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Dear Professor Lederberg,

Thank you for your kind letter of Nov. 5th in reply to my application for an opportunity to work in your laboratory in the coming academic year.

However, in view of the fact that your accomodation appears to be so limited and moreover that I am given to understand that you yourself will be absent in Europe at this time, I feel that perhaps it might be more advisable for me to investigate the possibilities in some other laboratory.

Thanking you again for your interest in this matter & apologising for any inconvenience I might have caused by my delay in replying. Wishing you and your wife the seasons greetings

Yours sincerely,

Raymond C. Bowles