General Headquarters
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Mr. Vandiver Brown
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NORTH AMERICAN AVIATION INC.
Effects of Handling Stonefelt

Our representative on the Pacific Coast has been requested by the above account for our advice as to the effect of handling Stonefelt. He has requested this information in the following manner:

"Mr. S. D. Zemansky called this morning and requested that we please send him information on the effects of handling Stonefelt on the human body. He stated that the men handling this material had complained of itching hands. Mr. Zemansky also desires information as to how this material would affect the nasal passages and the lungs of the men handling the material.

"As North American is doing their own stitching and cutting of Stonefelt, they also desire information as to how Stonefelt affects moving parts of machinery used in this work. These moving parts are heavily oiled."

As we understand such a matter as this is handled by your department, we would appreciate your advising us just how this request should be answered.

Elliot Fairback

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