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Dear Rollin:

Thank you very much for sending the typescript. It came actually in the nick of time, as I was just about to return the revised galleys of my own discussion. Actually, I had been rather diffident about discussing a paper which I was told would be drastically revised, so the section just inserted is now much more explicit than it would otherwise have been. I don't think there is anything here we disagree about.

I am sorry that I don't have an extra typescript of the paper. The enclosure covers most of the remarks about transduction, except for some introductory generalities that were not changed. In fact, the main revision of this part was to make the discussion about incorporation somewhat more ~~more~~ definite than it could have been otherwise.

I would like to study some of your arguments more closely. May I keep your typescript for a while?

Thanks for the two reprints; I am sorry if your supply of some of the older ones is exhausted. Do you have a bibliographic list? (I include one of my own for exchange)./

With best regards,

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