

Cripps's Corner, Forest Row, Sussex

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Dear Fisher.

I am really in London, bothering about Twitclain's Australian securities, which are giving a lot of bother. In order to gain security - and because we are being hopelessly squeezed - we must drop a good bit on novelty.

I have no very useful - probably useless - suggestions to make about your last point. Sterilization is in the air (did you hear Mr Adam on Tuesday!!) and it occurs to me that if you wrote a careful letter, and got the Society to send it to the Medical Research Council, it might educate and wake them up, even if it did nothing else. It is, in my opinion, just the job they should tackle.

Also there is a Dr (Miss) van Herven at Utrecht, who is a keen Eugenicist on the Inst. Fed. of Eugenic Association, in whose University Offices all the blood tests for the medical profession are done as a matter of routine. I doubt if she could do anything; but you might think it worth interesting her. Mr Hodson could give you her proper name and address, which I have not by me. I like her much.

Yours sincerely

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