Aluminum Company of America 520 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE Chicago, Ill. March 18, 1939 Mr. Grote Reber 212 W. Seminary Avenue Wheaton, Illinois Dear Mr. Reber: We have your letter dated March 16 and are not surprised to hear that you have discovered small amounts of corrosion on the drum which you say has been weather-exposed without any protection. We are glad to learn that you have cleaned the surface and applied two coats of aluminum paint. Under separate cover we are sending you a copy of our booklet "Aluminum Paint Manual" and call your particular attention to pages 61-64, inclusive. We are also sending you a copy of our "Finishes for Aluminum", in which you will find information pertaining to the Alumilite finish. This finish is used to increase the corrosion resistance of aluminum. Very truly yours, ALUMINUM COMPANY OF AMERICA ROSWELL B. WHIDDEN Local Sales Manager RH Byrd RHB:MD