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Dear Dr. Jones,

We have some lysogenic cultures of Salmonella here which we are trying (unsuccessfully) to disinfect of their phage. It occurred to me that it might be possible to accomplish this result by the use of antiviral substances such as you have described (J. Bact. 1946). Can you send us samples of culture filtrates that might be most useful to this end? I would also appreciate being kept up to date on your publications on the subject, the paper mentioned above being the latest that I have. Thank you,

Yours sincerely,

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