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Dr. Joshua Lederberg  
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Dear Dr. Lederberg:

I am having difficulties obtaining the tritium water. Although Dunning has it, it is actually the property of the Army. Before distributing it he must receive Army approval. This is a rather difficult thing to get. I will let you know as soon as I can obtain a sample.

Very truly yours,

  
D. Rittenberg

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