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Dear Joshua,

we have discussed with Orio both the DAP-mating substance experiment, and the S-RNA + marked antibiotics experiment that you suggested. They both fit nicely into my own programmes too, and Orio is willing to take care of them. We will let you know about developments.

I would be interested in hearing from you:

1) the exact reference to Somerville's "Sources of radioactive materials".

2) DAP-less and lysine less strains; we have none.

Orio also gives me the enclosed information you requested.

I have asked that Walter be invited to the Basel Symposium (probable dates 8-10 April). If he could spend a week here before or after the Symposium we might plan the book. We will take care of all his local expenses, but I doubt that we can pay the fare. The Symposium has no money for travelling expenses. I hope you have no trouble in paying his fare, as you suggested.

Yours

*Luca*

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