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Dr. N. A. Dussault,
Chairman Municipal Health Commission,
Quebec, Canada.

Dear Sir,

Pursuant to instructions on February 2nd, through Doctor J. Gosselin, Assistant Medical Health Officer, I spent the day of February 10th in Quebec, and visited the site of the Waterworks intake, at Lorette, in company with Doctor Gosselin; Doctor Guimont, Chief of Laboratory; Mr. Forrester, Chief Engineer Water Department and Mr. Theo. J. Lafrenière, Sanitary Engineer of the Provincial Board of Health.

Through the courtesy of these Gentlemen and yourself, I was enabled to possess myself of all the salient local features surrounding the question of how best to render the public water supply of water satisfactory from hygienic and æsthetic standpoints. In my professional life, I have been connected with a number of water problems bearing a striking similarity to that at Quebec, and with the local aspects clearly understood, I am able to report to you concisely and positively with respect to the improvements in your public water supply, which are demanded by the conditions now existing, and which will continue to exist in a magnified degree until such improvements are made.