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Professor Joshua Lederberg,
716 Alvarado Row,
Stanford, California.

Dear Professor Lederberg:

Would you have a few minutes time to read the enclosed article on "The Biologic Significance of Structural Fatigue" and give me your candid opinion as to whether it is worthwhile publishing in some Journal of Biology?

If so, what journal would you suggest?

My grateful thanks in advance.

Very sincerely yours,

Emile Holman, M.D.

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Dear Dr. Holman —

This seems to me to fall in the area of philosophical generalization more than scientific technicality and I just do not know how novel the ideas are. "Perspectives in Biology + Medicine" often carries this genre of discussion; it also shares some of the floors of the "New Scientist" (London).

Have you discussed this with Professor Turner in Berkeley?

Best wishes, Edmund Lederberg