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LOCAL IMPROVEMENT.

The efforts of the Local Improvement Association to beautify and otherwise improve the city should meet with the hearty co-operation of every citizen who has a pride in retaining for Fredericton its reputation of being the prettiest and most attractive city in Canada. Nature has done a lot for Fredericton; the site of the city beside the wide flowing waters of the St. John river could not be more charming; the city was laid out by men who had an eye for symmetry and beauty, the streets are wide and regular, and in every way the natural advantages of Fredericton are attractive.

Within the past few years Fredericton has made remarkable strides towards assuming the conditions of a city of much greater size. Our system of water works for domestic and fire purposes, our asphalt sidewalks, greatly improved and extended business houses and residences, the establishment of important industries, the addition of a well equipped hospital and a beautiful public park, to say nothing of the great development of the newspapers, and the increase in business, evidenced in many ways, especially in the great multiplication of banks doing business here, are included in the advance of the city during the past twenty years. For quite a long period previous to that Fredericton stood still, especially with respect to population, but in the decade between 1891 and 1901 we had the gratification of seeing the population increase nearly 1000 souls.

All this is very pleasing, but we must still advance, and everybody can help a little. Hand in hand with our material prosperity must go the beautifying and adornment of the city, and the Local Improvement Association has undertaken a most meritorious work in laboring to that end.

Mr. Caenstnut says the lack of funds is the great drawback the Association feels, and any appeal that may be made in that direction should meet a prompt and hearty response. We understand that the Association purpose issuing a circular shortly, setting forth its aims and desires.

In the meantime individual citizens can do very much towards assisting the association in its efforts. Let every man clean up his premises, make his property, front and rear attractive, cut the grass and the weeds in front of his residence, keep the street and sidewalk in front of his home free from paper and other waste substances, plant a tree where necessary, put in a flower bed, and generally add to the attractiveness of the home exterior as well as the interior. A lawn mower, a scythe, a shovel, spade, hoe or rake are useful adjuncts to the industrious householder who takes a pride in making his home surroundings beautiful.

Clean up, gentlemen, clean up your premises, and if you have a dollar to spare drop it into the treasury of the Local Improvement Association.

An Ottawa despatch, says that in regard to the Grand Trunk Pacific railway project, the proposition which Hon. H. R. Emmerson made and advocated at the railway committee the other day, to extend the Intercolonial to the wheat fields of Manitoba is meeting with general favor at the capital.

Score another point for Canada. As a direct result of this country's exhibit at the Japanese fair at Osaka and the visit of Hon. Sydney Fisher, minister of agriculture, an order has been received at Ottawa from Japan for 15,000 tons of Canadian flour.

The British parliamentary party that is coming to Canada this summer will also include a number of prominent manufacturers. There is yet no announcement that the distinguished visitors are coming to the maritime provinces. Some weeks ago in parliament, Mr. Ross, of Victoria, N. S., called the government's attention to the fact that the itinerary of the party did not include the Maritime provinces, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier promised to interest himself in the question. We hope the premier has not forgotten the matter.

A penitent politician, with tears streaming down his cheeks, is one of the sights of St. Louis. Senator Busche of that city, has made confession that he is a boodler, a dealer in corrupt political bargains for the past eight years. His confession involves other prominent politicians, and has made a great sensation. Busche, after he had told his incriminating story to the grand jury, emerged with tears streaming from his eyes and with his face buried in his handkerchief. Poor Busche, somebody found him out.

CLOTHING TOOK FIRE.

A Three Year Old Child's Narrow Escape From Death.

A little three-year-old son of James Pollock, while playing with matches near his home on George street yesterday afternoon, set fire to his clothing and had a narrow escape from being burned to death. Fortunately Mrs. Pollock happened to be near by at the time, and hearing the cries of her child ran at once to his assistance. Although greatly frightened by the sight which met her gaze, she did not lose her presence of mind, and seizing hold of the little one, managed to beat out the flames. In doing so her hands were very badly burned.

Dr. Bridge, who was called to attend the unfortunate child, found that he had been very badly burned about the body, his injuries being of such a serious nature that recovery seems doubtful. Every thing possible is being done to save his life, but he is suffering a great deal of pain, and at this stage it is difficult to tell what the outcome may be.

Forerunner of Disaster.

Senator King's reputation as an advance agent of railroad disasters has been referred to before by the Record. It will be remembered that Senator King passed over the Central Railway from Chipman on the day previous to the two last disasters on that road. He has now eclipsed that performance by being a passenger on the last train which passed through the unfortunate town of Frank, Alberta, which was wiped out by a landslide.—Sussex Record.

The Smallpox Situation.

The house at Springhill, occupied by Alex. Goodine and Stephen Robinson, has been thoroughly fumigated by the health authorities and the smallpox quarantine will be raised tonight. There has not been a single case of smallpox at Springhill outside of the houses placed under quarantine when the disease first made its appearance. Quarantine on the Forbes house Gibson was raised by Dr. Mullin last night.

Mrs. Jones' Sufferings.

Mrs. W. P. Jones of Woodstock is suffering severely from the burns received in the unsuccessful effort to save her little son's life, in the terrible accident of Tuesday.

Caller—You look like a truthful girl. Tell me if your mistress really out? Yes she is ma'am. Caller where? Domestic—At the elbow, ma'am.

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Freshmen Engineers.

The following are the results of the Freshmen Engineer's Botany examination at the U. N. B.:

1st division—Trites, Clawson, McBeath, Brittain, Wright, Kinghorn, Everett.

2nd div.—Torrens, Barnett, Tweedie, Nalder, Thomas, Winslow, Malloy, Coonan, McLeod, Smith.

3rd div.—Thorne.

The Sunday service at the College Y. M. C. A. will be the senior's farewell. All students are invited.

DIED

Suddenly in New York, on May 15, Mabel wife of Richard B. Adams, and daughter of the late James Agnew, of Fredericton, leaving a husband and five children to mourn their loss.

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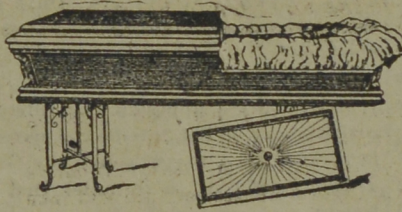
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