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My dear Bob:

Since coming home I have come in contact with a carcinoma of the lower jaw. It is inoperable as there are glands and there is some extension along the lateral wall of the pharynx. I could inject into this mass colloidal solution of tetra ethyl lead and then give him doses of X-Ray.

I am curious to know what you think about this. It is a hopeless case from the usual standpoints. The sloughing following radium will be too extensive for safety, surgery is not indicated and unless this and X-Ray

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can be used it is hopeless.

If you feel that injection of tetra ethyl lead into the tumor, followed by X-Ray therapy, might be used, I should be very glad to try it. Will you indicate, if so, what doses I might give him with safety and where I should get the compound for injection. He is a man of fifty, weighing 175 pounds.

We were very happy to see you and had a very pleasant trip home.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,

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