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Dr. Joshua Lederberg  
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Dear Dr. Lederberg:

Several weeks ago Dr. Starr asked me to revive a culture of X P 104 from lyophile and send it to you. None of the several tubes I have opened have been viable. I am terribly sorry that I didn't write you about this sooner, but with each vial I opened, I had hopes of succeeding. Our records show that we sent a viable culture to a laboratory in England in April; so I'll have to request a transfer from them.

Sincerely yours,



Wendell W. Kilgore  
Research Assistant

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