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*Smith*  
Dear Aaron:

I hope you won't resent this-- it would be a personal favor to me if you could undertake the job of reviewing this ms. for J. Bact.

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If you prefer not to review it, just send it back here -- I will probably then just say 'accept' out of hopelessness rather than enthusiasm.

Yours,

