

Board of Health Makes Report on Year's Work

Presented to City Council Last Night---
Erection of Isolation Hospital at Earliest
Date is Urged--Licensing of Retail Milk
Dealers is Suggested.

The annual report of the Fredericton Board of Health was presented to the City Council last night by Mr. G. Y. Dibblee, the chairman. Mr. John M. Wiley, being unable to be present, Mr. Dibblee and Mr. Peter Farrell represented the Board. The report was as follows:

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 31, 1917. To His Worship the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Fredericton. Gentlemen:

The Board of Health of the City of Fredericton, District No. 1, desire to submit the following report for the year ending December 31st, 1917. The fiscal year of the Board ends on the 31st of October, to correspond with the fiscal year of the Provincial Board of Health and all our reports, (copies of which I attach), are made to correspond with that date.

The unsatisfactory conditions of the plumbing inspection, referred to in the report of the 30th of March last, have been remedied and the in-

spector has performed his duties to the complete satisfaction of the Board. His report, which is attached, will show you the work he has performed.

Water and Sewerage.

We regret to have to report that the conditions in respect to the water filtration are not as satisfactory as the Board desire them to be, the tests showing that the filters are not regularly doing the efficient work they should do, but as the water and sewerage committee have employed the city analyst to take advisory charge of the technical part of the filtration process, the Board feel sure that with the co-operation and assistance of the engineers in the mechanical part of the system, the above conditions will very shortly be remedied and the filters will be restored to their old time efficiency.

We have to thank the water and sewerage committee of the city for their desire to at all times consult with the Board and to make every effort to remedy wrong conditions.

The Board are informed by Analyst Hagerman that in addition to having uniform results from filtration, he is aiming to have very much less chemicals used. If he is able to accomplish this, it will be a result most desired by the citizens.

Sewerage.

You will note by the report of the plumbing inspector that forty-eight (48) sewer connections have been laid up to 31st October and up to that date there have been a total of 1,236 connections laid. There are probably 40 or 50 houses not connected with the sewer. In a few instances these houses are still using cesspools, which is against the health laws and it is the intention of the Board to compel the owners early next spring to make the sewer connections. There are some cases where the owners are not in good financial circumstances and the Board are going a bit slow with them, but in a very short time all must be compelled to make the necessary water and sewerage connections. There are some business places on Queen and other streets, who have no toilet conveniences. It is the intention of the Board to insist on this being remedied, as it is most unsanitary.

It is the opinion of the Board that

the time has come, if the citizens desire a sanitary city, that all outside closets, etc., should be closed up. This will necessitate water and sewerage being installed in Wilmot's Alley and the prolongation of Aberdeen street. Wilmot's Alley is a deplorable place to have in the centre of the city, but if water and sewerage is installed, the Board will quickly see that the connections are made, or the places will be closed up as unsanitary. The Board are quite aware the city will probably never receive enough revenue to pay the interest on the cost of work, but it is one of the cases when the health of the city should be the first consideration.

Milk.

Last spring the Board passed new regulations relating to sale of milk in the city (a copy of which is attached) the provisions of which have been fairly well carried out, but only fairly well, and it is the intention of the Board this year to have a much more rigid inspection and anybody not having milk up to the standard will be cut off from selling it in the city. There are too many sellers of milk in the city and delivery charges add too much to cost of production. In the

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Sound Advice

THE best information obtainable at present indicates plentiful supplies of raw sugar for the year 1918, and, PROVIDED THAT SHIPS ARE AVAILABLE to transport the raw sugar, everybody should be able to obtain a reasonable supply.

This is a great big "IF" however, to overcome, and therefore it would be safer for consumers and dealers to make plans only for eighty to ninety per cent of last year's consumption.

It will be well on in February before any large supplies of raw sugar reach Canada, and in the meantime the supply will be limited owing to the small stocks on hand.

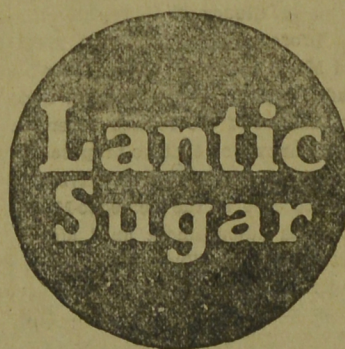
During 1917 this Company has operated its Refinery continuously, the only interruption being two days at Christmas time. We believe this record has not been equalled by any refinery in the United States or Canada.

During the whole year it has been our constant aim to keep the Canadian public supplied with "LANTIC PURE CANE SUGAR" at reasonable prices.

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