19th November, 1956.

My dear Rob,

Many thanks for sending me the details on Miltenberger and  $V_{\rm W}$ , and for all the trouble you must have taken in copying out the pedigrees and their explanations. I do not understand the scoring system, and probably this is due to my not knowing what is being counted. However, in whatever way the families are scored there can be very little doubt as to the inference, namely that recombination with the MN locus is comparatively rare, and, of course, may not occur at all.

A dramatic confirmation of Ruth's view might be a cross-over from M to N, combined with a change in  $V_w$  specificity.

With love to Ruth,

Yours sincerely,