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The firm Christ & Company, Weissensee, Lederstrasse 104-110, is filling an order for drying cabinets (Wärmeschranke) for the Soviet Ministry of Health. These drying cabinets are for bacteriological cultures, which will be fired from weapons at enemy troops. In order to prevent deterioration of the cultures due to a rise of temperature, caused by friction, the cultures will be encased in asbestos containers. The effectiveness of the culture is augmented considerably by contact with the oxygen in the air. Any person inhaling the culture will immediately begin to suffer from hemorrhage of the lungs and from high fever. None of the known gasmasks offers any protection against these cultures.

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