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Dr. Robert A. Kehoe
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Dear Doctor Kehoe:

The gasoline case, which you so promptly answered my request for information of, April 14, 1936 has progressed very favorably and has been released as recovered.

The man was hospitalized and observed through April 24, 1936, during which time he showed no untoward symptoms of any kind and it was necessary to give one transfusion. This transfusion was given on the 14th. The man remained perfectly comfortable at all times.

Daily urines showed no abnormality, with the reaction varying between neutral and acid, specific gravity between 1012 and 1020 and microscopic always negative. On April 21st, eleven days after the ingestion of gasoline, a fractional gastric analysis gave the following results:-

	Hcl.	Acid	Total	Peptones
	Free	Combined		
Fastin	14	28	42	-
20 mi	14	32	46	Plus
40 "	16	48	64	"
60 "	46	44	74	-
80 "	30	24	34	-
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Stool examinations were positive for blood through the 15th and then negative. Blood examinations as follows:-

Date	Rbc	Hemoglobin	Diff.	Stippling
			P. L.	No
4-13	1,900,000	50%	69 21	"
4-14	1,680,000	42%	76 16	"
4-15	2,070,000	44%	93 7	"
4-16	1,940,000	48%	84 16	"
4-17	1,810,000	48%	70 30	"

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4-20	2,040,000	50%	82	17	No
4-23	2,380,000	54%	50	50	"
4-24	3,310,000	54%			"
4-28	2,640,000	56%			"
5-6	3,290,000	70%			"
5-13	4,140,000	86%			"
6-2	4,280,000	71%			"
6-16	4,130,000	82%			"

This man was released under observation to return to work May 18th and from that date to June 3rd did time and over time, showing his complete return to normal as far as weakness was concerned.

There has been no recurrence of any gastric symptoms of any kind. There has been no more tarry stools and the man feels as well as he ever did.

On the same day the gastric analysis was done a fluoro-scopy of the stomach was carried out with the barium meal and there was no abnormality noted. Hoping that this report may be of some value to your files and if there is anything that I have left out, of specific interest, I will be glad to furnish you with it.

Yours truly,

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