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Dear Murray,

For your possible interest, I enclose an article describing our studies of "Yellow Rain", the material which has been suspected of being a chemical warfare agent in Southeast Asia. The conclusion of this work is that "Yellow Rain" is a natural phenomenon, not a chemical warfare agent.

Sincerely yours,

Matthew

Matthew Meselson
Professor of Biochemistry
and Molecular Biology

Enclosure

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