

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE
FIRE HEADQUARTERS

July 2, 1918.

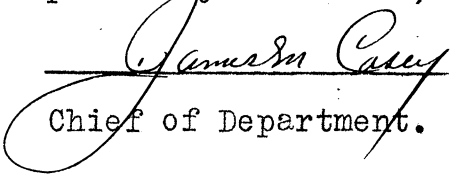
Hon. Edward W. Quinn, Mayor,
City Hall,
Cambridge, Mass.

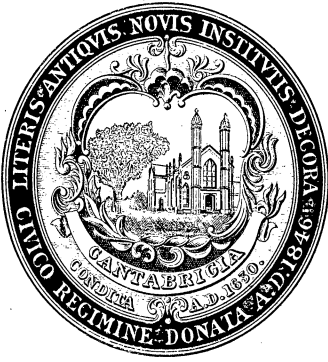
Dear Sir:-

In answer to your inquiry in regard to an appropriation of a sufficient sum to provide suitable sleeping quarters and living rooms in the Brattle Square Building for members of the Fire Department, and to make any other necessary repairs, I would say that in my opinion it is a waste of money, as this building has out-lived its usefulness as far as the Fire Department is concerned, and that I have recommended for the last two years the building of a modern and up-to-date house to accommodate the two companies now located in that building.

The department gas bills for this house alone average about \$35.00 per month, as they have to burn gas day and night in this building.

Respectfully submitted,


Chief of Department.



*Office of the Mayor
Cambridge Massachusetts*

July 2nd, 19 18.

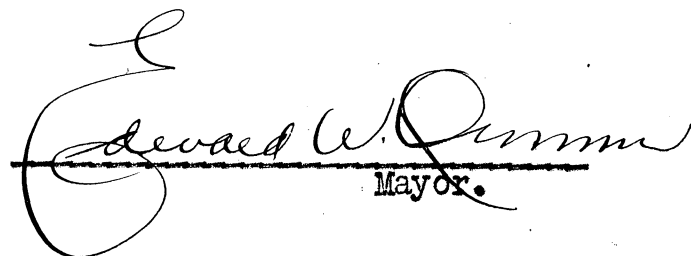
To the

Honorable the City Council of the
City of Cambridge:-

In answer to your request contained in an order dated June 19th, 1918, that the Mayor recommend an appropriation for a sum sufficient to provide suitable sleeping quarters and living rooms in the Brattle Square City Building for members of the Fire Department, and to make other necessary repairs, I beg leave to submit herewith a communication from the Chief of Fire Department, relative to the matter, in which he states that in his opinion it would be a waste of money at the present time.

I think it best therefore that nothing should be done relative to this matter for the present.

Respectfully,



Mayor.

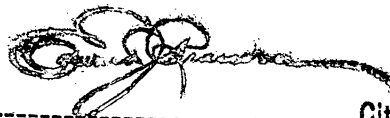
Communication
from Mayor transmitting
one from Chief Casey rel.
to app'n. for sleeping quarters
for firemen in Brattle
Sq. Bldg.

In City Council

July 2, 1918

Referred to the Committee on

**PUBLIC PROPERTY AND
PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS**



City Clerk,

City of Cambridge

City Council
In ~~Session~~ ~~at the City Hall~~ October 22, 1918.

The

Committee on Public Property and Public
Institutions

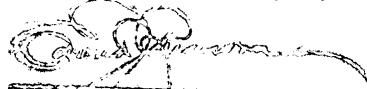
to which was referred a communication from the Chief of the Fire Department relative to appropriation for sleeping quarters for firemen in the Brattle Square Building

Reports

Inadvisable at this time. At
earliest possible date trust the Mayor will recommend an amount sufficient to erect a suitable building.

Report received, and
recommendation ADOPTED.

Attest


City Clerk

For the Committee.

Harold M. Bradbury

REPORT

Committee on *Public Property and
Public Institutions*

*recommending inadvisable
at this time a communication
relative to sleeping quarters
at Brattle Sq. Building.*

Oct. 22, 1918