

1 At less than five million particles, there
2 were three doubtful cases. I mean, these were people
3 that have, probably, equivocal chest X-rays.

4 Below 2.5 million particles per cubic foot,
5 there were no cases at all. So they suggested that a
6 level of five million particles per cubic foot might
7 be the numerical value of dust that one needed to
8 control in order to prevent disease.

9 Q That is taking us up to the '30s and
10 1940s?

11 A Up through the end of the '30s, yes.

12 Q Now, these studies that you mentioned, were
13 they published?

14 A Yes.

15 Q Were they just sent to industry?

16 A No, they were published, you know --
17 Merewether's report was a publication of the British
18 home office, but it was also published in the American
19 and industrial medical literature.

20 Lanza's report was in the American medical
21 literature.