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Dear Josh:

I happened to see the article on "Sex in Bacteria: Genetic Studies, 1945 - 1952," which you have contributed to the symposium volume to be published by the AAAS. It is exactly the sort of thing we need and like to have as a lead article in SCIENCE.

If you have no objection, I would like to use your article in that way in the very near future--probably before the end of July. You wouldn't object to a prepublication of your article in this way, would you? On previous occasions SCIENCE has used chapters from forthcoming books or articles to be published in symposia in this way.

I am also writing to Dr. Wenrich to get his permission.

With best personal regards,

Bentley Glass
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