December 1, 1947.

43 JACOB STREET - DWELLING UNFIT

Inspection shows that the above premises are unfit for habitation. I therefore recommend that this tenement which is used as a dwelling house be classified as so unfit for that purpose that the public health is endangered thereby and that the Committee order in writing that it shall be vacated by not later than December 6th, 1947, and in case of disobedience thereto or of a re-occupation of the dwelling house without a permit, that the Committee direct a warrant to the sheriff or a constable or a sanitary inspector to enforce compliance with the terms of the order.

WELLS AT AFRICVILLE

It is my intention to stop examination of the wells at Africville, as I feel that this is just using our time which could be profitably used on other inspections. The wells have run consistently bad and the residents are either not interested in sanitation or are incapable of carrying out the recommendations which we advise. I would strongly recommend that every effort be made on the part of the City to extend a line to Africville, so that these people may be supplied with wholesome drinking water. The cost of such water, as far as I can see, will have to be absorbed by some Department as it would be very difficult to assess these people when they are supplied by a common hydrant type fountain, which is the only type I would recommend.

The following permit applications have been received, and it is recommended that they be approved by the Committee on Public Health and Welfare subject to compliance with the Regulations.

PEGMAITRANTS