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Dear Dr. Blackburn:

Your compendium on diet and hypertension has to be the most complete I have ever encountered. Congratulations.

For your possible interest, I enclose 1) our latest on salt and the Yanomama, 2) the headman paper you mentioned, and 3) an update on the thrifty genotype, now in press in the proceedings of a conference held in Freiberg this past spring.

Should you pass thru Michigan, I'd be glad to spend some time with you--but please give me advance warning. There are a number of items we could discuss with mutual profit.

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosures