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Dr. F. R. Sabin
New York, N.Y.

Dear Doctor Sabin:

I am sending you under separate cover a sample of Palmitic Acid. I don't know the origen of this acid but it was purchased from Eastman Kodak Co. Judging by the melting point it is fairly pure.

I have found another liquid saturated fatty acid from another fraction of the T.B. Wax. The substance differs slightly in properties from the other samples that you have recieved. The optical rotation of this new acid is decidedly higher. I should like very much to provide you a small sample for experimental purposes if I can use it. The time before vacations begin is growing short but I should like very much to learn something about the biological behavior of this acid in comparison with the others.

I have to go to Philadelphia on Tuesday night to be on hand for harvesting nearly 2000 cultures of Avian bacilli on Wednesday. On my way back from Philadelphia I will stop in to see you in New York and will bring a sample of the acid with me

Very Sincerely

Rudolph J. Anderson