

*Dr. Penfield.
Please return.
Show Dr. Cobb, then file.*

*DPK ROB/3
Dear Prest. The lamps could be placed behind the glass screen of amplification
It would be well to write Mrs. Cobb M.L. address & urge that they
fill order at earliest moment. Please show to Dr. Cobb Miss St. Lawrence
she may wish to notify
Red Cross of delay.
W.P.*

EASTMAN KODAK COMPANY
ROCHESTER 4, N. Y.

December 26, 1945

Dr. J. Preston Robb
Montreal Neurological Institute
3801 University Street
Montreal 2, Canada

Dear Doctor Robb:

We are replying to your letter of November 27 concerning the availability of the Kodatron Speedlamp and unfortunately, our stock of this equipment is completely exhausted. While we are making every effort to take care of the accumulated needs of our customers, it will undoubtedly take six months or so before we are again in a position to take orders for this equipment for reasonably prompt delivery. We do not know where you might be able to locate any used Kodatron lighting equipment.

Incidentally, there are some questions as to the adaptability of the Speedlamp to photography in the operating room. As you know, this is high-voltage equipment and a short would result in an open-spark discharge. This might be quite dangerous in an explosive atmosphere.

Just as soon as Kodatron lighting equipment is again available, it will be distributed by Eastman Photographic Materials Ltd., 286 Craig Street, Montreal, and so may we suggest that you keep in touch with this company concerning the future availability of equipment for your purpose.

We appreciate your interest in writing to us and we are very sorry we are unable to help you more directly at the present time.

Yours very truly,

EASTMAN KODAK COMPANY

George M. ...
Sales Service Division

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