Stent.

prematurity
disconnected from canonical knowledge

Stent '48 – "having to say that others did appreciate the Avery finding.

check 1950 [Gin 20]

Why did Hershey do his '52 expt?
Luria + Latarjet?
Feulgen stain's in bacteria

structuralism

Chargaff's essay?

No one could have known < 1953 that all DNA had a common secondary structure. ∴ Statement that pn. TF is DNA has a totally different meaning than is a nucleoprotein or is chromatin
"proteins" have various structures; associated lipids + sugars + prosthetic groups – even nucleotides. As a genus it has a different connotation. Remarkable that a calf thymus DNA is relevant to bacterial genes.

Was Griffith premature?

Diagram. 1900 – 1975

Pasteur
mating types in fungi
Beijerinck
Stanley
d'Herelle
Burnet – Wollman.
Griffith.

Blakeslee.
mutation?
Burnet
Lewis...
Dodge.
Lindegren
Beadle Tatum.
Ryan.
Lindy – Zund.
Hamilton?

San Felice
Frobisher
Freeman + Morse.

Mirsky

DNA in bacteria?

Knoff – BC SG Knight.
vitamins
Comp. bioch.

W/C

– Kornberg
Ochoa.
Nirenberg ...
Jacobsky.

when
DNA in bacteria
" " phage.

1953 amusing idea – so what.

Just turned out to be true.
also almost every speculation that
would always be the structure!

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Darcy ①

Compare { 1944-49 re Avery
1946-51 re Lederberg }

Personality effects.
Avery groups were not geneticists...

Conversely.
I did not pick up c-AMP/pleiotropics.

Graph the early citation links.
Watson-Crick was a bold stroke that advanced our penetration by 10 years.

What made DNA credible < 1953?
Chargaff overturned tetranucleotide theory.

CSH Symposia as landmarks

Anticipate the postmatters.
Theory of chem. structure.

Pullman false starts a/c non-recognition of proximate mechanism.
Too nearly thermodynamic approach.