

January 8, 1945

Mr. Earle W. Webb,
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Dear Mr. Webb:

I wish to express my thanks for your very gracious letter of December 29. I am just a little surprised that you think the memorandum will be very useful to the Manufacturing Department of the Corporation, since I think they and we together know a great deal more than could be said in the memorandum. No doubt, however, other persons in the executive group will find it informative, and I quite agree with your feeling that it might be well to reproduce the memorandum for distribution within this group. If you want me to do anything about it, please let me know.

I have not heard anything from Dr. Neal or from the Colorado State Authorities, but I shall let you know when anything comes through.

I should like to call your attention to the fact that I left with you a shorter memorandum on this same subject, that was prepared at an earlier date. It happens to be my only copy, and I would appreciate it if you would return it to me to complete my records, since I furnished Dr. Neal with a copy of this memorandum quite some time ago when this question had come up. If you want a copy of it, I shall be glad to have it copied for that purpose. However, I consider it less useful than the last one, and I merely want to have it because I want to keep my records clear on everything I have furnished the Surgeon General.

Again my thanks for your unfailing courtesy.

Sincerely yours,

Robert A. Kehoe, M. D.

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