

2nd Edition

COPY November 20, 1924

St. Joseph Lead Company,
61 Broadway,
New York, New York.

Attention: Clinton H. Crane, Esq.

My dear Mr. Crane:

You may recall that your Company in 1919, at the solicitation of Dr. F. G. Shattuck, I believe, pledged itself to support the work of "Industrial Medicine" in the Harvard Medical School at the rate of \$1000 a year.

According to my records, three payments on this pledge have already been made, namely January 24, 1920 \$1000; April 7, 1921 \$1000; July 25, 1922 \$1000.

While the lead investigation was in progress, it was decided not to ask you to continue these payments. It now having been finished, as I understand it, I am writing to ask you whether your Company is now in a position to continue them. As far as I have been able to find out from the authorities in the Medical School, no arrangements were made to annul them, but if you have any information to the contrary I should be glad to know of it.

In other words, I do not want to seem to be dunning you for something you understood you were not to pay.

We do not particularly need the money at the moment, but I am simply checking up on my resources so as to know where our budget for "Industrial Medicine" this year is to come from.

I take occasion to thank your Company in behalf of the Medical School and the University for what they have already done.

Yours cordially,

HST:MM

November 12, 1924

Dr. Joseph C. Aub,
Harvard Medical School,
Boston, Massachusetts.

Dear Joe:

When the original contributions were solicited for the work of Industrial Medicine, the St. Joseph Lead Company pledged themselves to an annual contribution of \$1000. for five years. Three installments of this have been paid, but further solicitation from them was held up when we began the lead investigation. Is it in order for me to take up with them the matter of their further payments (now long overdue under the original arrangement) or were these abrogated by the large contribution which they made toward your work? I hope the latter is not the case, *for* we need the money!

Yours very truly,

HSR:MM

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September 27, 1924.

Miss Susan C. Lyman, Secretary,
Harvard School of Public Health,
55 Van Dyke Street, Boston.

My dear Miss Lyman:

I have your letter of September 25th in regard to payrolls. If you will pay those on October 15th I shall be very much obliged. All of the general running expenses of the Lead Fund should cease on October 1st, and this includes all regular salaries and all general running expenses, such as telephone and Mr. Kent's various charges. This is the only notification of the stopping of our regular investigation that I am sending, but if it is desirable to let anyone else know of this, will you please inform me of it?

There is still a certain sum available from the Lead Fund, and this amount we are planning to keep and utilize as the occasion arises. The regular charges to the account, however, ought to be discontinued.

Sincerely yours,

Joseph C. Aub.

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