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Dr. Joseph C. Aub
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Dear Joe:

Thank you for your letter of September 8 on the Texas lead poisoning case in a ten-month-old infant.

I am awaiting a report on the autopsy from Dr. Tomack but it hasn't yet arrived.

I know you will be interested to learn that I have been invited to address the medical staff of the New Rochelle Hospital on the evening of October 1 on Lead. The invitation arose out of my investigating a local case of alleged lead poisoning in an infant and when I showed the Superintendent in charge some of the absorbing adventures I had had in the field of lead poisoning he thought my story was so interesting that he urged me to accept an invitation to address his staff.

I am fortifying myself by asking Dr. William Wilentz of Perth Amboy to accompany me. He knows lead poisoning well from the industrial standpoint, having charge of the National Lead Company's health and accident activities in Perth Amboy and having studied the subject intimately for many years. In fact, he recently lectured at the Columbia Medical Center on the subject.

Inasmuch as my own comment at New Rochelle will only stress the results of my investigations from a purely scientific or engineering standpoint, I wanted to be sure to have some one available who could answer the medical questions which might be brought up in the course of the discussion.

This affair promises to be most illuminating and interesting and I will tell you about it after the event. I hope I can make the session worthwhile for those who will take the time and trouble to listen to me.

With kindest regards,

Cordially yours,

Felix

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