

Aluminum Ore Company

East St. Louis, Ill.

January 18, 1946

Dr. R. A. Kehoe, Director
Kettering Laboratory of Applied Physiology
University of Cincinnati
College of Medicine, Eden Avenue
Cincinnati 19, Ohio

Dear Dr. Kehoe:

Today we are shipping to you, via parcel post, two sets of blood and urine specimens for the determination of lead. One employee, [REDACTED], as you will remember is a lead burner who showed high exposure in an analysis made by you four months ago. The other employee, B. Travelstead, is a man who has been an occasional lead burner for about three years and we attach his history. Difficulty was encountered in obtaining blood specimens from the latter because of loose and somewhat sclerosed veins; if this specimen is not sufficiently large, we will be glad to take another.

Thanking you again for your kind assistance on this problem, we are

Very truly yours,

ALUMINUM ORE COMPANY


R. C. Roberts

RCR:AK

CC: Dr. D. A. Irwin - Alcoa Medical Director

Att.

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CLINICAL HISTORY

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Married

2 children

Age: 41

Weight: 128 lbs.

Height: 5' 6"

Type of Work: Lead Burner

Employment: Plant employment 4-22-26 no lead exposure
9-3-41 started work as apprentice lead burner

Clinical History:

September 1936 his foreman noted a mental condition.
This was diagnosed by a neurologist as meningo-encephalitis
with psychosis. Treated for this condition at State
Hospital for one year. Subsequently re-employed in 1938
by Aluminum Ore Company. Kahn now negative.

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