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Dear Wishart,

I was very glad to receive yesterday a copy of the paper by Sanders and yourself on experimenting with cotton. Naturally I am pleased with the very great advance it shows on the previous pamphlet by Yule and Engledow. I had realised that with cotton most of the advantages of split plots could be obtained without extra trouble or loss of precision in other ways, and on reading your paper I wonder if what you say about the Latin Square is the origin or the effect of Neyman's speculations on the subject. I am rather sorry that what you say on this subject ~~is~~ that a 3 x 3 square is ever used, except as one of a series of replicates, for I do not know of any case in which it ^{has been} ~~would be~~ either used or advocated in this way.

I have not yet read your pamphlet in full, but am sure you have made a very good job of it.

Yours sincerely,