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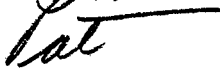
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Dear Professor Meselson,

Since Tom Halsted has reported that the Carnegie Endowment's funds for the chemical weapons conference cannot be used for conference arrangements (budget item 2) unless the meeting is held in Washington at their conference center, we are continuing the attempt to secure another few thousand dollars from another source, in which the case the Carnegie contribution would cover budget items 3 and 5. John has been in touch with Rockefeller (who said maybe later) and is in the process of contacting the Johnson and Ford foundations, the Lilly Endowment, and the German Marshall Fund. We'll be in touch with you as soon as we receive any definite word.

Sincerely,



Patricia Flaherty