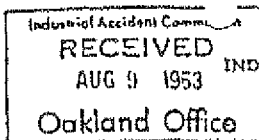


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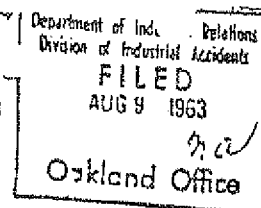
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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION
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APPLICATION



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CASE NO. 63 OAK 11052

ROBERT O. GOANS

APPLICANT

4232 - 25th Street

APPLICANT'S ADDRESS

San Francisco, California

VS.

LORENTZEN & COMPANY (and others)

RESPONDENT

Social Security No.

1155 - 5th Street

EMPLOYEE'S ADDRESS

Oakland, California

ARCONAUT INSURANCE COMPANY

INSURANCE PROVIDER'S ADDRESS

550 California Street

INSURANCE PROVIDER'S ADDRESS

San Francisco, California

1. Robert O. Goans 9/2/00 alleges that while employed on April 3, 1963
as asbestos worker & insulation mayer Various places, California, by
various Various, he sustained injury arising out of and in the course of the employment, as follows:
doing insulation work for many years resulting in
pneumothorax

2. Various was the employer's insurance carrier on date of injury.

3. April 3, 1963 to present

4. Was compensation paid? No

5. Earnings at time of injury: Maximum

6. Was medical treatment needed? Yes

7. This application is filed to determine liability for:

a. Temporary disability Yes b. Permanent disability Yes c. Medical treatment Yes d. Medical costs

e. Litigation expense No

8. WHEREFORE, it is requested that a time and place be fixed for hearing and that an award be made granting such relief as may be proper under the Workmen's Compensation Law of California.

Hearing requested at: Oakland

Number of witnesses: 1

Estimated time of trial: one-half day

SMITH, PARRISH, PADUCK & CLANCY
315 Financial Center Building

Oakland 12, California
Glencourt 2-2000

PLAINTIFF EXHIBIT

CCS 5146

EMPLOYERSPERIOD

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|---|--|
| 1. Western Asbestos
P.O. Box 3784
Rincon Annex
San Francisco, California | 1926-1943, 1946-1950, 1955-
1963 and others |
| 2. Mundet Cork Company
410 Talbert Street
San Francisco, California | 1937, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1962
and others |
| 3. Plant Rubber & Asbestos Works
1300 - 64th Street
Oakland, California | 1941-1944 and others |
| 4. Plant Asbestos Company
1300 - 64th Street
Emeryville 8, California | 1957, 1959, 1960 and others |
| 5. Army Port Contractos
1501 Maritime Street
Oakland, California | 1941 and 1942 and others |
| 6. Van Arsdale Harris Lumber Co.
5th and Brannan Streets
San Francisco, California | 1942 and others |
| 7. Bay Cities Asbestos Co., Ltd.
6th and East 12th Street
Oakland, California | 1944-1946 and others |
| 8. Harry A. Dutton, Jr.,
Dutton Asbestos Company
532 Natoma Street
San Francisco, California | 1941, 1954 and others |
| 9. C. F. Braun & Company
1000 South Fremont Avenue
Alhambra, California | 1938 and others |
| 10. Asbestos Company of California
941 - 16th Street
San Francisco 7, California | 1944 and 1945 and others |
| 11. John Mansville Sales Corp.
P.O. Box 3784
Rincon Annex
San Francisco, California | 1949 and 1950 and others |
| 12. Marine Engineering & Supply Co.
941 East 12th Street
Los Angeles, California | 1938, 1950 |
| 13. Armstrong Cork
304 Shaw Road
So. San Francisco, California | 1950, 1954, 1955, 1957, and
others |
| 14. N. R. Carpenter
907 Front Street
Sacramento, California | 1950-1953, 1959, 1962 and
others |
| 15. Caw Insulations
3600 - 20th Avenue
Sacramento 17, California | 1950, 1961 and 1962 and others |
| 16. Fiberglass Engineering & Supply
1200 - 17th Street
San Francisco, California | 1953, 1954 and others |
| 17. Owens Corning Fiberglass Corp.
1200 - 17th Street
San Francisco, California | 1955-1957, 1961, 1962 and
others |

<u>EMPLOYERS</u>	<u>PERIODS</u>
18. Charles Ayres Company 698 Minnesota Street San Francisco, California	1955, 1957-1959 and others
19. Coast Insulation Products 2316 San Fernando Road Los Angeles 65, California	1956 and others
20. Thomas C. Douglas, Jr. Douglas Insulating Company 2233 Ingalls San Francisco, California	1956 and others
21. J.T. Thorpe & Sons 1351 Ocean Avenue Emeryville, California	1959, 1960, 1957 and others
22. Armstrong Contracting & Supply c/o Armstrong Cork 304 Shaw Road So. San Francisco, California	1958 and others
23. National Insulation Inc. 503 Polk Street San Francisco, California	1962 and others
24. Lorentzen Company 1155 - 5th Street Oakland, California	1955, 1962 and others
25. Jackson Hopkins Company, Inc. P.O. Box 490 Bakersfield, California	1957 and others
26. Kelly Asbestos Inc. 2030 Grand Avenue Kansas City 8, Mo.	1949 and others
27. Asbestos Products Inc. 710 Raymond Avenue St. Paul 4, Minnesota	1949 and others

INSURANCE COMPANIES

State Compensation Insurance Fund, 525 Golden Gate Avenue
San Francisco, California

Industrial Indemnity, 300 Grand Avenue, Oakland, California

Aetna Casualty Insurance Company, 1330 Broadway, Oakland,
California

Travelers Insurance Company, 1956 Webster Street, Oakland,
California

American Motorists, Russ Building, San Francisco, California

Argonaut Insurance Company, 550 California Street, San
Francisco, California

Standard Accident, 433 California Street, San Francisco, Calif.

American Employers, Russ Building, San Francisco, California

Hanna & Brophy, 1540 San Pablo, Oakland, California

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA } ss
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA }

I am a resident of the United States and a resident of the aforesaid county; I am over the age of eighteen years and not a party to the within above action; my business address is:

315 Financial Center Building, Oakland 12, California

On August 9, 1963, I served the within AMENDED APPLICATION on the various parties in said action, by placing a true copy thereof enclosed in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the United States post office mail box at Oakland, California, addressed as follows:

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Hanna & Brophy, 1540 San Pablo, Oakland, Calif.

I certify, under penalty of perjury,* that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on August 9, 1963, at Oakland, California

Sharon McKay
/s/ Sharon McKay

*The proof of service by mail form, being signed under penalty of perjury, does not require notarization.

11. CORWIN HINSHAW, M.D.
HORTON C. HINSHAW, JR., M.D.
4400 CENTER STREET
SAN FRANCISCO 8, CALIFORNIA

A-04183

TELEPHONE
VURON 8-7188

October 14, 1963

From: H. Corwin Hinshaw, M.D.

To: State Compensation Insurance Fund
525 Golden Gate Avenue
San Francisco 1, California

Subject: Robert O. Goans
A04183

REPORT OF SPECIAL MEDICAL EXAMINATION

Purpose of the Examination:

To determine Mr. Goans' present physical condition with special reference to his reported pneumoconiosis attributed to exposure while doing his station work over a period of 43 or 44 years.

The patient states that he has worked as an insulator since a young man, less than 10 years of age, during the period of World War I. He says that over those years he has used many different kinds of insulating materials particularly asbestos and cork mixed together during early years and during the last four years or so he has used asbestos and fiberglass insulation. He says that he has worked in all kinds of places including ships and public buildings. Usually the work has involved the insulation of pipes and boilers rather than walls. Frequently the work involved being in the vicinity of both hot and cold air duct lines. He says that frequently there was dust and dirt and he was working in relatively closed poorly ventilated spaces.

He considered himself to be well and had no complaints until recently. About three or four years ago his underwear arranged to be examined and he was told that he had a year at the Kaiser Hospital in Oakland, California. He says that he was made about three years ago and that he had never had any more of the chest pain. He was told at that time that there was evidence of cancer in the chest. He says that "on the bottom of the lung" but in more recent years he has been told that it involved not only "the bottom" but also "the top of the lung". He says that he was progressively disabled and went to a physical therapist. He says that Doctor Walter Robinson (3190 - 2nd St. S.F.), who is a physical therapist, advised Mr. Goans to discontinue his work and he has been doing nothing since. The patient states that he has been in the hospital for a long time and that he has been told that he would not be able to do his work any more.

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 To: State Compensation Insurance Fund
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He says that he had had no significant symptoms during previous years and he has an instance of excessive physical activity about 1936 in connection with a deer hunting expedition he was forced to run for a distance of about one and one-half miles and this was done without serious difficulty. He says that he worked at an altitude of about 10,000 feet in the vicinity of Reno about two or three years ago and he does not recall any difficulty breathing at that altitude. Since learning of his condition he has experienced cough and expectoration, especially during the last year or two, shortness of breath, mostly during the past year or two. He says that if he walks slowly for a short distance he would not have any shortness of breath but if he attempted to walk faster or did some other unusual effort that he would become short of breath and at times experience chest pain on such occasions. He says that he also has developed a cough at times for two years or so. He coughs up some sputum which is never bloody and at times is green or yellow pus. He has not done any work at all the last three years.

Present Symptoms:

He says that his general health and strength would be satisfactory except for the difficulty. He does not believe he has lost any weight in the last year; the total weight is about 10 or 15 pounds below his usual weight.

Respiratory Symptoms - He says that he has a mild cough in the morning with a little of clear sputum. He has never expectorated blood. He has never had anything such as wheezing, no chest pain. He has moderately good shortness of breath, is unusually active as described previously. He is not particularly prone to catch respiratory infections.

Cardiac Symptoms - He has never had a heart attack. He has no anginal pain, no palpitation, no swelling of the ankles.

Gastro-Intestinal Symptoms - His appetite is satisfactory, no abdominal pain, constipation or diarrhea, no difficulty swallowing.

Genito-urinary Symptoms - No frequency, no nocturia, no hematuria, no odor of urine or any other symptom to suggest kidney or bladder disorder.

Even - He says that he has a cast in his right eye. The left eye is in vision. His hearing is satisfactory.

No symptoms related to the virus, sinuses, etc.

Neuromuscular, Skeletal, Central Nervous System - No muscle atrophy, no weakness, no joint symptoms, no central nervous system changes.

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He smoked 20 to 30 cigarettes a day and had all of his teeth pulled out except two. He says that he always has a "wet" feeling in his mouth and throat. He says that he has never felt a dry. He says that he has never felt a dry. He says that he has never felt a dry.

Robert O. Cooney

State of Missouri. He is not sure how many brothers or sisters he has but he
wore seven or eight in the family. He has not had any contact with them for

In 1950 he had an injury which included a fracture of his left leg and was in the Hospital in Sacramento. He does not know whether he was in any of his childhood time or not. His physician was Doctor Horn. He also was treated for a wrist which did not require hospitalization. He has never been in any of the Army or Navy. He has never been in military service. He has not had any of the childhood diseases. He has never been hospitalized for any other condition, such as tuberculosis, influenza, pneumonia, jaundice, rheumatic fever, measles, mumps, etc. Injuries aside from those mentioned, no hay fever, asthma, heart ailment, etc.

THE FOREGOING PORTION OF THIS REPORT WAS DICTATED IN THE
PRESENCE ON OCTOBER 11, 1963.

General Appearance - The patient's general appearance is satisfactory. He is a well man and he seems to be fit and energetic. He appears to be in good health. His statement that he is of partial Cherokee Indian extraction and part Anglo.

Blood Pressure - Abnormal, consistently elevated to a level of 180 to 220 mm. Hg. 90 diastolic.

Pulse - Normal, 64 and regular.

Temperature - Normal, 98.4°.

Eyes - Pupils are round, regular and equal, reflexes to light and accommodation, external ocular movements are normal.

Oral Cavity - No significant findings.

Lymph Nodes - None are enlarged or diseased.

Thyroid - Normal. Trachea Normal. Skin Normal, no rashes.

Chest Wall - Shape is within normal limits. Respiratory excursion satisfactory. Tenderness.

Lungs - Percussion note normal, breath sounds within normal limits. No wheezes heard. There were a few crackles rather coarse and localized to the bases of both lungs, suggesting pulmonary congestion.

Heart - Size indeterminate, rhythm regular, no murmurs or other abnormal sounds detected. No distention of neck veins in the upright position.

Abdomen - No enlargement of liver, spleen or kidneys. No abnormal tenderness.

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Urinalysis: (Garson R. Biskind, M.D. - Medical Laboratory)
Color Yellow, Turbidity Clear, Reaction pH 6.0, Spec. Grav. 1.021,
Albumin Negative, Sugar Negative, Urobilinogen (normal pos. 1:10) pos. 4+,
neg. 1:10, Epithelial Cells rare sq., RBC/hpf 0, WBC/hpf Occ., Casts 0, Bacteria 0,
Crystals 0, Mucus Threads 0.

Complete Blood Count:
Hemoglobin 97%, 15.0 Gm., Erythrocyte Count 4.98 Million, Color Index 0.97,
Leukocyte Count 9,400, Polymorph. Neutr. 59%, Lymphocytes 31%, Monocytes 6%,
Eosinophiles 1%, Basophiles 0%, Lymphocytes 31%, Monocytes 6%.
Rare atypical lymphocytes noted; the red blood cells and platelets appear normal.

Blood Serology:
VDRL - Nonreactive.
Kolmer - Nonreactive.

X-ray Examination of the Chest:
Stereoscopic and left lateral projections show a hazy shadow within normal limits. The
heart shadow is questionably enlarged and the aortic shadow is prominent. The
hemidiaphragms are irregular in contour and hazy in outline. Most impressive are the
fine linear densities extending out from both hilar regions into the bases of the lungs.
Some less distinct and coarser strands extending into the right apex. The
of the right cardiophrenic angle but it is unclear whether this is cardiac or
origin and most likely it is a distortion of the cardiac outline produced by pleural
IMPRESSION: The appearance is that of diffuse rather extensive and moderate
pulmonary fibrosis such as is seen in cases of asbestosis. The pleural changes are
compatible with this diagnosis.

Tests of Pulmonary Function:
One second forced expiratory volume - 2.2 liters, two seconds 2.6 liters, 3
2.9 liters and total 2.9 liters.
Maximal Breathing Capacity - 63 liters per minute.
IMPRESSION: The picture is one of moderate restriction in lung capacity with
air flow rate (175 liters per minute on the spirometer). Such a picture is
In pulmonary fibrosis, even if the heart failure, etc. The patient should
should be adequate to permit moderate physical activity to be made by these methods.

Discussion and Summary:

This patient has definite elevation of his blood pressure, which is
160/90 (presumably a 160/90) and symptoms of a recent myocardial infarction
only recently.

On: October 14, 1963
To: H. Corwin Hinshaw, M.D.
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Discussion and Summary CONTINUED:

his pulmonary fibrosis has been present for many years, that it is of occupational origin and due principally if not entirely to exposure to asbestos fibers. His symptoms are described as having been of rather recent origin and I suspect that the cardinal stress of his hypertension may have been the recently added factor which has combined with the pre-existing and probably longstanding pulmonary fibrosis to produce the symptoms.

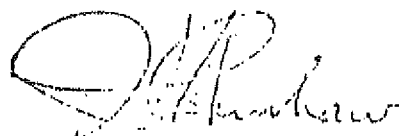
Since Mr. Goans is so near to his normal retirement age, he is eager to remain employed until the age of 65. It is my opinion that it would not be detrimental to his physical welfare to continue working provided he can be assigned to tasks that do not involve inhalation of pathogenic dusts or fibers in the air.

He should be under continuous medical supervision and if the hypertensive trend continues he should probably receive antihypertensive drugs. In the event that these are not effective in relieving his symptoms, it would tend to confirm the belief that the cardiac aspect of his disability was an important one.

Previous x-ray films have not yet been obtained for comparison with current films.

The most reliable method of analyzing his cardiac and hypertensive states would be to admit him to a hospital for a week or two of appropriate treatment designed to relieve his hypertension and to relieve any pulmonary congestion produced by this condition. However, the existence of pulmonary fibrosis of occupational origin has been satisfactorily established by present studies, in my opinion.

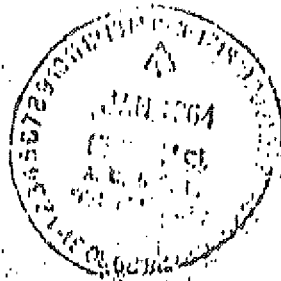
Very truly yours,



H. Corwin Hinshaw, M.D.

HCNDP

January 14, 1964



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Robert O. Goans

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I.A.C. 63 OAK 11052

Gentlemen:

We are enclosing report of H. Corwin Hinshaw, M.D., dated
October 14, 1963.

A copy of this report has been mailed to the parties listed
below.

Very truly yours,

Charles M. McMillan
Attorney

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Street, San Francisco, California
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Building, San Francisco 4, California
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Travelers Insurance Company, 1256 Webster Street, Oakland 12,
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American Motorists Insurance Company, 417 Montgomery Street,
San Francisco 4, California
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Industrial Indemnity Exchange, 350 Sansome, San Francisco,
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