

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON "SCOPE"

The Committee on "Scope" beg to report as follows:-

It is understood that the League was formed to work towards the elimination of preventable sickness and deaths in Montreal.

If health work is to have any degree of success it is necessary that the people be interested, and also that they be convinced of the practical possibilities and results that are to be obtained through the application of preventive medicine to the community.

It is on the basis of these general facts that your committee has decided upon the scope of work for the League.

1. HEALTH EDUCATION - Through all available channels, such as newspapers, public addresses, health literature and films to carry on health educational activities.

That organized group instruction for women be undertaken to teach them the principals of disease prevention and healthy living in the home. For such group instruction, a manual covering the course to be prepared.

2. SURVEYS - To undertake a general survey of the health resources of the community and special surveys in regard to Tuberculosis, Water Supply, Milk Supply and Meat Supply.

3. DEMONSTRATIONS - To arrange with the existing health and social agencies for a demonstration in two selected areas (one English, one French) of a general health programme, organized on a health centre basis. These demonstrations to be conducted so as to show what results can be obtained from a co-operative effort.

It is understood that the French centre have a French-Canadian physician in charge who would also act as a general assistant to the Managing Director.