18th August, 1956.

My dear Cyril,

I am sorry you feel the editorial work of Heredity a burden, and of course you have from the first borne the whole of it. I wonder if Kenneth Mather would like to be associated with us in the future. I am sending herewith a newly arrived copy of my new book on scientific inference, and I should like Mather to be asked to review it, as he might enjoy some of my hair-splittings, besides having to argue with young, and sometimes half-baked, statisticians in his own Department. I hope also you may find it interesting yourself, and especially that you may like the three quotations printed in advance of the contents.

I have no particular hopes of the <u>Journal of Genetics</u>, whatever happens to Haldane. I doubt if we could cooperate either with Penrose, with Gruneberg, or with Helen Spurway, and that is the group with which he has surrounded himself.

Sincerely yours,

Have we yet enough nativial to become a quarter ??