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Dr. G. Axelson

Dear Page:

Your two letters of May 23 evidently crossed mine in the nails of the same date. I believe I have answered some of your questions, but some may bear reiteration.

We are preparing a brief detailing our current work and accomplishments concerning diatomaceous earth. Copies of this brief will be forwarded to you and, as you suggest, to the Great Lakes Carbon Corporation. This report, together with the paper for publication concerning asbestos, will be in your hands just as soon as possible. I hesitate to mention a definite date other than to say within the next few weeks, but believe me, Page, one cannot just turn a crank and produce this stuff ad lib. I am sure that you realize this and know that we will make a most serious effort to accomplish it and at the same time meet all of the obligations which confront us.

With every good wish,

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Art
Arthur J. Vorwald, M. D.
Director

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VB and AMF: Will continue to follow up these two matters, on which you will note no precise date has been given.

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