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MINUTES OF THE ASBESTOS TEXTILE INSTITUTE

AIR HYGIENE AND MANUFACTURING COMMITTEE

June 6, 1957

IN ATTENDANCE:

R. W. Luttenberger - Raybestos-Manhattan, Inc.
A. E. May - Keasbey & Mattison Co.
J. L. Mitchell - Southern Asbestos Co.
W. C. Atkinson - Johns-Manville Corp.
John Carey - Tallman-McCluskey Fabrics Co.
R. B. Smith - Raybestos-Manhattan, Inc.

The following items were taken up for discussion in a Round Table Type Atmosphere with all member companies participating.

1. Dust Collecting Equipment with particular emphasis on companies' experiences of conveying material out of their collector after it has been separated from the Dust Laden Air. Also under this item Air Velocities, Ratios of C.F.M.'s to Cloth Filtering Surfaces, Cloth Filtering Life and Reverse Air Cleaning of Filters was discussed.

2. Delivering material from one department to another was discussed with an aim at reducing dust in these operations. Various methods being used are Conveyors, Box Trucks, Bags and Ceiling Condensors.

3. Various methods & places of oiling stock was discussed. It is generally agreed that if nothing else is gained oiling of stock does reduce dust.

4. Dust counts and procedures of taking dust counts was discussed. Some trouble spots were presented for general discussion and some suggestions were made for correcting these places. This item is to be continued at the next meeting with each member bringing their recent dust count results for comparison and discussion.

5. A review of Southern Asbestos Co.'s report "Analysis of Fibres as received from Bags" was held and the information received was thought to be very valuable. This item is also to be discussed at the next meeting.

6. Mr. W. C. Atkinson of Johns-Manville Corp. presented a report on various types of Vacuum Cleaners. A copy of this report may be secured directly from Mr. Atkinson.

7. Mr. A. E. May of Keasbey & Mattison Co. presented a report of Turner-Newhall's experience using a Greenburg-Smith Impinger for Dust Counting. These results were compared by Turner-Newhall with their Thermal Precipitator Dust Count results, since none of the members present have had any experience with the Thermal Precipitator method no comparisons are available. A copy of this report will be sent to all member companies for study and will be discussed further at the next meeting.