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TO: M. V. Nevitt Deputy Director, Research

FROM: R. E. Rowland Director, Radiological and Environmental  
Research Division

SUBJECT: Center for Human Radiobiology (CHR) Studies of Plutonium Cases

At your request, I have prepared for Dr. Sachs and herewith transmit a rather detailed history of our involvement with the cases injected with plutonium and  $^{241}\text{Am}$  in 1945-1947. I also include a summary table of the details of the 19 cases known to have been injected. You will note that we know that four of the cases are alive today (we have seen three of them), two of the cases have not yet been located, and 13 are known to have died.

*R. E. Rowland*

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PROVENANCE

REPOSITORY: OFFICE OF HUMAN RADIATION  
EXPERIMENTS (OHRE)

COLLECTION: PLUTONIUM INJECTION INVESTIGATION  
FILES (OHRE 1)

BOX: 3

FOLDER: PLUTONIUM - CHR

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