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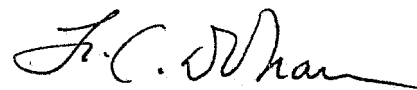
Dr. Robert A. Kehoe
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Dear Dr. Kehoe:

Thank you for your thoughtful comments on my questions concerning the man who alleged that he swallowed leaded gasoline. Could you supply me with a few references on the effects of the ingestion of tetraethyllead, and its metabolism? We wondered if the tetraethyllead molecule might be de-ethyleated in the gut tract or the liver with consequent production of inorganic lead.

Again my best thanks.

Sincerely yours,


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