Cambridgeport.
January 11th 1896.

Hon William A. Bancroft.
Mayor City of Cambridge.

Sir;

I would respectfully request that in case the office of Head Janitor for the city is established, that my name be considered. I am an Engineer by profession and can furnish recommendations as to my ability. I served in Navy during the war as an Asst Engineer and have followed the same profession since in various places, among them the "Exchange Bldg," Boston, "Cambridge Elec Lt Co" and "Hathaway Estate" Boston, as Janitor + Chief Engr. Through disabilities from the effects of service I have lost my left arm, but consider myself as competent as before.

If any further application is necessary, I will upon being so informed, file it.

Very Respectfully &c.
John D. Thompson.
#30 Howard Street.
Cambpt.

Jan. 11, 1896

John D. Thompson.

East Cambridge Jan 14 1896

To the Hon, Wm A Broncroft
Dear Sir:-

I would like the Position as Janiton of Thondike School as I have beantaking care of the School since Mr Hunnewell has been Sick and helping him off and on for the Past Five years. I have resided in E Cambridge for 30 years

John T. Baker
33 Sixth St

Jany 16th 1896

Hon Wm A Bancroft

Dear Sir.

I respectfully make
Application for janitor in
some public Building in
the City, when a vacancy
occurs. I am a resident of
the City having resided
here for the past Eleven years
am a Veteran of the lat War.
and can refer you to
Charles L. Russell

Yours Truly
317 Main St Cambridgeport

Andrew J. Hews

64 Washington St

Lambsport

Veteran

Applicant for janitor

Jan. 20, 1896.

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE.

OFFICE OF THE

Superintendent of Public Buildings.

Inspector of Buildings.

City Hall, Feb 1st 1896

To the Hon. W. A. Bancroft.

Dear Sir.

I hereby make an application for the position of Janitor of a school house in Ward 3. I have been a Locomotive Engineer for 10 years.

Yours Truly.

C. W. Smith.

P. Office address. 78. 6th St. E. Cambridge.

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JOHN W. COVENEY,
507 CAMBRIDGE ST.

East Cambridge, Feby 3 1896

Hon. W. A. Bancroft

Dear Sir.

The Bearer Michael Coveney is a fireman at the Western Power House. He is a practical man around Boilers & Steam. He would like to take the examination, as he wishes to apply for the janitorship of the new school house on 3d St. He is a good steady man & I would be pleased if you could help him —

Yours of

Jno W Coveney

Cambridgeport Febr 4.th 1896.

The Hon. Mayor Bancroft

Cambridge Mass:

Resp. Sir.

Under the new Law of the Commonwealth of Mass. chapter 471. Acts of 1895. I come do you to make application for the position as Engineer to take charge of the Schoolhouses (where Steam is used, and also of any other City Government Building where Steam is in use. I have First class License (unlimited) I am competent do to all repairs on Boilers pipes, pumps & Brickwork etc. — being sober & steady have best of References Served in the late war in Co G. 35 Mass. Vols.

M.

reside in Cambridge for 22 years.
N.B. the Civil Service Reform Law will
not be recognised under this new Law
every Engineer & Fireman must be
licensed.

I am at present out of work
hoping my lines will be favorable

I am yours Resp.

Lorenzo C. Carberg.

430 Main str.

Cambridgeport

Mass.



HEAD-QUARTERS

P. Stearns Davis Post 57,

G. A. R.

East Cambridge, May 9 1896

Hon. William A Bancroft

Mayor of Cambridge

Dear Sir i Most Respectfully Make application for a Position as Janitor in one of Our School or Public Buildings or any Other Position or any Other Position that you May think that i am Capable of Filling yours Most Respt

Chas F Marks

38 Third St

East Cambridge

Mass

Cambridge, Sept. 3, 1896.

To His Honor Wm A Bancroft Mayor.

Dear Sir.

I desire to make application for an appointment as Janitor of a School house. I am a Veteran having served in a Cambridge Company in the 47th Regiment.

I have applied for a license to run Steam boiler.

Most Respectfully

William. Dale

Cambridgeport Sept 7th 76

Hon Wm A Bancroft Sir
I recd a Letter from Alderman
Isaac Sear stating that you
was going to appoint a Janitor
to one of the School Houses
to fill a Vacancy and
that I had better put in an
Application for the Place
I would like such a place
if there is no Heating with Steam
that is something I know nothing
about – if you have a place
vacant when furnace is
used I should like it

Respectfully Your
Sam E Sledman
4 Hancock Place Cambridgeport

Walter D. Hodgdon
194 River St
applicant for janitorship

Sept 8, 1896.

Soloman M. Bushnach
20 Watson St.
wants to janitor of
the Boardman School
Veteran Co. C. 1st. Co
3 months service.
38th Mass. Regt, served
3 years.

Nov. 9/96

Cambridge Dec. 10th 1896

To all whom it may concern.

The bearer Edward Kelly residing at No 13 Valentine Street, Cambridgeport, is worthy of any position for which he may apply - He is a veteran of the late war, and holds a fireman's license - He is a steady, upright man and will without doubt do his work faithfully -

Eben W. Pike City Hall.

Peter F. Rawke

Hugh J. Donahoe 11 Valentine St.

Marcellus I. Dow 33 Lawrence St

John T. Shea 9 Pearl St.

Charles James 123 Green St

E. A. McCarthy MD 458 Massachusetts Ave

Fred L. Beunke 553 Massachusetts Av

Albert H. Hutton MD 697 Mass. Ave.

John H. Corcoran 587 Massachusetts Ave

Cambridge Dec. 10th 1896

Hon. Wm A. Bancroft, Mayor:-

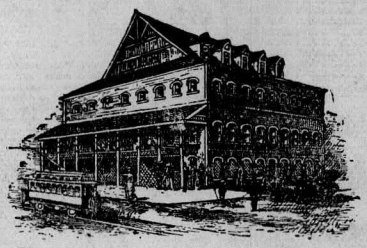
Sir:

I would respectfully request that my name be considered in connection with the appointment of Janitor for the Wellington School- I am a veteran of the late war and hold a regular fireman's license- I reside at No 13 Valentine Street, Cambridgeport- Can furnish good references-

Edward Kelly

Cambridgeport Gymnasium Association

Corner Prospect and Harvard Streets



CAMBRIDGEPORT, Dec. 12 1896

To whom it may concern

The bearer (Mr. Kelley) worked for us as Janitor and also had charge of Boiler and heating apparatus.

He gave perfect satisfaction and his only reason for leaving was the late hours of labor required, our building being open until ten o'clock.

We have no hesitation in recomending him to any one desiring a man for such a position

D. F. Brown President.
J. Frank Facey. Treasurer

179 BRATTLE STREET,

CAMBRIDGE, 14 December 1896

Mr. Edward Kelly

Cambridgeport.

Sir

I have read the recommendation from the officers of the Cambridgeport Gymnasium Association which is quite satisfactory. I think you had better take both papers to the Mayor as soon as possible and therefore return them to you.

Yours truly

William Taggard Piper

Cambridge, Dec. 14. 1876.

To his Honor the Mayor.

Dear Sir.

I desire to present to you my application for Janitor of the Wellington School house.

Respt. Yours.
T. J. Cowick.

I would most respectfully refer your Honor to Representative Fillmore, Senator Dallinger and Alderman Rourke as to my character.



Janitors, etc. 1896

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