I KNOW YOU JUST ASKED US TO CHECK THE WINE FOR ARSENIC, REX -- BUT THE TECHNICIAN MISUNDERSTOOD AND WENT BEYOND THAT!
I'M GLAD SHE DID!

FRANKLY, I'M SHOCKED AT THIS REPORT, JACK!
WELL, YOU NEVER KNOW --- WHEN YOU'RE DEALING WITH HUMAN BEINGS!

THERE CAN'T BE ANY ERROR IN THIS REPORT, CAN THERE, JACK?
NO, REX! I REPEATED THE PROCEDURE MYSELF WHEN THE TECHNICIAN GAVE HER REPORT!

THE WINE SHOWED DEFINITE TRACES OF STRYCHNINE!
OKAY, JACK! THANKS A LOT! I'LL WANT TO USE YOUR PHONE!

JUNE? I'M NOT GOING TO KEEP MY LUNCHEON APPOINTMENT WITH MAL WILLIAMS! CALL HIM AND TELL HIM I'M TIED UP --- THAT I'LL GET IN TOUCH WITH HIM LATER!
WILL YOU BE AT THE HOSPITAL?

NO! I'M GOING TO SEE MARTHA LOCK!
IS SOMETHING WRONG, REX?

I'D RATHER NOT TALK ABOUT IT NOW, JUNE!

MEANWHILE...
THIS IS MY HOME, MARTHA!
I'VE HIRED A NEW COOK, FATHER! I WISH YOU'D STAY OUT OF THE KITCHEN AND NOT INTERFERE WITH HER!
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I KNOW THAT, FATHER --- BUT WE'VE LOST THREE COOKS IN THE PAST TWO MONTHS BECAUSE OF YOU! PLEASE, STAY OUT OF THE KITCHEN!
ALL RIGHT, MARTHA! I'LL DO AS YOU SAY!