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Progress is reported on processing and utilization of radioactive wastes.

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Brookhaven National Laboratory

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Waste-processing development studies are reported.

223. Quarterly Progress Report for August 16--November 15, 1953. Report BNL-267 (January, 1954) Decl. April 8, 1957.
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Hanford Atomic Products Operation

224. Radiological Sciences Department Research and Development Activities Quarterly Progress Report for January--March 1956. H. M. Parker.
Report HW-42403 (April 13, 1956) Decl. March 6, 1957.
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Kellex Corporation

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Studies are summarized on the development of an efficient method of decontaminating crib wastes using ion exchange resins.

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The investigation of the recovery of uranium from Tonawanda solid waste has been resumed.

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Knolls Atomic Power Laboratory

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Mound Laboratory

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Decontamination of TBP metal-recovery wastes by FeS precipitation has been studied and compared cost-wise to the evaporation process.

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Oak Ridge National Laboratory

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