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Subject: Minor Accident During Phenol Transfer

On May 1, 1957, an operator received a chemical burn on his hand while making a phenol transfer to the VCM storage area.

To prevent recurrence, from now on the operator making the transfer will wear plastic gloves and rain coat (or complete suit) before turning on the pump or moving a valve handle. The chief operator is to make regular inspections to be sure the system is safe mechanically.

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