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In reviewing the Arnold reports I found discrepancies in the Summary which should be modified promptly since Elmer is reproducing reports for distribution.

1) Slight body wgt. effects for 1242 at 10 + 100 and 1254 at 100
2) Decreased food consumption for 1242 and 1254 at 100
3) Did control animals that died exhibit anorexia?
4) 1254 at 100 caused changes in heart, kidneys and ovaries
5) 1254 at 100 decreased egg production
6) 1254 at 100 abolished hatchability
7) 1254 at 100 decreased shell thickness

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It is concluded that 1254 at 10 and 100 caused no effects on p 3 and that it did cause some effects on p 4.

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I suggest for conclusion
1254 at 1 and 10 ppm --- on p 3

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This whole study - mortality, anorexia organ changes, etc, was undoubtedly

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complicated by the lymphomatosis (?) which was rampant throughout the colony during this study. This fact is not mentioned in the report. Perhaps it should be mentioned in the paper but I don't know how to do it without stating that the study was conducted using sick animals. Of course this is always/done with rats and rabbits. What do you think?

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