

health needs of this city, that were not already covered, in so far as they can be met by a voluntary health organization. It would seem to be defeating the purpose of its creation to foster a new health organization.

It might be well to remind ourselves of the fact that health work is a general effort and that all problems, such as housing, recreation, health education, etc., are the interest of all health workers.* The General Health League intends to assist organizations carrying on ^{health} such work, and, themselves, to initiate other activities but to avoid creating new organizations. It would therefore seem that a new health organization would mean a duplication of work in a large field of common endeavour; and the suggested plan would overcome this ^{duplication} and fill in the special part that might not be sufficiently stressed in a general health programme to satisfy the social hygiene interests.

It is appreciated that the Canadian Social Hygiene Council would prefer a separate organization as their local committee, but the doing of the work is the only truly important consideration. On the other side, the General Health League has a full programme and would prefer not to have to deal ^{specialy} with social hygiene just now, but again, the best interests of Montreal health work may demand otherwise.

From both sides, this is a give and take proposition in the interest of general health work, and as a practical measure recommends itself.

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RESULT
 A committee working on social hygiene, supported by a strong organization, with their own executive officer assisted by other trained workers. This would allow for a reasonable development of social hygiene activities.

* Also that syphilis and tuberculosis frequently co-exist. That syphilis in the parent is a great factor in child hygiene.