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Dr. Willard Machle,
c/o The American Express Co.,
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Dear Bill,

I believe Rod Banks told you over the 'phone the other day that a Mr. Kohn-Abrest, who as you know is a member of Bordas's Committee, had raised some question as to the excretion of Lead through the hair, and had pointed out that this question had not been dealt with as far as he could see either in the British or American investigations. He apparently was anxious to know whether any work had been carried out on animals to measure the excretion through their hair. It seems to me really that this is a most unimportant matter, but should you be able to let me have any information on this point I should appreciate it, so that if this question is raised again we shall be in a position to give him some information. I am enclosing with this letter copy of his remarks.

I would very much like to hear from you the result of your talk in Switzerland with Professor Cloetta, who I gather has now taken over the matter from Zangger.

As regards Dr. Eder, personally I do not think it will help us very much to press him for the report which we asked him to write. I am rather doubtful in my own mind whether any such report would help us very much at this time.

We have arranged to forward Drs. Fishers and Treadwell copies of the French translation of the British Government Report and further, copies of Dr. Kehoe's latest work translated into French. Are there any other documents you would like us to forward to these two gentlemen?

I sincerely hope that you are having a good trip and look forward to hearing from you before you leave.

Kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

Ray Baker

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