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Mr. L. A. Pechstein, Assistant Secretary
The Philip Carey Manufacturing Company
Lockland, Cincinnati 15, Ohio

Dear Lou:

Dr. Mancuso thought you would be interested in the recent developments set forth in his memorandum and in the article covering a case of "Pulmonary Disease in a Plumber." ✓

The New York Academy of Sciences is one of the leading organizations of its kind in the country.

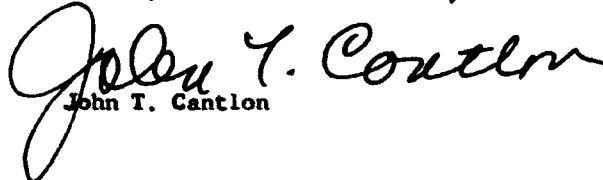
You may recently have read that as a result of panel discussions at a seminar conducted by the New York Academy of Sciences, a number of doctors reported that the estrogen in the oral contraceptive pills promoted the development of cancer, particularly cancer of the breast.

The market price of Syntex, a Mexico-based company which makes the ingredients for the oral contraceptive pills, fell 28 points in one day.

We will be glad to discuss or handle the matter further at your request.

Yours very truly,

JOHN T. CANTLON & ASSOCIATES, INC.


John T. Cantlon

JTC/kb
Enclosures
Cc to Dr. Thomas F. Mancuso

P.S. to Dr. Mancuso:

In accordance with your request, we are sending you, under separate cover, 5 copies of the article referred to and are also returning the New England Journal of Medicine.

JTC