

MR. W. G. MUNDINGER

Baton Rouge

MR. A. C. TULLY

Atlanta

General American Tank Storage Terminal
Goodhope, Louisiana.

April 25, 1946.

I am attaching correspondence on the above subject which includes an analysis made by Mr. Kehoe and a copy of a recent letter from Rollin Barnes following his contact with Mr. Wetzel.

As it is suggested, someone should check to see if Mr. Cassard acquires the complete and necessary information; so will you be kind enough to make such a contact when next in New Orleans and after that, please let me have a report from you together with the attached correspondence.

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CC- Dr. Kehoe (with copy of Barnes' letter)
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to Mr. A. C. Tully

Atlanta

from W R Barnes

New York

General American Tank Storage
Terminal, Goodhope, La.

April 19, 1946.

This is to advise that I contacted the subject company on April 4th, regarding the matter of the sample of Lube Oil they sent to Dr. Kehoe for lead analysis. I discussed the above with Mr. W. J. Wetzel, Assistant Superintendent, and passed on to him the information obtained from Dr. Kehoe.

According to Mr. Wetzel, George Cassard was in New York, but he would call this matter to his attention as soon as he returned to Goodhope.

It appears as though this company is not in any hurry to convert the No. 80 tank to other service, and it may remain in Lube Oil service for sometime. I pointed out that the results obtained on the lead absorbed by the storage of motor oil was no indication as to what could be found in edible oils, containing organic acids, even if they were stored under identical conditions.

Mr. Wetzel was quite certain that no action would be taken at this time, but if they did find it necessary to change the storage of petroleum products to edible oils in No. 80 tank, they would call on us for additional information and tests on the new product stored in the tank.

Attached is Dr. Kehoe's letter and sample report. I might suggest that the next time someone is in the New Orleans territory they contact Mr. George Cassard to make sure he has received the correct information from Mr. Wetzel.

Very truly yours,

/s/ W R Barnes

Note: No attempt was made to contact American Liberty, Avondale, La., at this time in regards to the analysis on samples I sent to Cincinnati in January. According to Bill Munding, there has been no further attempt to clean this No. 1 tank.

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