

## Alderman H. Laporte's Letter

*To the Electors of Montreal.*

*This pamphlet, prepared with the co-operation of some of our friends, gives a general idea of the work accomplished at the City Hall, during the last two years.*

*The majority of the Aldermen returned to Council in February, 1900, endeavoured to fulfil their campaign promises. I may say that we did all in our power, considering the financial plight in which we found ourselves, to give satisfaction to the entire population.*

*Credit for the municipal reorganization undertaken by us is due entirely to our supporters in the Council. We could always rely upon their support whenever the interests of the City were at stake. And the praise given to me personally in different chapters of this pamphlet is also intended for those of my colleagues, who worked so perseveringly to successfully carry out the programme we submitted to the ratepayers at the last election.*

*Many more improvements are needed in our Civic Administration and particularly in the Road Department.*

*If you grant us a renewal of your confidence, Gentlemen, we will unite our efforts for the next two years in a continuance of the work of improving our financial standing, upholding the reputation and credit of our City and providing the best possible service in all departments, and more especially in the Road Department.*

*Yours truly,*

**H. LAPORTE,**

*Chairman Finance Committee.*

*Montreal, Nov. 24, 1901.*