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Hoseman Patrick F. Toohig of 40 and Ladderman T. J. Hines of 4.

On the recommendation of District Chief Patrick E. Keyes of East Boston, Fire Commissioner H. S. Russell yesterday made hoseman Patrick F. Toohig of engine company 40, Sumner st, East Boston, and ladderman Thomas J. Hines of combination ladder 4, Saratoga st, East Boston, the seniors of their respective companies. Toohig is made to fill the vacancy caused by hoseman Leahy's promotion, and Hines replaces ladderman Plunkett, who has been transferred.

The senior man of a company always stands the best chance for promotion, and the position is a very desirable one.

Patrick F. Toohig was born May 20, 1864, and was employed as a furniture finisher before joining the fire department. He was appointed a permanent substitute on May 18, 1891, and was placed at engine companies 38-39, Congress st. He was transferred to engine company 3, Harrison av, May 28, 1891, and remained there until Aug 18, 1891, when he was transferred to hose company 7, Tremont st, which has since ben taken from commission. He was placed at engine 40 March 3, 1893, and has remained there since. He was made a full-fledged fireman Sept 16, 1892.

Thomas J. Hines was born April 5, 1866, and clerking was his occupation prior to his entering the fire service. He was appointed a permanent substitute on April 21, 1891, and was assigned to engine company 26, Mason st. He was made a regular on Aug 12, 1892, and was transferred to ladder company 2, Paris st, East Boston, on Jan 4, 1896. He was returned to engine 26 on Nov 22, 1896, and was stationed there up to Dec 24, 1897, when he was shifted to combination ladder company 4, where he has since remained.