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Dear Mather,

I am sending herewith chapters four, etc., of your book on Linkage, with a number of marginal suggestions, mostly quite trifling and of a kind which you would easily pick up in proofs. My impression of the whole is that it will prove extremely valuable and welcome to geneticists in general, and especially, of course, to those concerned to examine their data critically. At all events it will start out as by far the most comprehensive collection of resources for meeting the kinds of difficulties which the vast majority are entirely unable to cope with.

I imagine you will have been in Pasadena some time before you get this, and I hope you are enjoying the conditions of life and work there. Please give my kind remembrances to Morgan, Sturtevant, Bridges and the others, who made my visit there last year so enjoyable.

If you feel like expanding on paper, remember that I should be much interested to hear of your work and the ideas you have been developing. Artemia continues to breed well, but obstinately remains variable in spite of our efforts to standardise conditions.

Yours sincerely,