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Dear Dr. Bailey:

I am very sorry that my supply of reprints of "Problems in Microbial Genetics" is exhausted so that I will be unable to send you a copy as requested. However, if you feel that you must see it, and cannot conveniently obtain it locally, I will be glad to loan you a personal copy for two or three weeks.

Very soon, however, Vol. III of Annual Review of Microbialogy should be in print, with a more up to date review. Beyond this, Luria's review in Bacteriological Reviews (1947) covers most of the material that would be particularly germane to your interests in resistance to antibiotics.

Your interest is appreciated, but I regret that I cannot be of more assistance.

Yours sincerely,

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