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Mr. Carl Anderson
General Service Manager-
Packard Motor Car Company
New York City
New York

Dear Mr. Anderson:

I recently obtained some more or less chance information through a friend of yours, Mr. J. R. Drumm to the effect that certain of your employees have been examined by local medical men and have expressed the opinion that such employees had absorbed large amounts of "Ethyl poison".

I should be very grateful if you would let me have any information which is available on this subject and if you would give me some idea of the possible significance of the examinations made together with the names and the professional standing, if possible, of the doctors who have made the examinations.

Perhaps I had better give you the background of my interest in this matter by telling you that I have been the Chief Medical Consultant of the Ethyl Gasoline Corporation over a period of years, and I and my associates in this laboratory have been studying the question of lead absorption in relation to the handling and use of leaded gasoline since 1924. Therefore, any information which is available on this subject is of the utmost interest and importance to me.

Very truly yours,

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Robert A. Kehoe, M.D.