

13th October 1933.

Major Darwin,
Cripp's Corner,
Forest Row,
Sussex.

Dear Major Darwin,

I am sorry to hear of your cold.

My family have started one, or several, but they have not yet reached me.

I am returning Wagner Manslau's card, but as you suggest keeping the offprints. I think he has worked some really valuable material in the Almanack Gotha, but as I think I mentioned to you, after showing quite clearly that the Social promotion of Heiresses have progressively lowered the fertility of the German nobility, he has been inclined to jump to the conclusion that a similar process could explain the fallen fertility in the general population.

It is perhaps partly this that made Popinoe's views rather confused.

Yours sincerely,