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Subject: List of Contractors & General Nature of Work - Materials Section

To: Major H. L. Friedell, U. S. Engineer Office, Chicago, Illinois.

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1. In reply to your letter of June 5, 1943, contractors under the materials section and the general nature of the work undertaken by each is outlined as follows:

a. The Linde Air Products Company
Tonawanda, New York
Area Engineer: Capt. E. L. Van Horn

Processing of carnotite concentrates to U_3O_8 , thence through UF_4 .

b. Electro Metallurgical Company,
Niagara Falls, New York
Area Engineer: Capt. E. L. Van Horn

Processing of UF_4 to metal.

c. Mallinckrodt Chemical Works
St. Louis, Missouri
Area Engineer: Capt. John H. McKinley

Processing of U_3O_8 through UF_4 to metal.

d. Marshaw Chemical Company
Cleveland, Ohio

Processing of UO_2 to UF_4 and UCl_4 ; generation of fluorine; manufacture of UF_6 ; production of nickel catalyst.

e. Brush Laboratories Company
Cleveland, Ohio

Processing of UF_4 to metal.

f. Canadian Radium & Uranium Corporation and
Eldorado Gold Mines, Limited
New York, New York
Port Hope, Ontario
Great Bear Lake, Northwest Territory

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Processing of pitchblende ores to U_3O_8 ; extraction of radium; production of radium-beryllium mixtures for special usages.

- g. Iowa State College
Ames, Iowa
Gov't. Representative: Mr. Frank Huks

Processing of UF_4 to metal.

- h. Metal Hydrides Incorporated
Beverly, Massachusetts
Area Engineer: Lt. Dick Duffey

Processing of UO_2 to metal.

- *i. Vitro Manufacturing Company
Canonsburg, Pennsylvania

Processing of pitchblende ore and carnotite slimes to U_3O_8 and $Na_2U_2O_7$; extraction of radium in the form of wet cake.

- *j. Kinetic Chemicals Company (DuPont subsidiary)
Perry Grove, New Jersey
Area Engineer: Major W. L. Sapper
Operation of distillation facilities for HF

- k. Hooker Electrochemical Company
Niagara Falls, New York
Area Engineer: Captain Van Horn

Production of hexafluorocylene; generation of fluorine; miscellaneous fluorinated and chlorinated organic compounds.

- l. U. S. Vanadium Corporation
Grand Junction, Colorado
Area Engineer: Lt. P. H. Leahy

Processing and concentration of carnotite slimes for uranium content.

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h. Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company
East Bloomfield, New Jersey

Production of metal from UO_2 and UF_4 by electrolysis.

n. E. I. DuPont de Nemours & Company, Inc.
Wilmington, Delaware
Area Engineer: Maj. W. L. Sapper

Recovery of U content in various residues from our manufacture and operations as U_3O_8 ; production of metal from U_3O_8 through UF_4 ; generation of fluorine; production of UF_6 ; production of fluorinated hydrocarbons and lubricating oils.

o. Baker & Company
Newark, New Jersey

Production of platinum catalyst.

2. Contractors in the above list which are marked with an asterisk should be visited only after clearance with this office because of special policy considerations affecting our relations. Contractors listed above do not include various miscellaneous supply contracts for standard items of production or by-products from normal commercial processing, since contracts in this category will probably be of no interest to the medical group.

For the District Engineer:

THOMAS T. CRENSHAW,
Lt. Col., Corps of Engineers,
Assistant.

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