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Boston, JANUARY 2, 1892.

DEAR MR. ALGER,

MY HEARTY NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS FOR 1892, AND MY BEST WISHES AS WELL AS BELIEF THAT YOU WILL GIVE CAMBRIDGE EQUALLW AS GOOD AN ADMINISTRATION THIS YEAR AS YOU DID LAST, AND IF POSSIBLE A BETTER ONE, BECAUSE OF YOUR YEAR'S EXPERIENCE.

REGARDING THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY, WHICH YOU ARE TO NOMINATE: MR. BARNES, WHO HAS SERVED ON THE BOARD FOR THE LAST THREE YEARS AS A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, I SHOULD HOPE TO SEE RETURNED, AS HE HAS DONE VERY EFFICIENT WORK IN BUYING A PORTION OF THE BOOKS, AND HAS A KNOWLEDGE THAT FEW MEN COMPARATIVELY HAVE IN THAT RESPECT; AND MR. WHEELER, WHO HAS REPRESENTED THE COMMON COUNCIL FOR THE PAST TWO YEARS HAS ALSO BEEN OF MUCH SERVICE, AND I THINK IF HE COULD REPRESENT THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, IT WOULD BE A GOOD APPOINTMENT. I SIMPLY LAY THIS MATTER BEFORE YOU FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION. DO NOT TROUBLE TO REPLY TO THE LETTER.

WITH KIND REGARDS,

YOURS TRULY,

O H Durrell

Mr Barnes retired from the School Board Jan 1 and could be appointed to fill Mr Gilmores place