WATER DEPT.

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E.C.Brooks, and
Walter Harding, recommended to be retained in their present positions, all

by Stillman F. Kelley:-

Ans. April 20th, 1909.

STILLMAN F. KELLEY.
8 CONGRESS STREET,
BOSTON.

April 17, 1909.

Mayor Wm. F. Brooks,

City Hall, Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Mr.Mayor:-

I called last week at your office to pay my respects to you, but this was quite early in the day.

You know that since I was on the Water Board I have always taken quite an interest in that Branch, and am somewhat familiar with it. I heard a short time ago that Dr.Dudley's term expired soon and possibly he might not be re-appointed by you; but I sincerely trust that you will see that it is for the best advantage of the City to re-appoint him, and if politics have anything to do about it, bear in mind that he and his father before him, have been straight out and out Democrats of the old fashioned type.

While I was one of the Water Board I had occasion to realize how faithful and valuable to the Board and to the City Mr.Brooks and Mr.Harding were in their respective positions, and I sincerely trust that under your guidance of City affairs that nothing will induce you to drop these two men from the list, as it would be unfortunate if you did.

I am not attempting to dictate to you what you should do, but as a good citizen of Cambridge, take the opportunity to express myself as above and feel it very keenly.

I wish you and your administration the greatest amount of success

With kind regards, I remain,

Yours very truly,

Stillman F. Kelley

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