

OTTAWA, October 30, 1912

Sir:

I beg to transmit herewith a report on the recent epidemics of typhoid fever in the city of Ottawa, by Dr. Charles N. B. Camac, of Columbia University. Dr. Camac brings to this work a tried experience in fevers and in clinical medicine, acquired as Assistant Professor in Columbia University and as Attending Physician in the New York City Hospital, and also as a result of his previous university connections as First Assistant Resident Physician to the Johns Hopkins University Hospital, Baltimore, and Professor of Clinical Medicine in the Cornell University Medical College, New York City. Professor Camac treats of these local epidemics in their broader national aspects and his conclusions regarding the need for stricter governmental supervision of municipal sanitation, water supply and drainage systems merit careful consideration by Canadians.

Your obedient servant,

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Secretary

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