

March 14, 1929.

Copy to Dr. Kehoe

Dr. R. E. Humphreys,
Standard Oil Company (Indiana),
910 South Michigan Avenue,
Chicago, Illinois.

Dear Dr. Humphreys:

Recently in a discussion of our contract with your company, at which Mr. Wilson was present, I mentioned the fact to him that there were a number of points where mixing of Ethyl fluid with gasoline was taking place on behalf of your company that were not satisfactory to our Dr. Kehoe, who is in charge of our medical work generally. At that time I mentioned the fact that there were several men engaged in this work who gave evidence of absorption of lead, which if continued would--needless to say--probably result in serious injury.

Since then Dr. Kehoe has had a survey made of all your mixing points and I have a letter from him this morning stating that he is now in possession of information relative to the status of all of your mixing equipment.

I have a tentative appointment with Mr. Jackson the week beginning March 18th--he is to let me know on his return to his office what day during that week will be most convenient for him.

It occurred to me that it would be better to have Dr. Kehoe join me in Chicago during my visit there, at which time the matter could be taken up in a more informing and thorough way than if I attempted to handle it alone.

I took matters of this kind on prior occasions, in fact ever since the resumption of business in 1925 when we adopted the bulk mixing plan, with Mr. Parks. Not having any definite information as to whom I should take this subject up with at this time I am writing you under the assumption that you are the proper party with whom to discuss it. If I am correct in this assumption, may I inquire if it would be agreeable for you to take it up with Dr. Kehoe and me next week on the visit to see Mr. Jackson on other matters. If so, I imagine an agreeable date can be reached between you and Mr. Jackson before letting me know when to come out.

Yours very truly,

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