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WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

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Dr. Robert A. Kehoe,
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Dear Dr. Kehoe:

Mr. Robinson has asked me to reply to your letter of November 26th in which you suggested that Dimethyl Ether be added to the group of anaesthetics which you are now testing together with F-12. A discussion of this question with Mr. Robinson and Mr. Calcott has led us to the conclusion that it is inadvisable to extend the scope of your investigation at the present time. As you know, it is our desire to have a few preliminary tests run in order to determine the behavior of mixtures of F-12 with Ethylene and Ethyl Ether. With this information available I believe we can then decide whether the results are of enough interest to warrant the extention of the investigation. We are reaching this conclusion after considering the problem from the standpoint of Kinetic Chemicals, whose interest is entirely in the suitability of F-12 for use with mixtures of other anaesthetics and not from the standpoint of any of the other anaesthetics which might be used in such a mixture.

If I have not made our position entirely clear in regard to this matter I would appreciate your writing me further.

Very truly yours,

C. D. Poe

VICE PRESIDENT.

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