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My dear Josh,

Bob Pritchard and I will be going to this genetics symposium at Austin, Texas, from the 4th to the 6th of May, and have managed to get some additional funds so as to pay a visit to the West Coast.

If it is possible, and not inconvenient for you, we should very much like to see you and Bruce Stocker again, as well as other people like Perkins. Our intention was to arrive at San Francisco on the evening of Sunday, May 7th, and to spend a few days before going on to Cal.Tech. on Thursday the 11th. We should like to spend most time with you, but perhaps we could also go to Berkeley on Wednesday the 10th. Please be quite frank about this, and just let me know if it will be possible from your point of view.

If it is, perhaps you would be so kind as to book accommodation for us somewhere. We will have a maintenance allowance, and are fully in a position to pay our keep, and do not want to put you or Esther to any unnecessary inconvenience.

With kind regards and best wishes to you both, and also to Bruce and Jane,

Yours,

Bill

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