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CRIPPS'S CORNER,

FOREST ROW,

SUSSEX.

Dear Fisher

I received a letter from Gosney sending me a Californian Sterilization leaflet in which you and I are quoted as saying that feeblemindedness would decrease by 36% if all were to be sterilized for a generation. He quotes J. of H Dec. 1927 p 529. I am rather surprised that I made any such definite statement. At present I am inclined to say nothing in reply. Haldane, I believe, keeps running down the effects of sterilization. But I do not

trust him. If you have any
words of wisdom to give me
on this subject, please write
a line. But if you approve
of my policy of silence, do
not write. You have too much
to do anyhow!

I saw your name amongst
the guests at the R. S. dinner,
when I hope you got your
lump of gold.

Yours sincerely

Leland Dawson