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Dear Beets:

We have just turned up a few strains which we are anxious to test for genetic identity with some that you people have reported. I wonder if it would be possible to get these for this purpose? I can assure you that nothing will be published on these strains until checking back with you. We have just found an adenine requiring strain in methylcholanthrene treated material which shows sex-linkage. We would like to test this against adenineless 35203, which is in linkage group 1. The other two strains which we would like to have checked is tryptophaneless, which apparently is similar biochemically to your C83, and a histidineless, ~~and~~ we are anxious to know if ~~it~~ is identical with that reported by Lein et al. We would appreciate the opportunity of carrying out these tests.

Thanks for your letter regarding the symposium meeting. I shall be looking forward to further information.

Yours,


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ELT:km

35203

C83

Hist

common