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Mr. S. Simpson
Raybestos-Manhattan, Inc.
Bridgeport, Conn.

Dear Mr. Simpson:

We are still floundering in difficulties with the intravenous injection of asbestos. Apparently the problem is not a simple one. It involves not only asbestos but a few of the other silicates. We shall need a physicist and a petrographer to solve it and, while we are making some attempts to discover the cause ourselves, I am planning to present the whole subject to Dr. Langmuir, if I can arrange for an interview. These findings may or may not have a direct bearing on the problem of asbestosis. They are too striking to be disregarded but their exact significance is problematic, to say the least.

Rest assured that as soon as I have any information I will be very pleased to inform you.

With best regards,

Sincerely yours,

Leroy U. Gardner, M.D.
Director

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