

various municipalities on the Island. They were unanimous in support of the scheme.

Representation

ELECTOR — Will you endeavour to get greater legislative autonomy for Montreal?

GEORGE MARCIL. — If my fellow-citizens do me the honor of electing me Mayor I will use the prestige of my office, and all the influence that goes with it, to call together all Montrealers — without distinction of race, creed or party — to urge them to unite in a Metropolitan League, every effort of which will be directed towards securing for Montreal a representation in the Legislative Assembly more nearly proportional to her population, in order that her interests may be properly protected and safe-guarded. Fair representation in the Legislature would be a cure for most of ourills. I will also do all I can to introduce proportional representation in the City Council.

The City Charter

ELECTOR — Would you have the Charter of Montreal amended so as to give the City more power.

GEORGE MARCIL. — Yes. Instead of starting with a defective Charter, and legislatively tinkering on it every year, with confusion worse confounded as a result, I think a committee