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167 Thornton Avenue,
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Mr. J.N. FitzGerald.

Dear Fitz:

Mr. McPherson, Division Manager of Thayer's Limited, at Chatham, Ontario, told me the following story about one of their truck drivers, [REDACTED], operating out of Blenheim, Ontario.

About three months ago Mr. [REDACTED] slipped on the running board of his truck and skinned his shin, apparently he paid little attention to it at the time, but later it got quite sore and showed no tendency to heal up. The affected part is now about three to four inches diameter in area and consists of red purplish sore spots, which look somewhat like blisters.

Mr. [REDACTED] consulted a Dr. Storie, of Blenheim, who diagnosed the trouble as lead poisoning, told him to bathe it with salt water and gave him some ointment to apply.

Apparently one day when Dr. Storie was away Mr. [REDACTED] consulted another Doctor in Blenheim, whose name Mr. McPherson could not recall, and he also diagnosed the trouble as lead poisoning.

There seems to be no improvement in the affected part and it is causing Mr. [REDACTED] considerable pain and worry, and it is also becoming a problem for Thayer's.

I have not seen Mr. [REDACTED] myself, or spoken to his Doctor, but this information was given to me verbally by Mr. McPherson.

I will wait for advice before getting in touch either with Mr. Shaw or his Doctor.

Yours very truly,


F.B. MacEwen.

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