

and thus rendering it practically impossible for us to carry out the obligations. I believe the promise should be carried out and the promised improvements made. That will be the only way to get revenues from the new wards which we now lose money on. Especially as the city is only called upon to finance the works, being ultimately reimbursed by the proprietors benefitted.

Conclusion

I wish to make it perfectly clear to you, Mr. Ratepayer, that if I am elected Mayor of this City, in the affairs of which I have always been deeply interested, I will appreciate it as an honour. But I will even more gladly embrace the opportunity of presiding over the meetings of the Board of Commissioners. I expect to do effective work there.

Finally, I ask you, *the reader of these lines*, not to let yourself be swayed by your friend, your employer or your neighbour, much less by any election organizer, canvasser or ward healer. Consider *your own interest*, as a ratepayer of the City of Montreal, and vote for

Your obedient servant,

GEORGE MARCIL,
Alderman, and People's
Candidate for Mayor.