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Dear Bob:

Herewith publication of N.Y.U. with note on proposed group clinic.
More about this later.

Copy of Bowditch's recent blurb also attached. This is all there
has been on the results of their research.

Thanks for steering Irwin this way. I visited his plant in New
Jersey and am having their case in for examination today. They have about
two hundred men with potential but unlikely lead exposure --- the possible
source being the red lead suspension in oil used as a lubricant for steel
dies in aluminum casting operations. Their industrial hygiene engineer,
Crawley, will be collecting some samples; and the question arises as to get-
ting them analyzed. I don't know what arrangements you may have with Alcoa
beyond their participation in the fluoride research, and I am writing to
inquire if you can do a number (15-20) of air samples on a fee for service
or other basis.

The results on the beryllium case from Pennsylvania are most inter-
esting. I suppose Jack has told you about them.

We have several cases among Ethyl employees in which a course of
testosterone injections would be indicated. The drug is fairly expensive,
and the question is raised whether we should not assume this as an expense of
the Corporation; since this is in a sense man-maintenance. Some other com-
panies, such as A. T. & T., are doing this for their executive groups at no
charge. Insofar as Ethyl is concerned, I do not think there would be more
than a half dozen or so.

We are gradually cleaning up the annual examination group, and I
think the whole matter is going off quite well.

Would you please ask Jack to send one of the old style shipping
containers which will hold one or two one-gallon jugs? At present we have
one or two ³²cases in for study and will be able to collect a two or three liter
sample of urine which he can play around with.

Cordially,

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Bill