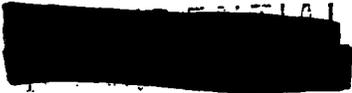


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Dr. W. A. Noyes, Jr.
University of Rochester
Rochester, New York

Dear Dr. Noyes:

The meeting that you held on 6 January to discuss radiological warfare has been brought to my attention. I am in agreement with you that a small study group would render a service by reviewing the RW field at this time.

However, the Military Liaison Committee is currently requesting the Atomic Energy Commission for specific information concerning the production of agents. Since this is a vital portion of the information needed for a review of RW, it is felt that the study group should not start work until after the AEC has provided the requested information.

I appreciate your continuing interest in this problem and your offer to serve as head of the study group. As soon as the AEC answers the production questions, I will write to you. Also by that time, we should be better prepared to decide what agency should sponsor the study group.

Sincerely,

HERBERT R. LOPLER
Director General, USA
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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD:

A meeting of Drs. Noyes, Fine, English, Miller, and Major Gibson was held on 6 January 1952. Since one of the approved recommendations of the final Noyes Panel Report was that RW be reviewed within about one year, Dr. Noyes had requested this meeting. At the conclusion of the meeting Dr. Noyes offered his services in the event that a study group was formed to review the field.

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