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Dear Albert,

I am very glad to know that you are well and full of energy at your new position in NIH. During the last US-USSR meeting on cancer in Moscow your colleagues reported on your remarkable achievement in the field of <sup>recognizing</sup> (herpes virus) as an important agent of malignancy in humans.

You know my passion for reprints. So I would very much appreciate your sending me all your publications in this problem including your serological approach to complement fixation test with the cancer tissue (to my home address - Ordinarnaya Ul. 18 ap. 5).

I personally am involved in the evaluation of live vaccines against herpes infections and varicella on the base of Leningrad Pasteur Institute of Microbiology.

Hope to meet you again in our city as my very esteemed old friend. Our first scientific contact was during the last war in 1944 and included a very nice evening in the night club. 30 years ago! Richard Shope and Alice Moore were together with us.

With my very cordial greetings

Sincerely yours

Anatoli A. Smorodintsev