

WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY.

DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL AND  
MINING ENGINEERING.

JOHN L. JOHNSTON,  
PROFESSOR.

MORGANTOWN, June 25<sup>th</sup> 189 J

This is to certify that I have known  
Mr. J. M. Laurel throughout his college  
course, and have been his instructor in  
Civil & Mining Engineering, and I consider  
him one among the brightest and best  
students the W. V. U. has ever turned  
out. His attainments in the fields of  
technical science are of the highest order,  
and I heartily recommend him as being,  
in my estimation, all the essentials of a  
successful educator and instructor. He is  
especially proficient in Higher Mathematics  
and Mechanics.

Respectfully

John L. Johnston

WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY.

OFFICE  
OF THE  
PRESIDENT.

MORGANTOWN,

June 24, 1895,

To whom it may Concern: -

Mr. J. M. Laville  
Graduate this year from the University  
with the degree of C. E. He has shown great  
ability in prosecuting his course, and gives  
promise of attaining the highest rank in  
his profession. His moral character is  
unexceptionable, and he has the full  
confidence of all.

P. B. Reynolds,  
(Vice-Pres. W. University.)

WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY.

CHAIR OF GEOLOGY.

S. B. BROWN,  
PROFESSOR.

MORGANTOWN, W. Va. June 26 1895

Professor J. M. Lee  
Huntington, W. Va.

My dear Sir,

It is with some pleasure that I recommend to you for a place in your High School Mr. J. M. Lavelle of Mineral County. Mr. Lavelle is a man that any school or any teachers may well feel proud to recommend. He is a high class man in every way. Of very superior mathematical and scientific scholarship, he has also a ready use of the choicest language and is a ready speaker.

He was this year recommended by both Professors of Engineering for the place of Assistant in the Department of Civil and Mining Engineering; but the Board of Regents had more well qualified candidates than they could elect. I hope your City may be fortunate enough to secure the services of Mr. Lavelle.  
Yours very respectfully,  
S. B. Brown.

WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY.

JAS. W. HARTIGAN,  
PROFESSOR OF BIOLOGY AND  
DIRECTOR OF THE GYMNASIUM.

MORGANTOWN,

Jan 27, 1895

To whom it may concern:

It gives me pleasure to state that Mr. T. W. Paville is a graduate of this University, and was chosen to represent his class on Commencement day. I have known him as a student, and recognize in him ability, industry, and sterling integrity, and can recommend him as a gentleman, honest and faithful in the discharge of any duty he may consent to perform.

Respectfully

J. W. Hartigan.

Prof of Biology