

POSTE DE POMPIERS; POSTE DE POLICE # 6.
 SQUARE CHABOILLEZ
 POSTE NO 4 (Incendies)

- 1844 Le Conseil municipal décide de construire au centre du square Chaboillez un poste destiné à abriter les appareils de pompage contre l'incendie dans le quartier St-Joseph.
 Le Conseil vote une somme de £150 pour la construction de ce poste, lequel fut par la suite appelé: "Hero Engine House".
- 1854 26 avril. On demande d'établir à un autre endroit le poste ci-dessus que l'on considère comme une nuisance au centre du square.
- 1855 24 juillet. La Commission des Incendies recommande l'achat du terrain situé sur le côté ouest du square que M.Olivier Berthelet offre de vendre au prix de £ 250.
 On décide de démolir le poste ci-dessus et de le reconstruire sur le terrain nouvellement acquis de M.Berthelet.
- 1857 27 mars. Au cours de la construction du nouveau poste on a utilisé comme mur mitoyen celui de la propriété voisine appartenant à M.Nicolas Métayer. La Ville vote un crédit de £25, payable à M.Métayer, pour l'acquisition du droit de mitoyenneté. Cette somme représente la moitié du coût de construction de ce mur par M.Métayer.
- 1858 On décide aussi de construire sur l'emplacement ci-dessus, acquis de M.Berthelet, une autre bâtisse pour servir de poste de police. Un crédit de \$1,200 est voté à cette fin.
- 1863 Agrandissement du poste de police. Crédit de \$700. pour l'extension du poste de police, à l'arrière de la maison.

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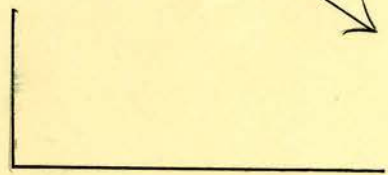
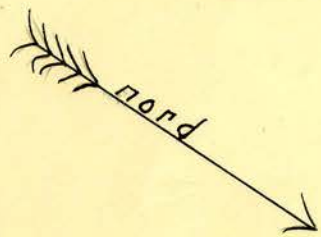
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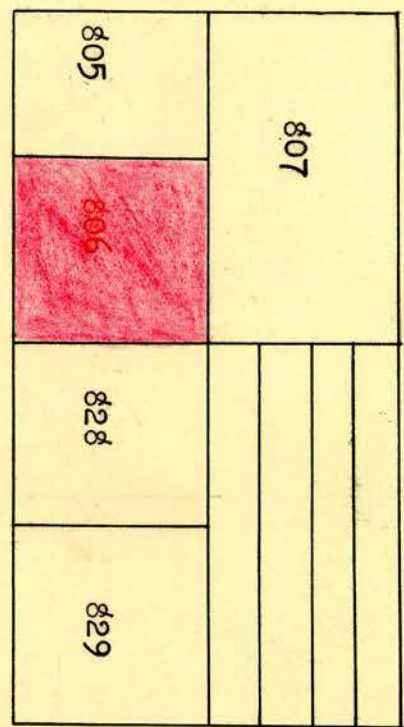
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Square Chaboillez

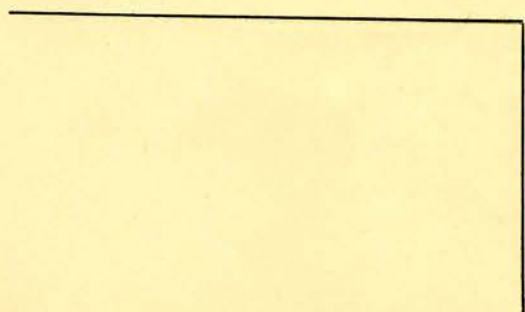


rue Montfort



rue de l'Inspecteur

S Q U A R E C H A B O I L L E Z



REPORT

FROM THE

Police Committee.

to be authorized
to enlarge the
Police station
on Leabailly
square.

Presented, 14th Dec^r 1863.

*Guilford
M. P.
acc.*

Adopted, 14th Dec^r 1863.

EXTRACT

From the Minutes of a Meeting of the Road Committee
Held on the 25th November 1858

The Assistant Surveyor submitted a plan of M^r. G. M^r. Gill's property shewing lines of St. Mary street and Parthenais street and square

Ordered
That the Assistant Surveyor give M^r. M^r. Gill the lines as marked on the plan.

(Certified)

Albion
and City Club

J. Brophy Esq.

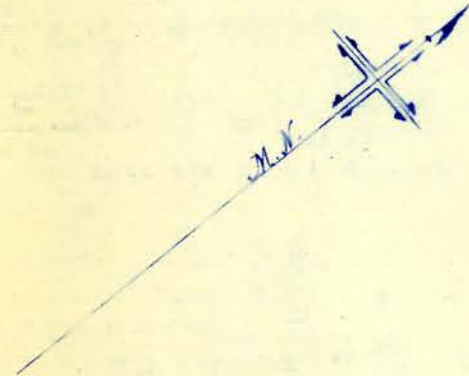
PARTHENAIS SQUARE



Thos Molson

Thos Molson

ST MARY STREET



Area of land taken on St. Mary Street. 69.6 french
 " Parthenais Squ^e 118.9
 Total 188.3

Deduct land added to Mr. McGill's property 71.4

Balance to be paid of McGill at 40 per foot 110.11 Sup^r ft @ 40 £ 5.17.0

Foundation wall removed old shed 2 10

£ 13.7.0

Plan adopted by the Road Committee Resolution 25 November 1858

H. H. Mc
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Section from
Proprietors & Residents
at Parthenon Street
for repairs

21 March 1852

To the Mayor Aldermen & Citizens of
of the City of Montreal

The Petition of the undersigned
Proprietors residing in Parthenais Street

Humbly Sheweth

That your Petitioners, from the bad state and
condition of Parthenais street, are compelled to great inconvenience
in carrying to their several Dwellings, during the spring and
fall, to some accidents in carrying their fuel and other articles with
their horses and carts, to cause the same to be brought in
small quantities, by that means to prevent loss & accident to
the owners, in consequence of the road being in a most
bad condition, and which causes inconvenience not only
to your Petitioners, but to all persons compelled to pass that
road.

Your Petitioners therefore
most humbly pray that you will be pleased to
take steps to cause the above complaints to cease, and
have said Road repaired.

And Your Petitioners will ever
pay.

Montreal 31 March 1852

John A. Courcier
Edw. Hudson

William White

Thomas Logan
George W. Ferris
Alex. McKinnis
Edw. A. Boyle

Aug. Ferrant
J. M. White
L. Parthenais
H. Parthenais
J. Ferrin
David Mann
Richard Johnson
John Bowden
P. Bowden Jun.
George Kern
A. Lockhart

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*Petition
from the Inhabitants of
Partenair Street Square*

*Presented 1 May 1843 and
Referred to the Road Committee
J.H.C.*

*N^o 50
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To the Worshipful The Mayor Aldermen,
and Councillors of the City of Montreal -

The Memorial of the undersigned
Inhabitants of Montreal Residing in
and using Portenais Street Quebec Suburbs

Respectfully Sheweth,

That in the year 1817 the
late G. Portenais laid out his farm in the
Quebec Suburbs in lots divided by a public
Street of thirty six feet in width, with a space
for a Public Market or Square in the front
and afterwards disposed of several lots ~~to~~
to individuals many of whom have since
erected buildings thereon - That the street
and square have been formed entirely at
private expense and although some of
your Petitioners have been paying assessment
for their property in that street for upwards
of twenty years yet no public money has
been expended in forming and keeping it
in repair. Your Petitioners therefore pray
that your Worshipful Body will take
possession of the Road & Square for the benefit
of the City and direct the necessary repairs
to be made so as to render it passable at all
seasons of the year -

Montreal
25 April 1843

J. ~~Scott~~
Alexander McKinnis
John A. Cousse
Elijah E. Shelton
George McMorach
Edward Coyte

Joseph Goguet
Charles Goguet
Joseph Girard
John Fullum
Bernard Lynch
John Lynch
Antoine de mess
Antheime Schambault
William Fullum
Louis de mess
François B. Fullum
Peter Cooper
C. Beaumont
Thomas Lagan
Chat March

John Brophy
Mr Howard
James Beattie
John McCoub
James Johnson
Arch^d Lockhart
John Turner

Extract,

No 4074-

17 Novembres
1817

Donation
de
Louis Sarrénais

Pere.

a Ses Enfants.

On the 18th Sept^r 1821 —
by deed of sale - before R B
Doucet & P. Louis Partenais
in the name & as the representative
of Henriette Partenais his minor
ceded to James
Leslie Esquire of
Montreal the following piece
of land -

" A certain lot of land
situate in the Parish of
Montreal opposite courroit
Ste Marie containing nine
perches in front or fifteen
perches thirteen feet and
a half in depth, and is
bounded in front part to
Etienne Partenais & part
to a square in rear by Ange-
lique Partenais wife of Fran-
cois Lanier Peronnee dit
de Carreux on one side to
the south by Sir John John-
son, and on the other side
to the North to a street with
a Stable erected thereon

Deed
of
Sale
Louis Partenay

to
James Leslie

18 sept 1821

[Faint, illegible handwritten text, likely a list of names or descriptions, covering the majority of the page.]

de Montréal au courant Sainte Marie de la continuation de
deux arpents de front sur environ quatre arpents de profondeur,
prenant par devant un fleuve i Saint Laurent par derrière au Chemin
de la petite Côte de la Visitation - joignant d'un côté au Sud
ouest a Sir Johnson et autres - et d'autre côté a George Fullum

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Par devant Les Notaires
Publics pour la Province du Bas
Canada residents a Montreal
Sousignés

Fut present le sieur
Louis Partenais Bourgeois
de Montreal y demeurant
Lequel voulant donner
des marques de son amitie
a ses enfants ci-apres nommés
en leur donnant une piece
de Terre sitée dans cette
Paroisse (+) quelle terre le dit
sieur Partenais # fait tracer
par lots par Charles Laurin
Arpenteur dont le plan des
quel demeurera ci annexé
laissant une place de Marche
le long du Chemin du Roi
et une rue de trente six pieds
de largeur sur toute la profon-
deur du dit terrain.

a fait don de la donation
savoir a Dame Catherine
Hélène Partenais épouse du
Sieur Augustin Perrault
Un lot de terrain qui forme

quatre

quatre emplacements numérotés
au plan, deux jusqu'à cinq
inclusivement, contenant cent
quarante pieds dans la ligne
du marché, et cent ~~quatre-vingt~~ ^{quatre-vingt} cinq
dans la ligne de Sir John Johnson
sur quatre-vingt ^{deux} pieds de
profondeur, prenant en total
par devant au chemin du roi
par derrière au numéro six,
donné à Louis Partenais fils
joignant d'un côté au chevalier Johnson
et d'autre côté à la place réservée pour un marché
Un autre lot de la dite terre 2
qui contiendra neuf perches de
front sur quatre arpent de
profondeur prendra par devant
au lot ci après désigné et
d'autre côté au Nord Ouest
à Dame Henriette Partenais

Un autre lot de terre d'un 3
arpent et huit perches de large
sur huit perches de profondeur
divisé par la grande rue et
forme toute la largeur de la
dite terre et joindra et joindra
au sud est à Louis Partenais
fils et Angélique Partenais
d'un côté et au Nord-ouest
partie au lot le dernier
désigné.

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exceptant?

Le Sieur Louis
Partenais fils a ce present
et acceptant les lots six et
sept le long de la place reser-
vée pour un marché ou
ils joindraient par devant;
par derrière au Chevalier
Johnson joindront d'un
côté a M Catherine Helene
Partenais Epouse du sieur
Augustin Perrault ~~et~~ et
~~des lots~~ d'autre côté a
Etienne Partenais et chacun
des dits lots contiendra quarante
pieds de front sur quatre
vingt dix pieds de profondeur

2

Un autre lot au nord
est de la dite rue qui con-
tiendra neuf perches sur un
Arpent et trois quarts de
long et sera borné d'un côté
au sud ouest par la rue de
l'autre côté, au Nord est par
George Fullum d'un bout
a sud est par a Etienne
Partenais et de l'autre bout a
Dame Catherine Helene épouse

du

du sieur Augustin Perrault.

Un autre lot dans la prairie
qui contiendra neuf perches de
front sur quatre arpents de
profondeur prendra par devant
à D^{lle} Henriette Partenais par
derrière à Etienne Partenais joui-
nant d'un côté à George Fullum
et d'autre côté au nord est à
la grande rue

3

Au sieur Etienne Par-
tenais les lots huit & neuf
joignant la place reversée
pour un marché du côté sud-
ouest d'icelle contiendront
ensemble quatre vingt dix
pieds de profondeur et seront
bornés par devant à la dite place
de marché par derrière au Cheva-
lier Johnson joindront d'un
côté au sud est à Louis Par-
tenais son père et au nord est
D^{lle} Henriette Partenais sa sœur

Un autre lot au Nord
est de la rue qui contiendra
neuf perches de front sur un
arpent neuf perches et treize
pieds et demi de profondeur
et sera borné en front au
sud-est par la dite Place

2^e

de

Marché et partiel à Demoiselle
Henriette Partenais par derrière,
à Louis Partenais fils d'un
Côté au sud ouest à la dite
rue et d'autre côté au nord est
à George Tullum.

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is the original

Un autre lot dans la
prairie qui contiendra deux
arpents de front ~~sur~~ sur deux
arpents de front ~~sur~~ sur deux
de profondeur et divisé par
la rue formant toute la largeur
de la terre et prendra par de-
vant à Louis Partenais fils
et à Angelique Partenais et
par derrière à un autre lot
qui appartient à lui dit
Etienne Partenais par héritage
de sa mère.

À demoiselle Ange-
lique Partenais

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Les trois lots Nos. Numero
dix ouy et douze du Côté
Nord est de la place réservée
pour faire le marché lesquels
le numero dix contiendra
quarante pieds de front sur
cent pieds de profondeur
dans la ligne du sud ouest

signant

joignant la place du marché
en quatre vingt pieds dans celle
du nord-est. Et le numero
dix se contiendra cinquante pieds
de front sur quatre vingt pieds
de profondeur dans la ligne du
sud-ouest joignant le précé-
dent, et cinquante cinq pieds
dans celle du nord-est, et le
numero douze contiendra
quarante pieds de front, sur
quatre vingt dix pieds de
profondeur ces trois emplac-
ements formant ensemble un
lot qui sera borné par de-
vant au chemin du Roi,
par derrière à Henriette

Partenais d'un côté au
Nord-est à George Fullen
et d'autre côté à la dite
dite place réservée pour le
Marché -

Un autre lot au Nord-est 2^o
du dit Chemin qui contiendra
~~neuf~~ neuf perches de front
sur un arpent Trois
quarts de profondeur prendra
par devant à Demoiselle
Henriette Partenais par der-
rière à D^{ne} Catherine Helene
Partenais épouse du sieur

Augustin Perrault, d'un
Côté au Nord est à la dite
rue et du sud ouest au Che-
valier Johnson -

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Un autre lot au nord est
du chemin qui contiendra
neuf perches de front sur
quatre arpents de profondeur
et prendra par devant a D^{ne}
Catherine Hélène Partenais
épouse des Sieur Augustin
Perrault par derrière au Sieur
Étienne Partenais d'un côté
au sud ouest au Chevalier
Johnson et d'autre côté du
nord est a la rue réservée

Et a Demoiselle
Henriette Partenais les Lots
treize et quatorze qui se trouvent
au nord-est de la place reser-
vée pour un marché et
contiendront - chacun quarante
pieds de front sur quatre vingt
dix pieds de profondeur prendront
par devant a la dite place
de marché par derrière a Georp
Tullien joignant d'un côté
a l'est a Demoiselle
Angelique Partenais et d'autre
côté au nord ouest a Étienne

Partenais

Partenais

2^o

Un autre lot au sud-ouest du dit chemin qui contiendra neuf perches de front sur un arpent neuf perches et treize pieds et demi de profondeur prenant par devant à la dite place réservée pour faire un marché par derrière à M^{lle} Angèle Partenais joignant d'un côté au nord-est de la dite rue et au sud-ouest au Chevalier Johnson

Solde à M^r Seaborn

3^o

Un autre Lot au nord-est du dit chemin qui contiendra neuf perches de front sur quatre arpents de profondeur, prenant par devant à M^{re} Catherine Hélin Partenais par derrière à Étienne Partenais joignant d'un côté au sud-ouest à la dite rue et d'autre côté à George Fullum

Le tout est donné dans l'état où il se trouve actuellement avec ses circonstances et dépendances sans en rien excepter, ni retenir excepté la

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liberté de concéder toute ou telle
partie des dits morceaux ou
Lopins de terre par emplacement

17 November. 1817-

"signed"

Louis Pastenaïs

Louis Duprene

J. S. Lepaillieur
N.P.

M. B. Doucet
N.P.

#4674

17 nov. 1817

M. B. Doucet, M.P.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Respectfully Report,

That, as directed by the Council they have considered the accompanying

Report of the Police Committee for an appropriation of \$700 to complete the extension of Police Station on Chabaille square, the amount to be taken out of next year's revenue and that they concur in the recommendation therein made.

The whole nevertheless respectfully submitted.

Committee Room, City Hall,
Montreal, 186 }

For Lubin
A. Bulmer
J. G. Gossie
Henry Spear

the foundations at once and to complete the proposed extension with all possible speed, arrangements being made with the contractor for the payment of the amount required to perfect the work (\$700) being effected after the 1st February next.

Your

TO HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR, THE ALDERMEN AND CITIZENS OF THE
CITY OF MONTREAL.

The Police Committee

Respectfully Report,

That the Police Station on
Chabaille square is entirely too small
for the daily increasing number
of prisoners confined therein, and
it is, in the opinion of Your Committee
indispensably necessary that
immediate steps be taken to enlarge
the same. This may be done by
extending the building to the rear of
the lot, at an estimated cost of \$1000.
Of that amount, Your Committee have
on hand, out of their appropriation for
the current year, three hundred Dollars
(\$300) which will enable them to lay
the foundations at once and to complete
the proposed extension with all
possible speed, arrangements being
made with the contractor for the
payment of the amount required to
perfect the work (\$700) being effected
after the 1st February next.

Your

Your Committee therefore
recommend that they be
authorized to enlarge the station
on Lehabilly square, as above
mentioned, and that an
appropriation of the amount
required for that purpose,
viz: \$700. be made to them
for that purpose, payable out
of next year's revenue.

The whole nevertheless
respectfully submitted

Committee Room
City Hall
Montreal December 1863

William Rodden

George B. Muir

Edw. Lulain

B. D. D. D.

REPORT

FROM THE

Police COMMITTEE.

for an appropriation
of £300 to erect a
Police station house
on Chabaille square

Presented, 5th February 1858

and referred to the
Finance Committee

C. G.

Adopted, 17th February 1858

TO HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR, THE ALDERMEN AND CITIZENS
OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Respectfully Report,

That, as directed by the Council they have considered the accompanying
Report, of the *Police* Committee for an
Appropriation of £300, (\$1200 Cy) with which to erect a
Police Station House on Chabouley Square:

and that they concur in the recommendation therein made.

The whole nevertheless respectfully submitted.

D. Masson
J. Marchand
Edwin Atwater
W. W. Whitney

Committee Room, City Hall,
Montreal, *8 Feby* 1858 }

TO HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR, THE ALDERMEN AND CITIZENS
OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL.

The *Police* Committee

Respectfully Report,

That Your Committee having been authorized to establish a Police station at once in the St. Louis's suburb, have after mature deliberation fixed upon Lehabillez Square, as a suitable place whereon to establish the said station, and as the lot facing on said square ~~to which the Heert engine house~~ has been removed and which belongs to the Corporation, is sufficiently large to admit of another building being erected upon it to be used as a Police station, Your Committee recommend that they be authorized to erect the said building and that an appropriation of (£300) the estimated cost thereof, be made to them.

The whole nevertheless respectfully submitted.

Committee Room

City Hall

Montreal 2 February 1858

Wm. Lulaine
William Roddew

W. L. Linnier

Jos. Linnard

John J. Day

F. Guesen

REPORT

FROM THE

Fire — COMMITTEE

for a special appropriation
of £25. to acquire the
droit de ruyoyennete
in a curtain wall

Presented, D. Deer 1856

and referred to the
Finance Committee

Finance Comm^r. Report Submitted
~~on the~~ on the 25 January 1857.

The whole referred back to the Finance
Committee on the 2 Feb^y 1857

adapted 27 March 1857

TO HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR, THE ALDERMEN AND CITIZENS
OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL.

The *Finance* Committee

Respectfully Report,

That according to the instructions given by this Council on the 2^d U^l., they have re-considered the accompanying Report of the Fire Committee for an appropriation of £25, to pay Mr Nicolas Metayer for the Mitoyennite of his wall, used as a division wall in the re-building of the Hero Engine House; and also the former Report of the Finance Committee thereon; and your Committee being now satisfied from proof adduced before them, that the parties who tendered to re-build the Engine House, were all informed before tendering, that the division wall would be used for the New Building; and that the parties tendering had all taken the division wall into account, when preparing their tenders - ^{They} your Committee are of opinion that the appropriation asked for by the Fire Committee should be granted to pay Mr Metayer for the Mitoyennite of the wall in question, and they recommend accordingly.

The whole hereunto respectfully submitted

Committee Room. City Hall
16 March 1857 -

D. Dupas Chairman
W. F. Tompkins
J. Mackand
John J. J. J. J.

TO HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR, THE ALDERMEN AND CITIZENS
OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL.

The Finance — Committee

Respectfully Report,

That as directed by the Council they have considered the accompanying Report of the Finance Committee for an appropriation of £ 25 to pay Mr Nicolas Metayer for the mitoyenneté of his wall, used as a division wall in the Re-building of the Hero Engine House; and although satisfied that Mr Metayer must be paid the amount specified, they are not of opinion that any appropriation is necessary for the purpose. Their reasons for coming to this conclusion are as follows. In the first instance the Council appropriated the sum of £150 by to rebuild the Hero Engine House. Subsequently the contractor agreed to remove the old Engine House, and rebuild the new one on its present site for the sum of £145 by. According to the plans and specifications the Contractor was bound to erect four walls, in the rebuilding of the Engine House, but in consequence of the use made of Mr Metayer's wall, he only constructed three walls to the New Building. It is therefore obvious that Metayer should be paid the price charged for the mitoyenneté of his wall by the

Contractor

Contractor; or what is tantamount thereto,
that the amount should be deducted out
of the price agreed to be paid to the Contractor
for removing the old and rebuilding the new
Engine House - And your Committee
recommend accordingly.

The whole nevertheless respectfully

Submitted

J. Mason Chairman
W. A. Tompkins
J. M. Kane
A. J. Lewis
W. W. Whitney

Committee Room
City Hall
19 January 1857

TO HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR, THE ALDERMEN AND CITIZENS
OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL.

The

Fire

Committee

Respectfully Report,

That in removing the Hero Engine House from the centre of Lehabailly square to the lot on the said square, lately purchased by the Corporation, it was thought advisable to use the gable wall of the adjoining property belonging to Mr. Nicolas Metayer dit Saintonge, and obtain the droit de mitoyenneté therein; This right of mitoyenneté Mr. Metayer is willing to cede to the Corporation for the sum of Twenty five Pounds, being ^{one} half the value of the said wall; and Your Committee being of opinion that the offer is reasonable, recommend that ~~the~~ it be accepted and that a special appropriation of the amount be granted to them, with which to acquire the said privilege.

The whole nevertheless respectfully submitted

Committee Room
City Hall
Montreal 27th October 1856

A. McAmbridge
Charles J. G. L. L.
J. P. Trotter
Henry Lyman
The M. G. L.

1878 - No.13 Chaboillez Square.
Occupant - Albert Métayer, tabaconiste.
Propriétaire - Nicolas Métayer.
Valeur \$10,000.00

Voisins.

No. - Stations de Pompiers et Police.
No.19 - Jos.A.Carignan - Wood dealer.
No.21 - Jacob Cohen - Trader.

Propriétaires.

Jos.A.Carignan et Hon.R.Laflamme.

1880 - Chaboillez Square No.Cad.828.

Occupants - No.5 - Doran & Plunkett, Undertakers.
No.9 - Peter E.Brown - Merchant.
No.11- Philias Carrière, M.D.
No.11- Elie L.Desmarais - Photographe.
No.11- Wid.Jos.Desmarais.
No.13- Albert Métayer - Tobacconiste.

Propriétaire - Nicolas Métayer.

Valeur \$10,000.00

1883 Les occupants sont les mêmes.
Valeur - \$10,000.00

1884 Chaboillez Square Cad.No.828.

Moses Greenberg - Trader.
James Albert Métayer - Tabacconiste (2 billiard table)
A.C.Sourdif - Photo.
Nicolas Métayer - Gent.
Propriétaires - Nicolas Métayer.
Valeur - \$16,000.00

1885 No.9 Chaboillez Square.
Occupants - Moses Greenberg - Trader.
No.11 - Nicolas Fortier - Photographe.
Nicolas Métayer - Trader.
No.13 - James A.Métayer - Trader.
Propriétaire - Nicolas Métayer.
Valeur \$ 16,000.00

1890 No.9 Chaboillez Square. Cad.No.828.Quat.St-Antoine.
Occupants - Moses Greenberg - Trader.
Miss.Josie M.Loupret - Photographer.
Nicolas Métayer - Gent.
No.13 James A.Métayer - Trader.
No.15 Fire Station No.4
Valeur \$ 17,000.00

To His Worship the Mayor the Aldermen and Citizens of the City
of Montreal

The Finance Committee

Respectfully Report,

That the Accompanying Report of the Finance Committee recommending the removal of the Hero Engine House, from the Middle of Cabotville Square and asking for an Appropriation of £ 150 for that purpose, was referred to the predecessors of Your Committee on the 11 Sept last, and that the Finance Committee of that period resolved to report in favor of the Measure and had actually had a Report drawn up and signed to that effect, but that for some reason or other, which is not now apparent, the said Report was never submitted to the Council.

The present Finance Committee having likewise considered the Report of the Fire Committee, having like their predecessors come to the Conclusion that it should be adopted, and they therefore now have leave to report their concurrence in the recommendations thereof. The whole nevertheless respectfully submitted.

Committee Room. City Hall
10th June 1856

J. Drapeau Chairman
John F. Day
Jos. Fortune
Hollo Campbell

REPORT

FROM THE

Fire ——— COMMITTEE

*On the Petition for the
removal of the Hero
Engine House —*

*J. Berthelot
projet préparé*

Presented, *10^e Sept* 1855

and referred to the Finance
Committee.

J. Berthelot
Adopted, *11^e June* 1856

TO HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR, THE ALDERMEN AND CITIZENS OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Respectfully Report,

That, as directed by the Council, they have considered the accompanying Report, of the *Fire* Committee recommending the removal of the Hero Engine house from the middle of Lehabailley square and asking for an appropriation of one hundred and fifty Pounds to meet the expense and that they concur in the recommendation therein made.

The whole nevertheless respectfully submitted.

Committee Room, City Hall,
Montreal, 11th September 1855 }

Wm. G. Smith
Robt. Campbell
John J. Day
Geo. L. L. L.

The *Fire* Committee

Respectfully Report,

On the accompanying Petition for the removal of the Hero Engine house from its present position on Chabaille square. to a more suitable place in the neighbourhood.

Conceiving with the Petitioners, that the building referred to, is a great nuisance and eye-sore, situated as it is, in the centre of a ~~public~~ public square, Your Committee went to some trouble in finding out a suitable lot whereon to remove the said building. A lot of ground ~~in the immediate vicinity~~ facing on the said square, the property of O. Berthelet Esq. was found to be well adapted for the purpose; and on communicating with that gentleman, Your Committee have ascertained that the lot can be had at the same price that he paid for it last year, viz; Two hundred and fifty Pounds (£250), Mr. Berthelet moreover offers to grant the Corporation a delay of five years, to pay the amount.

This offer Your Committee consider reasonable and in their opinion ^{ought to be} ~~should be~~ accepted. Should the Council concur in that opinion, Your Committee recommend that they be authorized to have the said Hero Engine house demolished and rebuilt on the above mentioned lot of ground and that an appropriation of One hundred and fifty Pounds cy. the estimated cost of the whole

250
150
400

Edw. Thompson
O. Berthelet
Chas. G. ...
Am. ...

work he granted to them, for the purpose
The whole nevertheless respectfully submitted

Committee Room
City Hall
Montreal 24 July 1835

Montreal 25th June 1855

Sir

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 21st Inst. in which you state that you have been instructed by the Fire Committee to request me to inform the Committee, in writing, on what terms I might be disposed to make over to the Corporation, the lot of land on Chabot's place which belongs to me, in order that the fire engine which is now in the Centre of the Square may be transferred to the said lot, and you further beg to be informed if I would be disposed to subscribe something towards meeting the expenses attending the removal of said engine house and in answer, I beg to state that I will cheerfully make over to the Corporation the lot in question, on the same terms

J. W. Acton Esq.

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as I myself have purchased it, which
terms are mentioned in the deed of sale
enclosed. I would moreover extend the
delay for the payment of the purchase
money which in the said deed is of one
year to four or five years, to suit the Com-
mittee.

I have already stated verbally to
the president of the fire committee that,
should it be deemed advisable to pur-
chase another lot than mine to serve
as a site for the said Engine house, I would
subscribe £25 for that purpose and I am
still disposed to give that sum, provided
a suitable lot is purchased and mine
is left me.

I am,

Sr,
Yours &c
J. Howard
Butcher

The Mayor begs to
request the particular
attention of the Hon^{ble}
Read Committee to
the within Petition.

Wm: Nelson Mayor
11th April 1755

Montreal 13th April 1855.

Sir,

I beg respectfully to call your attention to the petition for the removal of the Eugénie house now on Chabrilley Square, presented to the City Council on the 21st June last, and to which no answer has as yet been returned. As this matter is of much interest to a number of citizens, proprietors and residents in and around that place, I take leave to pray you to be good enough to lay it again before the Council for their kind consideration.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Yours most obedient
and humble servant,
C. Parthelot

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and humble servant,
C. Parthelot

To His Worship the Mayor
the Aldermen and Citizens of the City of
Montreal

The Petition of the undersigned,
Householders on Chabaille Square and
vicinity,

Respectfully sheweth,

That the building erected on the said square
known as the "Hero Engine House" is found
to be and is generally complained of, as a
nuisance. That there are several vacant
lots, near to the said square, far more
eligible sites for such a building, and
which might be purchased at a cheap
rate.

Wherefore Your Petitioners humbly
pray that you will cause the said
Engine House to be removed, to the
least possible delay. And as in duty
bound, Your Petitioners will ever pray.

Montreal 26th April 1854.

William Couss

C. Dubois

John Mathewson

C. A. Brant

Olivier Fréchette

Walter Bennett

Michel Moses

Benjamin Parent

Wm. Watson

J. B. A. Denis

New Judah

Léandre Chaput

Fr. Bourne

Joseph Galt

John Donagan

Michael Caranacogh

Alexander Ward

J. P. Houle A.P.

William Patrick
Dominick Moore
Ternee Moore

P. B. Burtch

25 Sept

Proposé par *M^r Fernin*

Secondé par *M^r Lavoque* -

Que le Rapport du Comité *des Bénévoles*
maintenant devant le Conseil, soit reçu et adopté

A son Honneur le Marquis
aux Honorables & aux Citoyens
de Montréal

Le Comité du feu a l'honneur
de faire rapport qu'il est né-
cessaire d'ériger une maison de
Assemblée dans le faubourg
St-Joseph de la cité, et votre
Comité recommande d'être
autorisé à en faire construire
une au-dessus de la Petite

de plus
qu'une
appropriation
de £150
soit faite
pour mettre
le Comité
en état de
bâti la
maison
question

rivière au coin occidental
de la Place Chabillez. position
convenable qui n'obstruera
nullement la communication
publique. Il recommande #
Le tout néanmoins res-
pectueusement soumis

Chambre des Comités
25 Septembre 1844

Dominic Chairman
A. La Roche
C. Perrin
John Sully

To His Worship The Mayor, The Aldermen and
Citizens of Montreal

The Fire Committee of the Council

Respectfully Report,

That it is necessary to erect

an Engine House in The St Joseph Suburb
of the City; and your Committee recommend

they may be authorized to cause a suitable
one to be built over the Creek, on the Western
Corner of Habilleys Square - a convenient
position and one that will not in any way

interfere with the public thoroughfare. And
they further recommend that an appropriation of
the whole nevertheless respectfully submitted

* One hundred and
fifty Pounds be made
to enable your
Committee to build
the Engine House
in question

Yours

Wm. H. H.

Committee Room
City Hall - 25 Sept 1844

J. D. Jones, Chairman
A. La Touche
John Bull

Report
Of the Fire Committee

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