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We regret overlooking two important citations relevant to the current work, and wish to add these [1, 2]. We also cite [3], which reports crucial experimental parameters pertaining to [1], e.g. chamber pressure during water target experiment. To correct the oversight of missing references, the 4th paragraph of the introduction follows with modified and additional text underlined:

> Liquid targets have a number of attractive features for meeting these needs. Liquid targets can be rapidly delivered into the interaction region, and mitigate debris [31, 34–36]. This is well illustrated by the pioneering research in [1, 3], who, for the first time combined a kHz, femtosecond laser and liquid jet targets with a long-term vision of developing integrated sources of energetic radiation and particles for future applications. They reported the production of 9.25 keV x-rays from the interaction of a kHz, 50 fs pulsed laser interacting with a liquid Ga jet target. They also reported the use of CR39 film to record the production of 500 keV protons from the interaction of the kHz laser with an intensity of 3×10^{16} W cm^{-2} focused on a 10–30 μm diameter water jet, with a background chamber pressure of 0.7–3 mbar. The proton production efficiency of 10^{-5}% was reported. Prior to switching to the liquid sheet target described in our current work, we attempted to obtain protons from the interaction of 15–30 μm diameter water jets with a 40 fs pulsed laser focused to an intensity of 1×10^{18} W cm^{-2}. We recorded many tracks on the CR39 film but, when a magnetic spectrometer was used, all of the tracks were shown to be due to electrons. As noted in this paper, we later discovered that the chamber background pressure required to produce a significant flux of protons was below the freeze point pressure of water.

> Skip to the end of the last sentence of the paragraph and add as the last sentence of the paragraph: the ability to generate a well collimated proton beam with proton energies greater than 500 keV has recently been demonstrated [2], using a high repetition rate 0.5 kHz, 3 mJ, 55 fs laser interacting with a solid target. The focus intensity was 2×10^{18} W cm^{-2}. A proton beam was generated at the front surface of a rotating optical quality glass disk at a chamber pressure of 3×10^{-3} mbar.

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