

## **Petition – state of Havelock Street**

To His Worship the Mayor & Members of the City Council of Sandhurst

We the undersigned respectfully beg to draw your attention to the dangerous and impassable state of that portion of Havelock situated between Arnold and Baxter streets. In the middle is two large ponds of water which will eventually if not filled be the cause of a life being lost as it has occu[r]ed more than once that the neighbours has had to extricate men whom no doubt had imbibed rather freely but who in the ordinary course would be quite able to steer clear of obstacles, but in this if assistance had not been rendered would have been mourned by their friends and a verdict returned drowned in the centre of a public road this State of Affairs need no comment.

In summer time a most sickening smell is omitted [emitted] from the stagnant pools. We will not dwell further but simply say that we have to carry our firewood and other bulky materials a considerable distance upon our backs which is a very unpleasant duty after our days toil.

Trusting Gentlemen that having the matter brought under your notice you will kindly order the necessary work to be done forthwith and

We your humble petitioners will ever pray

Signed this 13<sup>th</sup> day April 1874.

### **List of Petitioners**

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4	Ryan	Cornelius
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4	Morrissy	Martin
4	Meggs	Augustus
4	Keane	James
4	Ryan	Jeremiah
4	Ladd	William
4	Jordan	Thomas
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Referred to Surveyor

for report.

W. J. R.

27/4/74

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W. A. Steane  
Surveyor  
15/5/74



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Petition

State of New York  
Street

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