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Le rue d' Who

Dear Lederberg,

On Au ust 25, I'll fly to the U.S. where I'll stay until the end of October. I'll attend several meetings namely one at the proone 1 boratory on september 24-26.

I would very much like to take this opportunity for spending the time between September 17 and 23 around Chicago and visit a few labs and centers. The people I would like to meet in that area are chiefly Lederberg, Rusch, Miller, Movick, Luria, Guzman Barron. May I take the liberty of asking you if you could arrange with these people a little visiting program for me. Of course, I will have a few informal talks in my brief case, which are hereby listed. Of course, also, I'll be rather short in dollars. I not a fund for my oversea trip but not for visits around the country. Do you think that if I give some of these lactures I could get some financial help around you.

In the case you would be busy or away at that time, perharps you could forward my letter to Dr. Rusch.

Please forgive me for putting you into play as an impressario, and thank you very much in advance. I'll be very glad to meet you in any case, and to discuss with you some problems, especially that of an inducible system in K12-S (the sensitive strain)

With king regards

Pr.R.Latarjet

P.3. Please write me at the lab until Lu ust 20. Later on c/o Mrs J. BLEMHLIM,

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- 1) Radiobiological studies on a transforming agent of Pneumococcus.
- 2) Compared actions of radiations and of organic peroxides on some bacterial and viral functions.
- 3) Photo- and peroxidase restoration of UV-irradiated bacteria .
- 4) Mouse leukemia and virus . A discussion.