

Klein

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Dear George:

Yes, thank you for your two letters. 7

The microtest for antibody is working very nicely, but in our first run only about 1 cell in ten (from lymph node suspensions) seemed to be active, so we cannot yet answer our original question --whether one cell produces two species of antibody-- but we are doing another run tomorrow.

I don't think it will be possible to continue this type of work in Madison, for the time being, viz. until I have moved into new laboratories, but I will certainly keep your information on the lymphomas on record for the time being. Prof. Burnet & Dr. Nossal here will keep this in mind too, and may contact you later, depending on the outcome of current experiments.

As to the Congress business, I would agree with you on some but not all of the suggested names for the panel. My recommendations would be as follows:

- Hayes⁺ (London); Bertani; Werner Braun (U=S=);
- Fredericq; Maaløe --(or F. Ørskov, who is certainly going);
(Belgium) (Denmark)

and Austrian(also US). There is no harm in asking Wollman but as Jacob's immediate partner he is unlikely to add anything more. I am confident you do not have a complete list of the relevant attendance, but realize you have to work from this.

⁺As to Hayes, I would suggest that a) he is almost ~~certain~~ certain to be in attendance, but b) even if not otherwise it would be well worthwhile to invite him as ~~an~~ a panelist even at some extent.

In making such a list, I am putting some stress on balance, both of nationality and of approach; the weight to US workers in such a list is simply a reflection of the concentration of this particular type of research.

We are leaving Melbourne on the 31st-- I wish we could stopoff to see you now, but as we will be visiting you next summer the loss is not so great. With best wishes