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SEWERAGE.

Fredericton will never have a system of sewerage until the citizens, figuratively speaking, take their civic representative by the neck and compel them to introduce the much desired improvement.

The question has been trifled with long enough, and if there is a public spirit in this city; if there is a pride in keeping Fredericton to the front as a desirable place of residence, a healthy, progressive city, it is the manifest duty of the rate-payers to press for the introduction of a sewerage system until it shall have been constructed.

It may be possible that we have little to expect from the present council. Some of its members have no conception whatever of the absolute necessity of sewerage, others are too much engaged in personal wrangling and endeavoring to get ahead of supposed rivals for public favor to seriously consider the needs of the city, while still another element lack the capacity to grasp any matter larger than the appointment of a constable or the voting of the civic salaries.

The taxpayers of the city however have the matter in their own hands, and if they are so willed, can force even the present council to engage in the sewerage enterprise. Would that there were more men in the council with the strong convictions and independent expression of Ald. Scott, who, although only a comparatively recent arrival, sees the necessity of sewerage and is willing to assume whatever responsibility that attaches to going ahead at once with the enterprise. Ald. Clarke too deserves credit for the stand he has taken in the matter. Of Ald. Farrell's attitude what shall be said? After making speeches in favor of sewerage he was found voting with the majority against the proposition, and yet we believe he realizes the necessity of sewerage; he has certainly advocated it on former occasions, and is still anxious to be considered as favorable. Ald. Farrell is sometimes credited with being the leader of the council—the premier of the civic government. Does he know of any direction in which he could lead that would be more worthy of his best efforts, than towards sewerage?

UNPATRIOTIC ACTION.

If New Brunswick secures better financial terms from the federal government, it will be in spite of the efforts of the opposition in the legislature. The question should not be made a party one, but Mr. Hazen and his supporters have taken the responsibility—made the great mistake of placing themselves on record against the Quebec resolutions, which if carried out will give this province a very largely increased annual income, and save the people from possible direct taxation. It would have been far more patriotic in Mr. Hazen and his friends to have united heartily with the government in its efforts to secure a readjustment of the federal subsidies, so that the public services of this province may be more generously supported.

Mr. Hazen has made a great outcry for an increase in the teachers' salaries, but when the government endeavors to procure the means for that and other deserving purposes, they find the opposition leader and all his followers arrayed in antagonism to the proposition.

The militia bill to be introduced in the parliament next week will include a provision for an increase in the permanent corps, and it is said one result will be to double the number of men stationed at the Fredericton depot.

ALDERMANIC NEGLIGENCE.

A clearer case of official neglect was never better illustrated than is at present shown with respect to the St. John street sewer. That important public work is rotted out and caved in so that the surface water after each rain, instead of running to the river, soaks into the ground and floods the cellars of St. John street citizens, some of whom have threatened the city with lawsuits. The council must have known long ago that the sewer was in a rotten condition, but no steps were taken to renew or repair it, and the residents of the street are forced to bear the annoyance, inconvenience and damages to health which result from flooded cellars and furnaces rendered worthless, all because the men who sit at the council board are so negligent of their duties.

It is a public shame that such incompetents are permitted to exercise the functions supposed to attach to the position of alderman.

The Herald joins heartily with Col. Marsh's brethren of the Bar in congratulating the worthy police magistrate on the attainment of his fiftieth anniversary as a barrister. The presentation of a complimentary address and a more substantial token of their esteem for Col. Marsh, was a very thoughtful act on the part of the lawyers, and all the kind things they said of His Honor were well deserved. Col. Marsh has dispensed justice for more than thirty years with an impartial hand, and his record as a citizen is warmly appreciated by the residents of Fredericton. May the Col. enjoy many more years of life and usefulness.

The Premier announced in the Legislature Thursday afternoon, that the Attorney General had received a telegram from the Attorney General of Nova Scotia, expressing a desire that Nova Scotia should join with New Brunswick in the case to be argued before the Supreme Court on the redistribution of seats. The Attorney General telegraphed his compliance with the request.

Seats for Clary Concert April 30.

The plan of seats will open to subscribers Thursday, April 23rd, and to the general public the following day. All those whose names are not as yet on the list should communicate with Mr. Lemont and so arrange that they may have this privilege, as indications would point to the subscribers being almost sufficiently numerous to fill the house. Great interest is being felt in the prospect of hearing this wonderful contralto, and it will be somewhat of a novelty, as we have never at least in the memory of the average concert goer, been privileged to hear a great contralto in Fredericton. Madame Clary will be the leading solo attraction at the Harris festival in Toronto, Ottawa and Montreal from the 18th inst. until the 24th, where it is expected she will make somewhat of a sensation. The famous contralto will come direct from Montreal to St. John, where she will open her extensive Canadian tour with two concerts on the 27th and 28th insts. None in this city who can possibly attend should miss this exceptional event.

POPE'S FEEBLENESS.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Rome, April 11.—The Pope is reported to be suffering from extreme feebleness, and shortness of breath. Notwithstanding this he is determined to attend every Lenten sermon with his cardinals and to receive pilgrims on Monday and Tuesday. The cardinals are impressed with increasing lassitude of the Pontiff.

Valuable Advice to Rheumatics.

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Deputy Provincial Secretary Tibbitts, was taken suddenly ill at his home yesterday afternoon, and for a time his condition was quite serious. This morning found him greatly improved and able to resume his duties at the departmental building.

A POPULAR BELIEF.

That Rheumatism is Due to Cold, Wet Weather.

Such Conditions Aggravate the Trouble, But it is Now Known to be a Disease of the Blood—Outward Application Cannot Cure It.

The one popular belief that rheumatism was entirely the result of exposure to cold or dampness, is now known to be a mistake. The disease may be aggravated by exposure, but the root of the trouble lies in the blood, and must be treated through it. Liniments and outward applications never cure, while Dr. Williams' Pink Pills always cure because they make new, rich, red blood, in which disease finds lodgment impossible. Concerning the use of these pills Mr. A. G. Lacombe, Sorel, Quebec, says: "For upwards of five years I was a victim to the tortures of rheumatism. At times the pains in my knees, shoulders and hip were almost past endurance. At other times I could not dress myself without assistance. I tried several remedies, some of them very costly, without getting any more than temporary relief at the most. At this juncture a friend urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and spoke so highly of the pills that I decided to try them. Almost from the very first these pills helped me, and by the time I had taken seven or eight boxes, every twinge of rheumatism had disappeared and I was feeling better than I had for years. I would strongly advise similar sufferers to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial, as I am confident they will not only drive away all pains and aches, but leave you strong, active and happy."

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To Erect a Club House.

The Fredericton Tennis club, are getting things in shape for the approaching season, and the chances are that the popular game of tennis, will boom here as never before. At a large and enthusiastic meeting held on Wednesday evening, it was decided to at once commence the erection of substantial club houses on the clubs grounds, University Avenue, and a committee was appointed to procure the plans and invite tenders for the work. Messrs. A. R. Tibbitts and J. W. Hamilton, members of the executive, having removed from the city, F. Wayland Porter and H. G. Chestnut were elected to fill the vacancies. The club now has a membership of one hundred, with prospects of a further increase.

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