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1. Dr. Lanza will check with Mr. Sabourin on Dr. Gregoire's present laboratory set-up recently installed in Montreal. Dr. Gregoire's laboratory is patterned after that of Dr. George Wright, at Sarnac, with whom Dr. Gregoire studied for a number of months.

2. Sarnac is being notified to start at once on the diatomaceous earth study program. In this, they will be asked to use both the aluminum hydrate and the metallic aluminum powder as produced by McIntyre.

3. Dr. Lanza will write to Dr. Smart and Dr. Anderson, with three copies to me, to tell them of the plans with respect to aluminum therapy and diatomaceous earth.

4. J. P. Woodard will write Dr. Hannon and see what arrangements can be made to have Dr. Hannon go to Lampas.

5. J. P. Woodard will arrange for the group in Dicalite to meet here for lunch so as to discuss the diatomaceous earth health problems, aluminum therapy, etc. Dr. Lanza will be leaving February 15, so he proposed that the meeting be held in the first part of February. Dr. Lanza will be back from Florida February 26.

J. P. Woodard will call Mr. Puyens and arrange for the meeting, to be attended by those of us in J-M interested, by similar men from Great Lakes Carbon, and by Dr. Lanza.

6. Dr. Lanza feels the State Health authorities in California should be kept advised of the aluminum therapy work being carried out, and this, of course, should be discussed with the Dicalite group. Dr. Lanza stresses that there should be "no trumpet blowing" about this, but that only those people who are interested should know about it and be kept advised. Dr. Lanza stated that the State people in California have been very fair with us and that their attitude is that if we will keep working at our problem, they will go along with us and be helpful.

7. It is proposed that Dr. Lanza go to California soon after March 1, and when there, review the matter with Dr. Anderson and Dr. Smart, with Dr. Halverson, of the State Health group, and also with the people up at Stanford University, who are setting up a health center. It is expected that such a trip by air will take a total of a week, giving Dr. Lanza three or four days on the Coast. This, too, should be reviewed with the Dicalite group.

8. Dr. Lanza has no word on the tests on asbestos workers run by Dr. George Wright, of Sarnac, for the Q. A. M. A.

J. P. Woodard

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Dear Arthur,

We had an interesting hearing before the board at Quebec last week which is continued for the time being.

I had asked George to come down to testify in terms of the appreciation of certain physiological and respiratory data involving lungs, the Mediastine, etc. George however, could not make the trip.

Dr. Lanza was here and contributed greatly towards clearing the prevailing confusion as to this seemingly increasing tendency to accept an alleged incidence as a fact before same has been scientifically established, even if the possibility of the existence of the incidence cannot be denied. He stated one could not say nor deny whether Asbestosis could be related to lung cancer. He helped "debunking" certain alleged figures, relating to cancer incidence in asbestos workers in the British Isles.

Warmest regards,

Yours faithfully,

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