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Dr. Paul G. LaFevre  
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Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Doctor LaFevre:

Thank you for an invitation to the conference on infection and immunity as factors in the reaction to whole-body irradiation.

The state of our research on a possible antibiotic produced through the autolysis of intestinal lactobacilli would make a later date for the conference more convenient for me, and also improve the chances of a more definite answer on this antibiotic project from our laboratory.

However, if the conference is held on February 20, 1953, I still will be very happy to attend at the time and place noted in your letter.

Sincerely yours,  
*James G. Vincent*  
James G. Vincent  
Chief, Bacteriology Unit

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