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Dear Josh:

In reply to your letter of October 11, I will be glad to send you the cultures you ask for.


My cultures are all in lyophil now, and since I have only a limited number of each type, I would appreciate it if you would re-lyophilize the stocks after you have checked them out. We don't have a lyophilization set-up going at the moment - hence my request.

As regards the question of mating ability of "inviabile" haploids, it was on the books to be studied at Oak Ridge, but was not done by me [or anyone else that I have heard].

I am sending under separate cover the reprint that you asked for. Thanks very much for the group you sent me.

Congratulations on the Lilly Award - it could not have been more outstandingly deserved. Regards to Esther.

Best wishes,

  
Seymour Pomper