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Pydraul Fluids
Contamination of Sugar
Raffinerie SAY

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Dick Davis has asked me to comment on the subject question raised in your Call Report dated November 21, 1966.

I believe that all we can tell Mr. Colmont is that a few drops of Pydraul contaminating a few lumps of sugar would not create any toxicity problem. It is probable, however, that an undesirable taste would result which would classify the sugar as "adulterated". I don't know whether anyone has tried any Pydraul in their coffee or iced tea but there might be an off-flavor which would not have a particularly desirable effect on "customer or consumer relations".

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