

FEATURES OF SOUTHBRIDGE

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Four hotels.
Seven churches.
Six optical shops.
Four knife shops.
A board of trade.
Telephone system.
Three public halls.
A population of 8244
Macadamized streets.
Two parochial schools.
Uniformed night police.
State military company.
Electric fire alarm system.
A magnificent town hall.
Electric railway projected.
Three weekly newspapers.
The New England railroad.
National and Savings banks.
Twenty-three public schools.
Fifty-three miles from Boston.
Eighteen miles from Worcester.
Gas and electric lighting plants.
Public library of 17,000 volumes.
Two hook and ladder companies.
Two steam fire-engine companies.
An excellent gravity water system.
Best water privilege in New England.
Largest Optical works in the country.
Largest Shuttle works in the country.
Beautiful residences and pleasant streets.
Mammoth cotton, woolen and print mills.
Twelve beneficiary and secret societies.
Grand Army Post and Woman's Relief Corps.
A superb Y.M.C.A. building and equipment.
An enterprising, intellectual and progressive people.
It's people welcome new-comers and new industries.