Thurston Street, to near Sycamore Street, by contract with Charles A. Morgan, about 200.6 feet of eight inch pipe sewer with one manhole at a cost of $217.65.

Lincoln Avenue from the manhole at George Street westerly about two hundred feet, by contract with Andrew W. Bruyne, about 213 feet of 8 inch pipe sewer, with one manhole, at a cost of $202.69.

Cutler Avenue from the end of the sewer in said avenue laid in 1884 northeasterly to near Highland Avenue, about 136.5 feet of 8 inch pipe sewer with 1 manhole, at a cost of $143.86; and submits herewith lists of assessments upon estates benefitted.

Accepted.

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Assessment lists sundry sewers

The lists of assessments, submitted with the foregoing report, for common sewers in

Cedar and Hudson streets,
Lowell and Hudson streets,
Hudson street,
Cutter Avenue,
Evergreen Avenue,
Lincoln Avenue,
Thurston street,

are recorded respectively on pages 125 to 128, 129 to 132, 133 to 136, 137 to 140, 141 to 144, 145 to 148 and 149 to 152, inclusive of volume 1, of the Records of Sewer Assessments, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Order Hearings sundry Sewer Assessments.

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order,

Ordered, -

That December 16th at 8 o'clock P.M. and the Mayor and Aldermen's room in the City Hall be and they are hereby designated as the time and place for a hearing before this board for all persons desiring to object to their assessments, laid this evening, for common sewers as follows, in

Thurston Street,
Lowell and Hudson streets,
Cedar and Hudson streets,
Hudson street,
Evergreen Avenue
Lincoln Avenue
Cutter Avenue

Adopted.

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Alderman Hemenway offered the following order. Order borrow $100.000.00 current expenses temporary loan

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 thousand dollars for a term not exceeding twelve months, and the treasurer is hereby authorized under the direction of said committee to give a note or notes of the city therefore, payable from the moneys collected for said taxes; to be approved by the Mayor.

Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules, its second reading and final passage by unanimous yea and nay votes. Sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council, Nov. 28, 1890. Received its first reading and under a suspension of the rules its second reading and final passage by a unanimous yea and nay vote, in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor Nov. 29.

Alderman Nickerson offered the following order. Order Common Public Property sell old materials at schoolhouses.

Ordered.

That the Committee on Public Property be are hereby authorized to sell all old material which may have accumulated at the various schoolhouses in the city, the proceeds from said sales to be credited to the appropriation for Schoolhouse Incidentals.

Read twice and adopted, and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common curcurrence Nov. 28th.

Approved by the Mayor Nov. 29th.

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√ Order settle claim Ellen E. McCarthy injuries Medford St

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That there be paid to Ellen Elizabeth McCarthy, in full settlement of her claim for damages, on account of injuries sustained by her on May 22, 1890, from an alleged defect in Medford street, near Adams street, the sum of seventy-five dollars ($75.), the amount to be charged to Miscellaneous Account.

Read twice and adopted, and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence Nov. 28th.

Approved by the Mayor Nov. 29.

√ Order Com. on Accounts approve bills for rent of Halls for Citizens Caucuses.

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That the Committee on Accounts be and they are authorized to approve on pay roll of Miscellaneous bills not exceeding thirty dollars for the use of Claremdon & Odd Fellows Halls for the citizens caucuses lately held for the purpose of nominating candidates for the ensuing municipal election.

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Nov. 28th.

Approved by the Mayor Nov. 29.

Adjourned.

Attest.

George F. Vincent
Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Somerville December 9, 1890, 2 P.M.

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His honor Mayor Pope presiding

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Received statements as follows, from James S. Sanborn and fourteen other qualified voters of Ward Three, that they have reason to believe the returns of votes cast for Common Councilmen in the several precincts of said ward, at the election held therein Dec 2nd, are erroneous, in that votes cast for Lewis B. Hollis were counted and returned as cast for other candidates; (filed with the City Clerk Dec 5th)

Statements errors in returns of votes cast for Common Councilmen in Wards 3, 2 & 1.

Jeremiah J. Lyons and thirteen other qualified voters of Ward Two, that they have reason to believe the returns of votes cast for Common Councilmen, in the several precincts of said ward at the election held therein December 2nd, are erroneous in that votes cast for Michael E. Flynn and votes cast for Frank W. Regan were returned as defective or as cast for other candidates (filed with the City Clerk Dec 5th).

Dennis Mahoney and fourteen other qualified voters of Ward One, that they have reason to believe that returns of votes cast for Common Councilmen, in the several precincts of said ward at the election held therein Dec 2nd, are erroneous in that votes cast for John F. Manning were returned as defective or as cast for other candidates (filed with the City Clerk Dec 6th)

On motion of Alderman Hemenway it was voted that in proceeding with the recounts of votes, in pursuance of the foregoing statements, each precinct be taken up and canvassed separately before proceeding with another; that the ballots be examined by the several Aldermen and the votes called

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to the clerk or an alderman and by him recorded on the tally sheet, with an alderman to verify the calling and another to see that the votes are entered correctly on the tally sheet, also that all questionable ballots be reserved for action until the remainder for that precinct have been recorded

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Representatives of Candidates appointed

Notices of appointments of representatives to appear for candidates at the recounts were received as follows:
Michael E. Flynn, candidate from Ward 2, appointing John S. Nichols,
John F. Manning, candidate from Ward 1, appointing John S. Nichols.

Recounts votes cast for Common Councilmen Wards 3, 2, + 1.

The board proceeded with the recounting of votes for Common Councilmen from Wards Three, Two and One, in pursuance of the foregoing statements, the notices required by law having been duly given by the City Clerk, - the candidates and representatives of candidates present and the result of such recounts being fully stated in the certificates thereof made by the Aldermen participating and recorded on pages 38 to 44 inclusive, of volume 1 of the Records of Elections of the City of Somerville.

Questionable ballots

Questionable ballots were disposed of as follows;
One with straight marks against the names of candidates, while crosses were made on the Licenses and Water Board questions, was adjudged defective and not counted for any candidates.

Two ballots marked with crosses and with circles drawn around, and partly through the ends of, the crosses, were counted.

In Ward Two, Precinct Five, several ballots had been badly torn in passing through the cancelling machinery of the ballot box, but the votes for Common Councilmen could

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be distinguished on all but one of them, and of that one nearly all of the part for Common Councilmen was torn off and was not in the box with the other ballots, but was, presumably, caught in the cancelling machine of the ballot box, which machinery was not accessible to the election officers. The only mark on the Common Councilmen part of the ballot remaining was a cross against the name of Frank H. Kegan. Before action on this ballot it was ascertained that it could not possibly affect the result, however it might be treated. It was accordingly recorded as bearing one vote for Frank H. Kegan and three defective votes.

Adjourned.

Attest

George F. Vincent
Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen,
City Hall,
Somerville Dec 10. 1890. 8 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope, presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hennessey, Southier, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Hearings sewer assessments Thurston Street, Lowell & Hudson St., Cedar & Hudson St., Hudson Street, Evergreen Avenue, Lincoln Avenue, Cutter Avenue

In pursuance of an order of Nov. 25th, hearings were given for all persons desiring to object to their assessments laid Nov. 25th, for common sewers in

Thurston Street
Lowell & Hudson Streets,
Cedar & Hudson streets,
Hudson street,
Evergreen Avenue,
Lincoln Avenue, and
Cutter Avenue.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard in either case, the hearings were closed.

Petition Perkins St. Baptist Church use of Ward Room Prescott School

Received from the Common Council a petition from T. J. Buffum and others, the Standing Committee of the Perkins St. Baptist Church, for the use of the Ward Room in the Prescott Schoolhouse on Sunday evenings and on other evenings when needed for religious purposes.

Petition granted by the Common Council Nov. 28th and sent up for concurrence.

Granted in concurrence.

Order Com. on Public Property let to the Perkins St. Baptist Church Ward Room Prescott School

Received from the Common Council the following order.

In Common Council Nov. 28, 1890.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Public Property be and

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are hereby authorized to let to the Perkins Street Baptist Church Society the ward room in the Prescott Schoolhouse for religious meetings on Sunday evenings and such other evenings as may be needed, at a price to be made by said committee.

Adopted by the Common Council Nov. 28, and sent up for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence Dec. 10

Approved by the Mayor Dec. 11.

Received a recommendation from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department that Charles E. Shaw be appointed a call man and member of Ladder Company No. 1, to fill a vacancy. — Recommendation Chief Eng. Fire Dept. Appointment

Appointment as recommended made and confirmed.

Received the report of the Chief of Police for the month of November. — Report Chief of Police months of November.

Read and sent down for information.

Read for information by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Received the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department for the months of October and November. — Reports Chief of Fire Dept. October & November

Read and sent down for information

Read for information by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Received petitions each signed by a parent of the proposed licensee, that licenses to sell newspapers, under sundry minor ordinances No. 43, be granted to the following-named minors:— — Petitions licenses sell newspapers

David H. K. Morrison,	66 Irving St,	Aged 15,
James J. Sullivan,	86 Myrtle St.	" 12,
James A. Yacker,	417 Somerville Ave.	" 16
Joseph H. Yacker,	417 " "	" 14

all approved by the Chief of Police.

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Licenses granted

√ Petitions sundry persons licenses cry goods in streets

Received petitions for license to cry their goods in the streets, from

Fernand Delamare,	504 Somerville Ave.	Somerville
Edward Kelleher,	7 Lambert St	E. Cambridge
Patrick Lane,	11 Jefferson St.	Cambridgeport
Frank McHugh,	57 Oak St.	Somerville
John W. Roberts,	22 Eaton St.	Boston
Arthur M. White,	46 Oak St.	Somerville

all approved by the Chief of Police.

Licenses granted

√ Petition Arthur M. White license collect junk

Received a petition for a license to collect junk, from Arthur M. White, 46 Oak St. Somerville, approved by the Chief of Police.

License granted

√ Petition Chas. H. Palmer license entertainment

Received a petition from Charles H. Palmer for a license for a dramatic entertainment in Odd Fellow's Hall, Broadway, Wednesday evening December 3rd recommended by the Chief of Police, approved by the Mayor and license issued by the City Clerk Dec. 3.

Issuing of license approved

√ Petition Fresh Pond Ice Co. permit build icehouse, stable + office

Received a petition from the Fresh Pond Ice Company, for a permit to build, on land between Washington Street and Elms Court, –

a wooden building for receiving ice, 600 ft. × 50 ft.

a stable of brick, iron + wood, for more than four horses. 200 ft × 50 ft.

an office building, of wood, 20 ft × 30 ft.

Permit granted

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Received a petition from the Somerville Electric Light Company for locations for poles for wires on Beacon and Mossland Streets.

Referred to Committee on Highways.

Petition Som. Electric Light Co. Locations Beacon & Mossland Sts.

Received a petition from Benj. F. Brown, Trustee of the estate of Willard Dalrymple, that Oak Street between Houghton Street and the bend in said Oak Street, be accepted and put in proper condition for travel.

Referred to Committee on Highways and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Petition Benj. F. Brown acceptance &c. Oak Street.

Received a petition from A. Headly and others, for an electric light at the corner of Alston Street and Shawmut Place.

Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by Common Council Dec. 11.

Petition A. Headly & others electric light Alston St. & Shawmut Pl.

Received a petition from James Sugrue, for an electric light on Columbia Street near the Cambridge line.

Referred to Committee on Fuel and Street Lights and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Petition James Sugrue electric light. Columbia Street.

Received an offer from Francis Tufts and others, (being Heirs of Nathan Tufts) to give to the City the Old Powder House building and about 65.000 feet of land surrounding it, as shown on accompanying plan, under the following conditions, viz.-

1st. That the Powder House be kept perpetually in repair and that the land surrounding it, included in the gift, be made into a public park and forever maintained as such, to be called the "Nathan Tufts Park."

2d. That the city will lay out and construct approaches to

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the park, viz;- Liberty Avenue and X St., and lay out and construct the paths and driveways indicated in the accompanying plans.

3d That the abutters on said driveways on the north and south sides of the park shall have the right to pass and repass through and over the said driveways.

4th That no assessments for betterments on account of the park shall be levied upon the owners of the so called "Powder House Farm".

5th That the approaches and driveways aforesaid shall be laid out and constructed within twelve months.

signed, Francis Tufts, Sarah E. Kidder, Martha H. Tufts, Hannah J. Allen, Nathan F. Tufts, Mary Alice Tufts, Albert L. Tufts. Dec 10. 1890.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Protest Geo. A. Munroe + others against changing name of Munroe Street to High Street.

Received a protest from Geo. A. Munroe and others, against the action of the City Council taken Nov. 12th adopting an order that the street extending southeasterly from Walnut street to Boston street, called Munroe Street, be hereafter known as High street, said protest stating also that said street was laid out many years ago by Edwin Munroe Jr. and Benj. S. Munroe, each giving a part of his land to the town for that purpose and naming it Munroe street, they owning the land now fronting on Walnut street, both sides of Boston street, and both sides of said street laid out by them; and the signers claiming that the courtesy of the city should be extended to the donors of the land by confirming the title of the street given by them, and as but one name is needed for so short a street the name of Height street now given to the easterly end being of no peculiar significance should be dropped instead.

Action postponed until the next meeting.

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Received a petition from Michael Spillane, for a permit to move a stable, 28 ft long, 22 ft. wide and — feet high, from land of S. G. & H. F. Bowman on the north-east side of Broadway on Winter Hill, through Broadway, Medford, Lowell and Wilton Streets to land of said Spillane on the southerly side of Wilton Street near Lowell Street, — endorsed by Alderman Nickerson that in his opinion said removal can be made without injury to public or private property.

Read for information.

Petition Michael Spillane permit move stable Broadway & Wilton Sts

Alderman Nickerson offered an order granting a permit to Nicholas Spillane to move a building through Broadway, Medford, Lowell and Wilton Streets, as prayed for in the foregoing petition and as recorded on page 427 of volume 1, of the Records of Poles and Wires, Street Railways and Moving Buildings, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Adopted.

Order permit move stable Michael Spillane Broadway & Wilton Sts

Order granting Building Permits

Ordered:-

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit with further use if necessary to encumber such portions of the Street and Sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe for the purposes of each case, issue to the following-named applicants, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however, that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out of the office of the Clerk of this Board.

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Name of applicant	Owner of land	New Erection	Add. or Alteration	Street
Wm. H. Savory	Wm. H. Savory	Dwelling		Heath
James E. Paul	M. E. Looney	/		Hudson
John K. Ricker	Reuben Willis	/		Lowell

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Prentice Sargent	P. Sargent	1 dwelling		Albion
Ernest H. Pitman	Miah Kenney	1 "		Oliver
S+C.H. Williams	S+C.H. Williams	1 "		Ames
"	C.H. Ramsdell	1 "		Albion
John McGarr	M.B. Dewire	4 " in a block		Beacon
Llewellyn R. Bragg	Cheatham Parks		cellar	Richmond Highlands
Gillis Bros	J.H. Brown + Co.	lumber shed		near Hawkins St
"	John Manning	wagon shed		Linwood
Elisha Grant	A. E. Hall	bay window		Charles

Adopted.

Order revoking sundry newsboys licenses.

On motion of Alderman Nickerson the vote of Nov. 25th, adopting an order revoking sundry newsboys licenses were rescinded.

On motion of the same alderman the order was amended by striking out the name of Henry K. Fitts.

As thus amended the order was adopted.

Report Perambulation Boundary Lines Cambridge & Somerville

Received the report of the committee on the part of the cities of Cambridge and Somerville appointed to perambulate the boundary line between the said cities, which report is recorded on pages 1, to 3, inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of the Perambulation of Boundary Lines of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Accepted.

Officer's Returns on warrants for City Election

Jairus Mann, Constable of Somerville, made return of service of the warrants for election held in this city December 2nd that he had warned and notified the citizens of the several precincts, by posting a true and attested copy of each warrant in not less than ten public places in the precinct named therein and by publishing a like copy of each warrant in the Somerville Citizen, a newspaper published in said city, in its issue of November 21st 1890, said posting and publication having been made at least seven days before the time of holding said election

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Report Com. on Elections result of City Election.

The return of the election officers for the several precincts of the votes cast at the election held December 2nd, being presented by the City Clerk and referred to the Committee on Elections, that committee after examining the same reported as follows;-

"The Committee on Elections, having examined the returns of votes cast in the several precincts of the City at the election held therein December 2nd, and the certificates of the recounts, made by the Board of Aldermen December 9th, of the votes cast for Common Councilmen in the several precincts of ward one, two and three, at said election, and having compared said returns, and certificates with the City Clerk's record thereof on pages 30. to 41 inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of Elections of the City of Somerville, - reports that the said returns are in due form, that they have been corrected by the City Clerk to conform to said certificates, and that the said record agrees with said returns and certificates, and that the said election as appears by said corrected returns and record has resulted in the election of the following named officers of the City for the municipal year next ensuing, namely, -

Mayor.

Charles G. Pope.

Aldermen from Ward 1.

Charles B. Sanborn, Clarence H. Wiley.

Aldermen from Ward 2.

Allen F. Carpenter, Jeremiah J. Lyons.

Aldermen from Ward 3.

Alvano T. Nickerson, Charles B. Osgood.

Aldermen from Ward 4.

Albert H. Edmands. William A. Hunnewell

Common Councilmen from Ward 1.

Edric Eldridge, S. Walter Jones,
George H. Prichard, Isaiah H. Wiley.

Common Councilmen from Ward 2.

James H. Kean Frank E. Fitts.

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Franklin J. Hamblin Warren J. Robinson

Common Councilmen from Ward 3.

William S. Barber, Frank E. Eckerman,

Stillman G. Smith, Thomas S. Wentworth,

Common Councilmen from Ward 4.

Newell F. Caswell, Solomon S. Higgins

Franklin F. Phillips, Charles A. G. Winther.

Members of School Committee for 3 years

from Ward 1. Sanford Hancock,

" Ward 2. Thomas M. Durell,

" Ward 3. Helen J. Sanborn,

" Ward 4. Martin H. Gore

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and your committee further reports that the said election has resulted in the acceptance by the voters of the City of Chapter 217 of the Acts of the Legislature of the year 1890, entitled, "An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Somerville relating to its Water Board."

Accepted.

Order declaring result of City Election

Alderman Edmands offered the following order.

Ordered,-

That the result of the election held in this City December 2nd inst. be and it is declared to be as shown on pages 30 to 41, inclusive, of volume 1, of the Records of Elections of the City of Somerville, and as stated in the report of the Committee on Elections made this day, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to issue certificates of election to the several officers elect, as stated in the said report, and to notify the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Councilmen elect, to assemble at the hall in the Police Building on Row Street, Monday January 5th 1891, at 10 o'clock, A. M. to organize the City government for the ensuing municipal year.

Adopted.

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The Committee on Building Permits, on application of Thomas F. Farrington for a permit to erect a coal shed for Mess. Mulliken and Moore, on Pearl Street, reported an order.

Accepted.

Report Com. Building Permits Mulliken & Moore Coal shed, Pearl St.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows;-

Ordered;-

That a permit be issued to Thomas F. Farrington to erect for Mess. Mulliken & Moore, a wooden coal shed to be located on their land on Pearl Street, dimensions to be 20 X 40.

Adopted.

Order Permit to build Mulliken & Moore Coal shed, Pearl St.

The Committee on Licenses, on petition of William L. Keyes, for a Common Victualler's licence at No. 9 Bow Street, recommended leave to withdraw.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Licenses Wm. L. Keyes Victualler, Bow St.

The Committee on Sewers, on petitions for catch-basins, from

Charles A. Holt and others, for one on Jaques Street near the bank and one on Chauncey Ave;

Thomas Lloyd and others, for one on the west side of Chauncy Ave. 200 feet north of Jaques St.

Henry Gundlach and others, for one at the corner of Cedar & Warwick Streets.

Homer L. Holt and others, for one at the corner of Wyatt and Cook Streets and one at the corner of Cook and Marion Streets.

Lewis W. Sanborn and others, for one at the junction of Prospect and Newton Streets.

Rowland & Daniels and others, for one on the south side of Vine Street.

Somerville Union Hall Company, for one at the corner

Report Com. on Sewers sundry petitions for catch-basins.

of Washington Street and Union Square.
reported that catchbasins had been constructed as provided for.
Accepted.

Report Com. on Sewers removal of deposit Bridge St. Sewer.

The Committee on sewers, on the order of June 11, for the removal of the deposit at the mouth of the Bridge Street sewer, in co-operation with the City of Cambridge, reported that the deposit has been removed at a cost (to this city) of $1384.20 being five ninths of the entire cost.
Accepted

Report Com. on Sewers M. H. Cook + B. F. Hoten sewer Central Street.

The Committee on Sewers, on petitions from Mercy W. Cook, for a sewer in Central Street from Cambridge Street to near Gibbens Street &
Benjamin F. Hoten, for a sewer in Central Street to accommodate estate No. 67.
recommended leave to withdraw.
Accepted.

Report Com. on Sewers Haley, Wentworth + Foran objection to assessments Broadway + Highland Av.

The Committee on Sewers, on notices of Laura A. Haley and Thomas S. Wentworth, of intention to apply for a jury on their assessments for sewers in Broadway, and the objection of Mrs Nicholas Foran to her assessment for sewer in Highland Avenue, reported inadvisable to take any action.
Accepted.

Report Com. on Sewers sundry petitions leave to withdraw

The Committee on Sewers, on petition of John W. Usnal and others, for the discontinuance of a drain which is damaging their lands on Clifton, Newbern and Morrison streets,
J. F. Wilson, for catch-basin on the northwest corner of Highland Avenue and Lowell Streets.

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John Medina and others, for an abatement of sewer assessments on Curtis St. and Fairmount Ave.

John Medina and others, for an abatement of sewer assessments on Curtis St.

recommended leave to withdraw

Accepted.

The Committee on Sewers, on that part of his hon-or, the Mayor's inaugural address concerning the meth-od of laying sewer assessments, reported that in the judg-ment of the committee, owing to the varience in the cost of constructing sewers, it would be impossible to frame an ordinance fixing a uniform rate for abutters without doing injustice either to the abutters or the city.

Accepted.

Report Com. on Sewers Mayor's Address method of assessments

The Committee on Sewers, on the following named papers, to wit, - petitions of.

George P. Strong and others for catch basins on Mon-rose street,

Alice S. Waterhouse for a catch basin on Franklin St. at the corner of Franklin Avenue,

John Fay and others, for a catch basin on South Street at the foot of Hunting street,

M. S. King and others, for a catch-basin on Grove Street near the easterly line of No. 107,

J. Lincoln Collins and others, for a catch-basin on Concord Avenue at the foot of Minick street,

George B. Graves and others, for a sewer in Granite street from Somerville Avenue to Osgood street,

Edward E. McGurk and others for the lowering of the sewer in Spring street from Somerville Avenue to Pet-man Street,

W. Webster Rice and others for a sewer and cath-basin in White Street,

Order dated May 28th 1890, authorizing this committee

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to confer with the Committee on Sewers of the Board of Aldermen of Cambridge in regard to what measure if any, can be taken or are necessary to be taken, for the construction of a sewer in White street, which street is partly in the City of Cambridge and partly in the City of Somerville.

Order dated March 13th 1889 authorizing and instructing this committee to investigate and report to this board as to the advisability of building a main sewer through the location of the Boston and Lowell Railroad and the

Order dated March 27, 1889 authorizing and instructing this committee to investigate and report as to the advisability of extending the Winthrop Avenue sewer,

reported, recommending that the several petitions and orders be referred to the next Board of Aldermen.

Accepted.

Order
Re-assessment
Sewer Assessment
Lincoln Ave.

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order.

Ordered.-

That the sum of thirty dollars from an assessment of forty-four 44/100 dollars, assessed to Cushing Otis as a benefit accruing to his estate by the construction of a common sewer in Lincoln Avenue, be, and the same is hereby abated to him and reassessed to Hiram A. Blarry, the lot on which this re-assessment is levied being shown on the plan of the Lincoln Avenue Sewer in the City Engineer's office.

Adopted.

Report
Com. on Highways
removal of trees
Broadway & Linden Ave.

The Committee on Highways reported that, trees have been removed as follows,-

one at the corner of Broadway and Hathorn street, under order of April 23,

two in front of Mr. McCarthy's estate, No 15 Linden Ave, under order of Oct. 22,

one in front of 315 + 317, which was dangerous, on petition of F. S. Harrington,

Accepted.

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The Committee on Highways, on petitions for the removal of trees from
Margaret Manning, one in front of No. 36 Oak Street and Charles H. Porter, one in front of No. 34 Franklin Street reported an order.
Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways. M. Manning & C. H. Porter. Oak & Franklin Sts.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows,-
Ordered,-
That the Committee on Highways be and is hereby authorized to remove trees as follows,-
one in front of the estate of Margaret Manning, No. 36 Oak street, said tree being an injury to the property, and one in front of the estate of Charles H. Porter, No. 34 Franklin street, said tree being prejudicial to health.
Read twice and adopted.
Approved by the Mayor Dec. 11.

Order Com. on Highways. remove trees 36 Oak Street. 34 Franklin Street.

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of the Somerville Horse Railroad Company for locations for turnouts in Cross street at Webster street and near Flint street, in Pearl Street near Walnut Street, and on Medford street near Jenny Lind Ave. and near Sycamore street, reported that the same have been granted to said company (by the Board of Aldermen) except that on Medford Street near Jenny Lind Avenue, which has been granted to the board to the West End Street Railway Co.
Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways. Som. Horse R. R. Co. sundry locations for turnouts.

The Committee on Highways on petition of David Cutter and others for the extension of the horse railroad track in Union Square across the head of Webster Avenue, reported that a copy of the petition had been sent to Mr. Henry M. Whitney, President of the West End Street Railway.
Accepted.

Report Com. on Highways. D. Cutter and others. extension of Street Railway terminus, Union Square.

Wednesday Dec 18. 1890

Report Com on Highways completion of Sidewalks Highland Ave Sinwood Street Prescott " Preston " School "

The Committee on Highways, reported the completions of sidewalks, as follows:-

on Highland Ave southwest side, from Central Street to Trull Lane, covered with bricks,

Sinwood street, east side, from Washington Street to the Fitchburg Railroad, covered with bricks,

Prescott Street, southeast side, from Summer street to Highland Avenue, covered with bricks,

Preston Street, both sides, from School street to Summer street, edgestones with gravel.

School street, east side from Somerville Ave. to Summer street, covered with bricks,

and submitted lists of assessments for one half of the cost.

Accepted.

Assessments Sidwalks Highland Ave. Sinwood Street Prescott " Preston " School "

The lists of assessments, submitted with the foregoing report, with warrants and orders for their collection, for sidewalks in

Highland Ave.
Sinwood Street,
Prescott "
Preston "
School "

are recorded respectively, on pages 149 to 152, 153 to 156, 157 to 160, 161 to 164, and 165 to 168, inclusive, of volume 1 of the Records of Sidewalk Assessments, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

Adopted.

Report Com on Highways closing of Moore's Quarry Moore Street.

The Committee on Highways, on the order dated Nov 12th that the owner of that portion of Moore Street known as Moore's Quarry be instructed to close the same immediately and to fill up the wells now existing there, the same being in a dangerous condition, reported that Mr Moore, the owner of the ledge, has been notified and has commenced to protect the same.

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Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11.

The Committee on Highways on the petition of John E. A. Mullikin and G. H. Moore, for brick sidewalks and crossings in front of their building on Medford and Pearl streets, reported that a sidewalk has been constructed, as prayed for, and a bill for the bricks and edgestones will be sent to the Treasurer for collection.
Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Report ✓ Com. on Highways. Mullikin & Moore. Sidewalk Medford & Pearl Sts.

The Committee on Highways on the petition of Henry G. Hathaway and others, for a street crossing on Bentley street, from Pembroke street to Vernon street, reported that a crossing has been laid as prayed for.
Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Report ✓ Com. on Highways. Henry G. Hathaway. Crossing Bentley Street.

The Committee on Highways on petition of Charles G. Allen for the changing of a driveway in front of his estate on the easterly side of Prescott street near Summer street, to a point in front of the same estate where it will better accommodate the business there transacted, at his expense, reported that the driveway has been changed as prayed for at a cost of $13.85.
Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Report ✓ Com. on Highways. Chas. G. Allen. changing of driveway. Prescott Street.

The Committee on Highways on petition of Flora A. Sawyer for a driveway in front of her estate on Sycamore street, reported leave to withdraw.
Accepted and sent down for concurrence.
Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Report ✓ Com. on Highways. Flora A. Sawyer. driveway. Sycamore Street.

Wednesday Dec 10, 1890.

Report Com. on Highways Gilman & Colburn Grading of Irving Street

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of Gilman & Colburn and others, for the grading of Irving Street its entire length reported that the Street has been graded as prayed for.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11

Report Com. on Highways Broadway to Medford

The Committee on Highways, on the order of the County Commissioners, for the construction of a highway from Broadway northerly to the Medford line, reported that work has been done on said highway as construction of highway ordered by the Commissioners

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11

Report Com. on Highways City of Cambridge lowering culvert under Broadway Bridge at Alewife Brook.

The Committee on Highways, on an order of June 25, granting permission to the City of Cambridge, on the front of this city, to lower the bottom of the culvert at the Broadway bridge over Alewife Brook, at the expense of said city of Cambridge and to the satisfaction of said committee and the City Engineer, said City of Cambridge to assume all liability for damage that might be caused thereby and to leave said bridge in as good condition as it was in before the begining of the work, reported that the work has been done as authorized by said order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Report Com. on Public Property heating, Sanitary Ventilation Foster School

The Committee on Public Property, authorized by an order of June 25, to expend more than five hundred dollars in placing heating, sanitary and ventilating appliances in the Foster School, reported that such appliances have been placed in the building by A. A. Sanborn, at a cost of $614.22

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11

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The Committee on Public Property reported that under contracts made by authority of orders dated July 23rd and August 13th the Smead Warming and Ventilating Company has placed its heating and ventilating system in the Highland Schoolhouse and has done the necessary carpenter work incidental thereto the amount of the two contracts being $4900.00.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 11

Report Com. on Public Property Smead Warming & Ventilating System Highland School

The Committee on Public Property reported that under an order of July 23rd contract has been made with the Smead Warming and Ventilating Company for the placing of its Heating, Ventilating and Sanitary Closet system in the schoolhouse to be erected at the corner of Boston and Washington streets, for the sum of $3668.00.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 11.

Report Com. on Public Property Smead Warming Ventilating & Sanitary new Ward 3 Schoolhouse Boston & Washington Sts

The Committee on Public Property reported, that by authority of an order dated June 11, the City has assumed the taxes for the year 1890, on the estates on Jaques St. Ward 3 and Boston & Washington streets Ward 2, purchased the present season for school lots.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Report Com. on Public Property assuming of taxes School lots Jaques St. Boston & Washington

The Committee on Public Property, on the request of the School Committee for the hiring and fitting up of sundry rooms for school purposes and for a flag staff at the Emmett School, reported that Brazillian Hall on Broadway, the Store (No 240) Elm Street and the Baptist Chapel on Bow Street have been hired at rentals of $20.00, $40.00 and $25.00 per month respectively.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Report Com. on Public Property School Committee hiring of sundry rooms & flag staff Emmett School

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Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 11.

Report Com. on Public Property, School Committee flag staff Franklin School

The Committee on Public Property, on the request of the School Committee for a flag staff at the Franklin School reported that the Superintendent of Public Buildings has been instructed to place a flag staff on said building.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 11.

Report Com. on Public Property, School Committee use of Bow St. Hall by High School Battalion for drill

The Committee on Public Property on the request of the School Committee for the use of Bow Street Hall for drill purposes for the High School Battalion, reported that permission has been granted for such use of the hall for three afternoons each week at one dollar rental for each afternoon.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 11.

Report Com. on Public Property Capt. S. T. Kirk completion of 500-yd. range Mystic Ave.

The Committee on Public Property on petition of S. Thomas Kirk, Captain of Co. M. 8th Regt. M. V. M. that the 500-yard rifle range on Mystic Avenue be completed as soon as possible, recommended leave to withdraw.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 11.

Report Com. on Fuel & St. Lights contracts made for fuel

The Committee on Fuel and Street Lights reported that, in pursuance of an order of July 9. for the making of contracts for fuel with Horatio Wellington & Co. and E. F. Wilds & Co. reported, that fuel has been purchased of said parties at the prices authorized by said order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 11.

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The Committee on Fuel and Street Lights, on an order of June 3, authorizing an increase in the number of electric street lights at an expense not to exceed $2,000, on the terms of the present contract with the Somerville Electric Light Company, reported that ten additional arc and seventy two incandescent lights have been provided as authorized by said order

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 11.

Report Com. Fuel & Street Lights additional electric lights provided

The Committee on Fuel and Street Lights, on sundry petitions for electric street lights (being all of such petitions that have been referred to said committee during the year) reported that the Committee have endeavored to place the lights in locations best suited to accommodate all parties interested, and therefore recommends that the petitioners be given leave to withdraw

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 11.

Report Com. Fuel & Street Lights sundry petitions street lights

The Committee on Public Grounds, on the order of Dec. 26, 1889 (which was not passed but was referred to said committee) to grant permission to the West Somerville Burial Ground Association to bury human bodies, recommended no further action

Accepted.

Report Comm. on Public Grounds West Som. Burial Ground Assn. permit to bury human bodies

The Committee on Public Grounds, on an order of May 28, authorizing the sale of surplus earth from Central Hill, reported that 1956 loads have been sold for $384.15, to be credited to Public Grounds Accounts

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 11.

Report Comm. on Public Grounds sale surplus earth Central Hill

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Report
Com. on Soldiers Relief
Thanksgiving turkeys

The Committee on Soldiers Relief, on an order of Nov. 12, for the purchasing of turkeys for Thanksgiving and their distribution to needy soldiers and sailors of the late war and the families of such, residing in our city, reported the purchase of turkeys as authorized and their distribution to one hundred and fifteen families, at a cost of $257.30.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Report
Com. on Water
H. F. Woods & others
that Town of Medford
may lay water pipes
North Street

The Committee on Water, on the petition of Henry F. Woods and others, that the town of Medford be permitted to lay water pipes in North Street from the Medford line to the lane leading to "Wild Cat Hill" gravel pit, recommended its reference to the next City Council.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Order
Com. on Fire Dept.
purchase
Aerial Ladder

Alderman Converse offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Fire Department be and are hereby authorized to purchase an Aerial Ladder at a cost not to exceed two hundred dollars, the expense of the same to be charged to Fire Department Account.

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence Dec. 11.

Approved by the Mayor Dec. 16.

Order
Com. on Accounts
approve bill of
City of Boston
taxes on house at
Pumping station abated.

Alderman Souther offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Accounts be and is hereby authorized to approve, in pay roll of Miscellaneous, a bill amounting to thirty and 80/100 dollars in favor of the City of Boston, being the amount paid by said city

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for taxes on a dwelling house at its pumping station in this city, which taxes have been abated by the assessors because it is concluded that the property on which they were assessed is not taxable.

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11.

Approved by the Mayor Dec. 16.

Alderman Cemenway offered the following order

Order ✓ payment of judgment favor P. Allen Sindsey injuries Highland Ave.

Ordered:-

That the City Auditor be authorized to approve on pay roll of Miscellaneous Account, the sum of Three hundred thirty seven 15/100 dollars ($337.15), being the amount due of a judgment rendered in the Superior Court in the County of Middlesex in the case of P. Allen Sindsey vs. City of Somerville, on account of injuries received from an alleged defect in Highland Avenue.

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council in concurrence Dec. 11.

Approved by the Mayor Dec. 16.

Alderman Cemenway offered the following order

Order ✓ Com. on Finance pay commission for services in raising temporary loan.

Ordered:-

That the Committee on Finance be authorized to expend a sum not exceeding one hundred twenty five dollars ($125.) for compensation or services in raising the sum of fifty thousand dollars in pursuance of the order passed November 29, 1890, authorizing one hundred thousand dollars to be borrowed in anticipation of taxes.

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 11.

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Presented to Mayor Dec. 16.

Order change name of High Street Munroe Street.

Aldermanic Edmands offered the following order

Ordered:-

That the street now named High Street in this city, extending from Walnut Street to Boston Street, be hereafter known as Munroe Street.

Action postponed until the next regular meeting.

Adjournment

On motion of Alderman Converse it was voted that when the board adjourns it adjourn until Friday the 26th at 8 O'clock P.M.

Adjourned.

Attest:-

George F. Vincent
Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen
City Hall,
Somerville, Dec. 26, 1890. 8 P.M.

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Records approved.

Alderman Kimball offered the following order,

Order convention for hearings laying out of Brastow Ave. Gibbens Street Montrose Tyler William

Ordered,

That a message be sent to the Common Council requesting a convention of the two branches of the City Council in the Common Council Chamber this evening, for the purpose of giving hearings, for all persons desiring to object, on the laying out of

Brastow Avenue,
Gibbens Street,
Montrose Street,
Tyler Street and
William Street.

in pursuance of orders for such hearings passed November 12th.

Adopted, and Alderman Kimball appointed a messenger to convey the request to the Common Council.

Request granted by Common Council Dec. 26, and Councilman Armstrong appointed to convey the message to the Board of Aldermen.

In Convention of the City Council

Convention

His honor Mayor Pope presiding.

Friday December 26, 1896.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn, President Osgood, and Councilmen Hunnewell, Barber, Dickerman, James, Willey, Armstrong, Butters, McSeam and Eldridge present.

Hearings laying out of Brastow Ave. Gibbens Street Montrose Street Tyler Street William Street

In pursuance of orders passed Nov. 12th and this evening hearings were given, for all persons desiring to object, on the laying out of.

Brastow Avenue
Gibbens Street
Montrose Street
Tyler Street
William Street

all parties interested having been duly notified, as appears by the Officer's Returns on pages 103, 111, 119, 127 and 135, respectively, of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mary and Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

No persons interested appearing and desiring to be heard, in either case, the hearings were closed.

Convention dissolved

The purpose for which it was assembled having been accomplished the convention was dissolved and the Mayor and Aldermen returned to their chamber

Board of Aldermen

In Board of Aldermen

His honor, Mayor Pope presiding.

Aldermen Carpenter, Converse, Edmands, Kimball, Hemenway, Souther, Nickerson and Sanborn present.

Petition Horace Dunlap license cry goods in streets

Received a petition for a license to cry his goods in the streets, from
Horace Dunlap, 18 Belmont St.
approved by the Chief of Police

Friday December 26, 1890.

Licenses granted.

Received a petition for an Auctioneer's license, from John Stackpole.
Licenses granted.

Petition
John Stackpole
Auctioneer's Licenses

Received petitions for Common Victualler's licenses, from
Eliza Jane Hughes, at 12 Union Square,
Fred T. Moore & Ernest F. Haworth, at 839 Somerville Mass.
Referred to Committee on Licenses.

Petitions
Eliza J. Hughes
F. T. Moore & E. F. Haworth
Victualler's Licenses

Received a communication from Charles W. Perkins Exec-tor of the will of Wm. Stearns, asking if it would not be fair to abate the sewer assessment of $45.41 on lot 16 Hudson Street, inasmuch as the said will directed that said lot be reserved to form a junction of the two Hudson streets.
Referred to Committee on Sewers.

Petition
Chas. W. Perkins Exec.
under will of Wm. Stearns
abatement Sewer Assmt.
Hudson St.

Received a petition from Christopher W. Cromwell and others, that brick sidewalks, with edgestones, be constructed on both sides of Montrose street, and that said street be graded.
Referred to Committee on Highways

Petition
C. W. Cromwell & others
brick sidewalks & grading
Montrose Street.

Received a petition from John K. Whiting, for a permit to set a hitching post in front of his dwelling at the corner of Perkins and Mt. Vernon streets.
Referred to Committee on Highways

Petition
John K. Whiting
permit hitching post
Perkins & Mt. Vernon Sts.

Received a notice from William Kelly, by his attorney, William Dickson, of injuries received at the corner of Prospect street and Somerville Avenue, about 10 O'clock Nov. 25, 1890. by being kicked by a horse belonging to the Fire Department of this city.
Referred to Committee on Claims and sent down for concurrence.

Notice
William Kelley
injuries by kick of horse
belonging to Fire Dept.

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√ Petitions
X.H. Sturtevant + others
C.H. North + others
Mary S. Gilson + others
concerning naming of High or Munroe St.

Reference concurred in by the Common Council Dec 26.

Received petitions for the renaming of High or Munroe street, as follows,—

of X. H. Sturtevant and others, that the petition of George A. Munroe and others for a change of name of High Street to Munroe Street, now pending before this board, be granted;

of Charles H. North and others, that no change be made in the name of the street running from Boston street to Walnut street, now called High street;—

of Mary S. Gilson and others, that the street leading from Boston street to Walnut street, now known as High street, be called Mount Pisgah Avenue,—

Referred to-matter City Council and sent down for concurrence.

Reference concurred in by Common Council Dec 26.

√ Applications for permits to build
J. Hayden, Merchant St.
H.S. Murray, Vernon St.

Received applications for permits to build, from James Hayden, a dwelling on Foster, Nashua Street,
Hamilton S. Murray, a stable for 1 horse, 37 Vernon Street,
both disapproved by the Inspector of Buildings.

Permits refused.

√ Order granting Building Permits

Order granting Building Permits.

Ordered,—

That, upon obtaining the written approval of the Inspector of Buildings, a building permit, with further leave, if necessary, to encumber such portion of the Street and Sidewalk as the Superintendent of Streets may prescribe in the premises of each case, issue to the following-named applicants respectively, for the purposes respectively indicated in the following table, upon the express condition, however that within five days after the passage of this order said permit shall be taken out at the office of the Clerk of this Board.

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Name of applicant	Owner of Land	New Erections	Street
Hodges Bros.	Hodges Bros.	wooden dwelling	Hancock
S. W. Hutchinson	Charles F. Sims	" "	Hartmouth
John W. Prevost	H. W. P. Colson	" "	Bartlett
W. W. Coffin	W. W. Coffin	" "	Moreland
James W. Connor	J. W. Connor	2 " "	Joseph
Robert H. Collupy	S. S. Higgins	2 " "	Sowell

Adopted.

Orders laying out.
Brastow Avenue
Gibbens Street
Montrose Street
Tyler Street
William Street

Orders laying out
Brastow Ave
Gibbens Street
Montrose Street
Tyler Street
William Street

as recorded respectively on pages 104 to 108, 112 to 116, 120 to 124, 128 to 132, and 136 to 140, of volume 1 of the Records of the Laying out of Streets, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville, were

Read twice and adopted, and sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council Dec. 26 read twice and adopted in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor Dec. 30.

Report
Com. on Elections
result of balloting
Dec. 2
on Liquor License question

The Committee on Elections, in addition to its report of December 10th, concerning the election held December 2nd reported the result of the balloting at said election on the question "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this City?", as appears by the election returns and by the City Clerk's record on pages 36 and 37 of volume 1 of the Record of Elections of the City of Somerville, to be as follows;-

Whole number of Yes votes 999.
" " No " 2282.

Accepted.

Friday December 26, 1890.

Order declaring result of balloting Dec. 2. on Liquor License question

Alderman Edmands offered the following order

Ordered.-

That the result of the balloting in this City December 2nd, on the question "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this City?" be, and it hereby is, declared to be as stated by the Committee on Elections in its report of this date, and as shown by the City Clerk's record on pages 36 and 37 of volume 1 of the Record of Elections of the City of Somerville

Adopted

Report Com. on Sewers completion of sewer Brooks or Moreland & Main Sts.

The Committee on Sewers, in pursuance of an order dated October 8th reported that there has been constructed in Brooks or Moreland Street and Main Street, from the sewer in Heath street to near Mt. Vernon Avenue, by contract with Charles A. Morgan, about 26.2 ft. of 12 inch and 448 ft. of 18 inch pipe sewer, at a cost of $937.36, and submitted a list of assessments upon estates benefited.

Accepted

Assessment List Sewer Brooks or Moreland & Main Sts.

The list of assessments submitted with the foregoing report, for a sewer in Brooks or Moreland and Main streets, is recorded on pages 153 to 156 inclusive of volume 1 of the Records of sewer assessments, of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Somerville

Adopted.

Order hearing on Sewer Assessments Brooks or Moreland & Main Sts.

Alderman Hemenway offered the following order

Ordered.-

That Saturday evening Jany 3rd 1891, at 7.30 o'clock and the Mayor and Aldermen's room in the City Hall, be and is hereby designated as the time and place for a hearing before this board, of all persons desiring to object to their assessments laid this evening for the construction of a common sewer in Brooks or Moreland and Main streets.

Adopted.

Friday, December 26, 1890.

The Committee on Highways on the petition of the Somerville Electric Light Co for locations for poles and wires in Beacon and Moreland Streets, recommended leave to withdraw

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com on Highways
Som Elec Light
locations
Beacon & Moreland Sts

The Committee on Highways reported that in pursuance of orders dated Oct 22, Nov 12 and Dec 10, trees have been removed, as follows,

Three in front of the estate of Terence Shevlin, at the corner of Elm and Washington Streets,

One in front of the estate No 118 Pearl street.

One in front of the estate No 36 Oak street, owned by Margaret Manning.

One in front of the estate No. 84 Franklin Street, owned by Charles H. Porter.

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com on Highways
removal of trees
Elm Street
118 Pearl Street
36 Oak Street

The Committee on Highways, on the petition for permission to construct bulkheads in sidewalks, from

Herbert H. Chase, on Clover Street, and the

Sprague & Bathaway Co, on Herbert Street,

reported that permission has been granted and bulkheads have been constructed.

Accepted.

Report ✓
Com on Highways
permits for bulkheads
H. H. Chase - Clover St
Sprague & Bathaway Co Herbert

The Committee on Highways, on the petition of "Southern Blaikie, for edgestones on the southwest side of Hillside Park."

"A. M. Kabel and others, for removal of defects, and driveways in sidewalks in Everett Avenue and Webster Street."

"Mercy K. Sanborn for edgestones on the northeast side of Jaques street from Chauncey Avenue, to Wheatland Street."

"Hamilton J. Edwards for brick sidewalk in front of his estate Nos. 34, 36, and 38 Washington Street."

John Elston for edgestones on the easterly side of Dickenson

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Street from Beacon Street to Springfield Street."

"John H. Shaw and others, for gravel sidewalks and edgestones on both sides of Braston Avenue."

"James B. Lloyd and others, for brick sidewalks on the west side of Belmont street from Summer street to land of Prindle."

"Edward E. Williams and others for gravel sidewalks with edgestones on both sides of Summer Street from School street to land of Foster."

And on the orders of June 25th, Sept. 24th and Oct. 29 for gravel sidewalks on both sides of Norfolk street from the Cambridge Line to Webster Avenue.

"A gravel sidewalk with edgestones on the westerly side of Chauncey Avenue from Jaques street northerly three hundred seventy eight and 42/100 feet."

"A brick sidewalk on the westerly side of Prospect Street from Somerville Avenue to Washington street."

"A brick sidewalk with edgestones on the westerly side of Medford street from School street to the Medford street Bridge."

recommended their reference to the next Board of Aldermen.

Accepted.

Order abatement Sidewalk Assmt. J. T., M. A. & E. Hanley. Linwood Street.

Alderman Kimball offered the following order.

Ordered:-

That the sum of sixty-three and 7/100 dollars from an assessment of eighty-three and 7/100 dollars, laid by this board December 10th 1890, to John T. May Ann and Elizabeth Hanley, for the construction of a brick sidewalk in front of their estate on Linwood street, be and the same is hereby abated.

Adopted.

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The Committee on Highways, on the petition of George W. Goodrich, for a brick sidewalk, with edgestones on School street, a brick sidewalk on Montrose street and a gravel sidewalk with edgestones on Jaques street, in front of his estates, reported that the gravel sidewalk, with edgestones, has been constructed on Jaques street and the edgestones set on School street, and a bill of $76.60 for the edgestones used has been sent to the Treasurer for collection, but the brick on School and Montrose streets have not been laid on account of the lateness of the season.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

Report Com. on Highways Geo. W. Goodrich sidewalks School, Montrose + Jaques Streets

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The Committee on Highways, on the petition of A. H. Bishop and others, for the removal of the sidewalk and the construction of a crossing on Central street at the head of Ames street reported that the sidewalk has been removed and the street opened as prayed for.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

Report Com. on Highways A. H. Bishop + others Street opening + crossing Central St. at head of Ames Street

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The Committee on Highways, on the petitions of Edward Box at 36 Central Street and N. A. Taylor at 62 Putnam street, for the lowering of edgestones so as to form driveways, in front of driveways, in front of their estates reported that the edgestones have been lowered, as prayed for and bills for the cost, amounting respectively, to $10.50 and $6.90, have been sent to the Treasurer for collection.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

Report Com. on Highways driveways E. Box, 36 Central St. N. A. Taylor, 62 Putnam St.

The Committee on Highways, under the petition of Benjamin F. Brown "Trustee", for the acceptance of Oak St., between Houghton street and the bend in Oak street, recommended leave to withdraw.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Report Com. on Highways B. F. Brown "Trustee" acceptance part of Oak Street

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Report Com on Highways exchange of driving horse used by Supt Streets	Accepted in concurrence by Common Council Dec 26
	The Committee on Highways on an order of Aug 14, authorizing the exchange of a driving horse used by the Superintendent of Streets, recommended that no action be taken under said order.
	Accepted and sent down for concurrence
	Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 26
Report Com on Highways sundry papers for reference to next City Council	The Committee on Highways, on the petitions for street crossings
	"D. W. Pollard and others, in Magoun Square"
	"Saml H. Hopkins and others, across Cross Street, in line with N. E. sides of Flint & Kuney streets"
	"John K. Hall and others across Broadway at south side of Mt Pleasant street"
	"W. J. McLean across Webster Ave, N. E. side F. R. R. crossing"
	"C. C. Ellis and others across Broadway at the head of Dartmouth St."
	"Alice S. Waterhouse across Franklin Street at the head of Franklin street"
	"S. P. Lewis and others on Broadway from Arthur Street to the Street railway track"
	"H. P. Elliot on Boston street across the end of High St."
	"A. J. Taylor and others from the corners of Walnut and Aldersey streets, to the easterly side of Walnut street"
	"David A. Sanborn on Prospect street across Newton street"
	"John Medina and others across Broadway from the end of Curtis street"
	"Thomas Curtis and others at the corner of Dana and Bonair Street"
	"J. F. Guthrie and others for relaying of a crossing on Webster Avenue at Newton Street"
	for the acceptance or laying out of streets
	"R. P. Benton and others, of Benton Avenue"
	"Charles J. Simpson and others of Gorham Street"
	"Patrick Keating and others, of Harrison Street"
	"James A. White and others, westerly end of Hudson Street"

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"Charles D. Elliot Agent," of Morrison Street from Willow Avenue to Cedar Street,"
"Charles H. North and others, of Munroe and High streets"
"Grace Partridge, of Partridge Avenue from Broadway to Vernon Street.
"Ernest S. Snowman and others, of Sewall Street"
"C. W. Syman and others, of Wheatland Street from Jaques Street to Mystic Avenue"

the petitions of

"Jerome S. Daniels Agent," the removal of a brick side-walk and the laying of a crossing at the entrance to Wheeler Street, northwest side of Mt. Vernon Street,"
"Laura K. Howes, revision of award for damages from laying out of Hills street," and the
"Order of Aug. 27th for the purchase of a certain parcel of land in West Somerville, commonly called "Wild Cat Hill"

recommended their reference to the next City Council.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 20.

The Committee on Fire Department, on the petition of John K. Kicker, for permission to erect and use a 15 horse stationary steam engine and boiler in a building to be erected for that purpose on Melrose Street, reported an order

Accepted.

Report
Com. on Fire Dept.
John K. Kicker
Stationary Engine
Melrose Street.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows,

Ordered,—

That the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to issue to John K. Kicker a license to erect and use a stationary engine of fifteen horse power, to be propelled by steam, with boiler of fifteen horse power, in a building to be erected for that purpose on Melrose Street.

Adopted.

Order
granting license
John K. Kicker
Stationary Engine
Melrose Street.

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Report Com. on Fire Dept. purchase of Aerial ladder	The Committee on Fire Department, under an order of Dec. 10. authorizing the purchase of an Aerial ladder reported that a ladder has been purchased of the Boston Woven Hose Company, at a cost of $162.66 Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.
Report Com. on Fuel & Street Lights A. Headley + others James Sugrue lights Alston + Columbia Sts.	The Committee on Fuel and Street Lights on the petitions of A. Headley and others for an electric light at the corner of Alston Street and Shawmut Place, and James Sugrue, for an electric light in Columbia Street, recommended leave to withdraw. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.
Report Com. on Public Property sale of old materials at schoolhouses	The Committee on Public Property reported that, under an order of Nov. 25th, the Superintendent of Public Buildings has been instructed to sell all old materials which may have accumulated at the various schoolhouses, the proceeds to be credited to Schoolhouse Incidentals Accounts. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.
Report Com. on Public Property sale of old junk at Public Library	The Committee on Public Property, reported that, under an order of April 23rd the Superintendent of Public Buildings has been instructed to sell such old junk as may be stored in the basement of the Public Library Building. Accepted and sent down for concurrence. Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26
Report Com. on Public Property permission to Perkins St. Baptist Church Society use Ward Room Prescott School	The Committee on Public Property reported that under an order of Nov. 28th, said committee has granted permission to the Perkins Street Baptist Church Society to use the ward room in the Prescott Schoolhouse two evenings of each week at a rental of ten dollars per month, and if said society should use on any additional evenings the rent thereof shall be

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in the same proportion.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

The Committee on Public Property, on the request of the School Committee that the basement room in the High Schoolhouse be fitted for a class-room, and that an additional radiator be placed in the northeasterly room in the third story of said schoolhouse, reported that the radiator will be provided during the Christmas vacation, and recommended that the request concerning a class-room in the basement be referred to the next City Council.

Report Common Public Property School Committee fit room in basement radiator in upper room High School

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

The Committee on Public Grounds, to which was referred an order of Aug. 27, that the battery located on the city's land on Central Hill be named the "Grant Memorial Battery", reported that in the judgment of said committee said order ought not to pass.

Report Common Public Grounds naming of battery Central Hill.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

The Committee on Public Grounds authorized by an order of May 28th to erect suitable memorial tablets to mark points of historical interest in this City, after consulting with the Committee on Memorial Tablets of the Somerville Improvement Society, the expenditure not to exceed five hundred dollars, and to be charged to Miscellaneous Account, reported that tablets have been erected as authorized, at a cost (including setting) of $597.41, the locations, materials and inscriptions of said tablets being as follows.

Report Common Public Grounds Memorial Tablets at points of historical interest

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1st On Mr Abner Blaisdell's house, No 478 Somerville Avenue opposite Loring Street.
Headquarters of
Brigadier General Nathaniel Greene,
in command of Rhode Island Troops,
during siege of Boston
1775 – 6

Material [Erected 1890]

2nd On the Stonework of the Battery, Central Hill Park.
This Battery
was erected by the City in 1885
and is within the line of the
"French Redoubt"
which was thrown up by the American Troops,
under General Israel Putnam
immediately after the battle of Bunker Hill
and later became
a part of the besieging lines of Boston,
in 1775 – 6
The guns were donated by Congress
and were in service during
the late Civil War.

Material [Erected 1890]

3rd On Prospect Hill, High street, opposite Prospect Hill Avenue.
On this hill
The Union Flag with its Thirteen stripes, –
the emblem of the
United Colonies, –
First bade defiance to an enemy
January 1, 1776
Here was the citadel
the most formidable work in the
American Lines
during the siege of Boston,

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June 17, 1775 to March 17, 1776.

Material. Erected 1890.

7th On Elm Street, N. E. Corner of Willow Avenue,
A sharp fight occurred here,
between the Patriots and the British,
April 19, 1775.
This marks British Soldiers' graves.

Material. Erected 1890.

5th On Washington Street, N. W. Corner of Elm Street,
John Wooldrich
Indian Trader
Built near this place
in 1630
The first white settler in
Somerville, Mass.

Material. Erected 1890

6th At Junction Broadway and Main Street.
Paul Revere
passed over this road, in his
Midnight ride
to Lexington and Concord
April 18, 1775
Site of the "Winter Hill Fort",
a stronghold built by
the American Forces
while besieging Boston.
1775 – 6

Material. Erected 1890.

7th Opposite ex-Alderman Samuel N. Holt's house No 197
Washington Street.
On this Hillside
James Miller, Minute-man,

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Aged 65
was slain by the British
April 19. 1775
"I am too old to run".

Material Erected 1890.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 26.

Report Com. on Public Grounds Post 139 G. A. R. for land on Central Hill on which to erect a Memorial Hall.

The Committee on Public Grounds, on the request of Post 139 G. A. R. that a portion of the City's land on Central Hill be assigned to said post for the erection thereon of a Memorial Hall which shall become the property of the city when said post shall no longer exist as an organization, recommended that the request be referred to the next City Council

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 26.

Report Com. on Ordinances sundry papers for reference to next City Council.

The Committee on Ordinances, on the following named papers, to-wit, -

Order of Feby 28th 1888 instructing said Committee to draft and report an ordinance concerning the Construction of Buildings,

Ordinance offered May 14th entitled Disorderly Conduct and Disturbances in Streets and Public Places,

Ordinance offered June 11th to increase the Mayor's salary to Two thousand dollars per annum,

Order of July 28th instructing said committee to prepare an ordinance to conform to Chapter 404 of the Acts and Resolves of the current year.

Communication from the City Clerk requesting a revision and printing of the ordinances.

recommended the reference to the next City Council

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec 26

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The Committee on Claims on the petition of Jackson Baldwell for the right to use, in common with the City, the ten feet passageway extending from Putnam street to the Bell School-lot, in consideration of the granting to him to the city of a similar right in a five-foot strip bordering on the northeasterly side of said passageway, recommended leave to withdraw.

Report Com. on Claims Jackson Baldwell right of way in passage way from Putnam St. to Bell School

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

The Committee on Claims, on the petition of Benjamin P. Lovejoy, for compensation to the amount of $6.20 for damage to his buggy caused by the steam road roller frightening his horse, reported an order.

Report Com. on Claims Benj. P. Lovejoy compensation for damage to buggy horse frightened by Steam roller

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

The order submitted with the following report is as follows;-

Order compensation to Benj. P. Lovejoy damage to buggy horse frightened by steam road roller

Ordered;-

That the Committee on Accounts be, and are hereby instructed, to approve in pay-roll of Miscellaneous the sum of six 20/100 dollars, in favor of Benjamin P. Lovejoy which sum shall be in full compensation for damage to buggy caused by his horse being frightened by the Steam road roller

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

In Common Council, Dec. 26, Read twice and adopted in concurrence.

Approved by the Mayor Dec. 30.

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Report Com. on Claims Ellen Dwyer injuries by falling from pile of lumber Somerville Avenue

The Committee on Claims, on the notice of Ellen Dwyer of injuries received by falling from a pile of lumber on Somerville Avenue, in front of the vacant lot between the estate owned, respectively, by James Gavin and the Heirs of Charles O. Neil, recommended leave to withdraw.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

Report Com. on Claims North Packing Co. release of right to drain across its land Somerville Avenue

The Committee on Claims on the petition of the North Packing and Provision Company for a release of the City's right to maintain a drain across the petitioners land on Somerville Avenue, reported an order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

Order Mayor execute release North Packing Co. right to maintain drain across its land Somerville Avenue

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows.

Ordered,-

That his honor the Mayor, be and he is hereby fully authorized to sign, seal, acknowledge and deliver in the name and behalf of the City, a deed of release, of even date with this order, to the North Packing and Provision Company of a strip of land eight feet wide over lot numbered 100, on a plan of land in said Somerville recorded in Middlesex So. Dist. Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 3, leaf 76, which strip of land is more particularly described in an agreement between James Murray and the Town of Somerville dated January 25th 1869, and recorded with said deeds, Book 1085 page 130.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

Approved by the Mayor Dec. 30.

Report Com. on Claims Charles Trull release of land

The Committee on Claims, on the petition of Charles Trull for the release of land in rear of Lowell Street reported an order.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

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Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

rear of Lowell Street.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows;-

Order
Mayor exp. to release
Charles Trull
land rear of Lowell St.

Ordered;-

That his honor the Mayor, be and he is hereby authorized to sign, seal, execute and deliver in behalf of the City, to Charles Trull of Somerville a deed of release of a triangular piece of land situated between Lowell and Trull streets, and as more particularly described in said deed which is of even date herewith.

Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Adopted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

Approved by the Mayor Dec. 30.

The Committee on Claims on the notice of James H. Eastman of his claim for damage for injuries to his horse caused by the sinking in of the highway on Wallace Street; reported an order.

Report
Com. on Claims
James H. Eastman
injuries to horse
Wallace Street.

Accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Accepted in concurrence by the Common Council Dec. 26.

The order submitted with the foregoing report is as follows;-

Order
compensation to
James H. Eastman
injuries to horse
Wallace Street

Ordered;-

That the Committee on Accounts be and is hereby instructed to approve in pay roll of Miscellaneous the sum of seventy-five dollars in favor of James H. Eastman for damage to horse caused by a defect in the highway in Wallace Street October 24th 1890.

Read twice and adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Read twice and adopted by the Common Council Dec. 26.

Approved by the Mayor Dec. 30.

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Protest Geo. A. Munroe + others against changing name of Munroe Street to High Street

The protest of George A. Munroe and others, against the action of this board, Nov 12th, ordering that the street extending from Walnut street to Boston street, called Munroe street, be thereafter known as High street, which protest was received Dec 10th; and action thereon postponed until this evening, it was voted that the same be referred to the next City Council.

Order changing name of High Street to Munroe street

On the order offered Dec 10th that the street now named High street in this city, extending from Walnut street to Boston street, be hereafter known as Munroe street, action on which was postponed until this evening, — it was voted that the same be referred to the next City Council.

Adjournment

Voted that when the Board adjourns it adjourn until Saturday evening January 3rd at 7½ O'clock.

Adjourned.

Attest.—

George F. Vincent
Clerk.