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My Dear Fisher.

Would you please give me your advice on a somewhat elementary point?

I have put in a paper for publication in the Proceedings of the Royal which contains several tables of experimental data. Each table gives a number of <sup>series of</sup> experiments on oxygen consumption of certain animals. Each series contains about a dozen experiments and I have given one value for each experiment together with the mean. It is suggested by a referee that space and expense of printing would be saved if instead of giving all the dozen values in each series of experiments, I gave the highest and lowest values <sup>the number of values,</sup> together with ~~the~~ their mean and its standard error. This suggestion appeals to me. Is there any objection to it?

Please forgive me for troubling you,  
Yours very truly,  
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