grows.

That is what happens. As the tumor cells float around and grow to the abdominal cavity, they attach and grow to the other organs.

Q Is this grassy seed analysis you have given us, is that the way Mr. Vandergucht looked?

A Yes.

Q You mentioned also that there was some acidic fluid.

Do you also use the word ascites?

A Yes.

Q Ascites, what is that?

A Ascites is an accumulation -- abnormal accumulation of fluid in the abdominal cavity due to the presence of malignant mesothelioma.

Q You were also removing the fluid when you did the laparotomy on Mr. Vandergucht?

A That is true.

Q If you know, how is it that the ascites builds up?

How does that happen?