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January 27, 1948

Re: William E. Patterson

Dr. Robert A. Kehoe
University of Cincinnati
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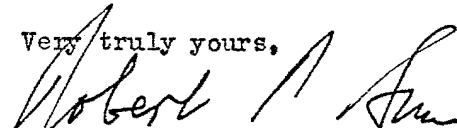
Dear Doctor Kehoe:

We write to thank you for the letters you have sent in regard to our above named employee.

It is especially desirable from our point of view to have an authoritative name attached to medical opinions. When you wrote on January 15th, you requested that we let you have any additional information which came to our attention. We have just received a report from Dr. Ransom of Nashville which I am sorry to say discredits the whole case. In retrospect I am sorry to have caused you the inconvenience of writing to the doctors involved.

We do appreciate your services and look forward to more productive contacts in the future.

Very truly yours,



ROBERT P. SIM

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PHYSICIANS LABORATORIES
Doctors Building
Nashville, Tennessee

NAME

[REDACTED]

DATE 11-14-47

DR.

P. G. Morrissey Jr.

LAB. NO. K-2567

REPORT OF EXAMINATION

URINE FOR LEAD DETERMINATION:

Proved to be positive for 0.106 mgms. per liter or 0.1080 mgms. per 24 hour specimen.

Comment: Excretion of 0.14 mgms. lead per liter of urine is in the range in which Plumbism occurs.

BLOOD:

Reticulocyte count: 0.4 per cent.

Basophilic Stipplings: proved to be negative.

Examined by

Physicians Laboratories
Charles G. Ranson (sgnd)

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PHYSICIANS LABORATORIES
503 Doctors Building
Nashville 3, Tennessee

January 19, 1948

Dr. P. G. Morrissey
201 Twenty-first Avenue N.
Nashville, Tennessee

Reference: [REDACTED]

Dear Dr. Morrissey:

Pursuant to our telephone conversation last Thursday, January 15, I wish to advise that I am enclosing the corrected copies of the reports on the lead determination in the urine of Mr. [REDACTED] submitted to us on November 14, 1947.

As you may recall, Dr. Robert N. Buchanan called my attention to the fact that there was an unusually large amount of lead present in the specimen and I told him at the time that I did not remember that the specimen contained any unusual quantity.

Upon examination of the carbon copy of the report sent to you, I found that there was an error in the decimal place in the first statement of the report. However, this decimal place was corrected in the carbon report but for some reason it was not retyped.

I do regret this typographical error and hope that it has not caused you any embarrassment or inconvenience.

I am sending with this letter a copy of the letter and a duplicate report which you may forward to the Standard Oil Company for their files.

With kindest regards, I am cordially yours,

Chas. G. Ransom, Director

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