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The RUBEROID Co.

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For Attention Mr. C. T. Limerick *Date* April 12, 1965

Copy to Messrs. Mesler - Bettoli *Reference*

Subject ASBESTOS FIBER

You will recall that on October 6, "The Plainfield Courier News" had an article in it with the headline "Asbestos as Cause Of Cancer Studied." We sent a copy of this article to you. We now note that the March 1965 issue of "ASBESTOS" has the following statement on Page 4:

> "As an example, how many of us would associate asbestos fibres with medical surgery? And yet, in the matter of heart surgery in artery diseases in a certain operation, in which the organ is prepared for a graft, one of the final procedures consists of 'sprinkling the surface of the heart with powdered asbestos to create inflammation which will help the muscle to grow new blood vessels.'" (The Risk Takers, by Hugh McLeave).

We thought these divergent views would be interesting to you.

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