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Dear Dr. Tomscik:

I have been greatly interested in your work on induced mutations in *B. anthracis*, as published in the Schw. Ztschr. Path. u. Bakt. in 1949 and 1950, but have unfortunately been able to read of it only in abstract form. I should be indebted to you for reprints of your work on this subject, as we are greatly interested in a similar phenomenon in *Salmonella* (see enclosed abstract).

Are you continuing these studies with respect to other genetic markers? It should be relatively easy to study the transfer of such characters as resistance to antibiotics from a resistant mutant to a sensitive strain.

Yours sincerely,

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