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## ILLNESS OF

Dear Sir: TREATING DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES - WOOD RIVER REFINERY

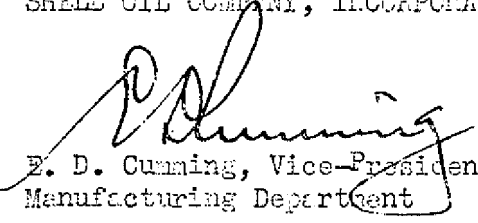
Thank you for the courtesies extended our Mr. L. C. Burroughs during his recent visit with you. The recommendations which you made to him during the discussion are being forwarded to the refinery.

We appreciate your offer to stop at the Wood River Refinery, when next in that vicinity, to discuss with the Management there the contention of the Treating Department employees that they are receiving harmful amounts of lead into their bodies during the normal course of duties. We shall, of course, be pleased for you to visit Wood River, and are notifying Mr. R. C. Roberts, Refinery Manager, of your intention. Any suggestions you may care to make will be gratefully received.

If possible let us <sup>or Mr. Roberts</sup> have a few days' advance notification of the time of your visit in order that the proper people will be available for discussions with you.

Very truly yours,

SHELL OIL COMPANY, INCORPORATED

  
E. D. Cumming, Vice-President  
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