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Dear Fisher,

The question of an assistant lecturer in statistics came up at the appointments committee today. The choice appeared to be between N.T.J. Bailey & D.K. Cox, but there we stuck because nobody knew enough about both to compare them. Your letter about Bailey helped a bit; but if you knew Cox's work as well, it would be helpful if you could let the secretary (A.J. Board of Emmanuel) have a comparison. Dat with through me as I have to be away on Tuesday, when the next meeting is, and if posts are slow it might be too late.

Any impression of whether they can teach would be helpful.

Yours

Harold Jefferys...