

MEMORANDUM

To Sun Life Assurance Company:-

Health Unit

The vital statistics of Montreal and the Province of Quebec are ample evidence of the fact that health conditions here are not satisfactory. The death rate from preventable diseases is high ; the infant death rate and the tuberculosis death rate are appalling.

THE MONTREAL ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS AND GENERAL HEALTH LEAGUE was organized in 1924 as a voluntary health agency, and started to function in November, 1924, by carrying on a campaign for the improvement of health conditions. Lord Atholstan contributed the sum of \$100,000.00 to enable the League to demonstrate its usefulness. These funds will carry its present programme until the end of 1926.

The following health advances during the past year, to which the League has largely contributed, have demonstrated its usefulness:-

1. Passage of Milk By-Law;
2. Passage of Meat Inspection By-Law;
3. Re-opening of Sanatorium at Ste. Agathe;
4. Great extension of service for supervision of tuberculosis cases and contacts in their homes;
5. Health Education - (a) Regular newspaper articles;  
(b) Special articles;  
(c) Numerous addresses;  
(d) Special courses of health instruction;