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THE CITY COLLEGE—DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY
CONVENT AVENUE AND 140TH STREET

January 24, 1933.

Dr. Robert Kehoe,
University Of Cincinnati,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Kehoe:

We have recently become interested in the lead content of cigarettes with particular regard to the amount of lead that may come off during smoking.

Dr. Carey P. McCord, with whom we are in correspondence, urged very strongly that we get in touch with you as an authority on the subject, both as to the particular problem under advisement and the question of lead determinations in general. We understand that the determination of lead in tobaccos requires special technique and precautions.

Any information you may give us on special methods of analysis will be deeply appreciated: as will also any figures you may care to give us on the lead content of cigarette tobaccos and the amount of lead(if any) that comes off during smoking.

Yours very truly,



A. X. Schmidt.

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