My dear Rob,

Thanks for your letter and the enclosure from Jan Mohr, which I am returning herewith, and the new paper on the V antigen. I suppose families 61 and 80 are those of Mohr's material which showed the apparent linkage with Lutheran. If so, they answer my question completely, for the other possible a- phenotypes would not be secretors.

I had an impression, however, that nearly all the positive evidence for linkage with Lutheran came from a single family.

If this is family 72, for which only the anti-Le⁶ test is available, there might be something in my suggestion.

Is your paper a contribution to Heredity?

Sincerely yours,