

Enclosure.

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Dear Professor Punnett,

I am enclosing a paper which I wrote some time ago on the Selective Consequences of the Theory of Heterostylism in Lythrum, put forward by East in 1927. I am quite aware that the theory may be wrong in part, or in whole and that he withdrew it in 1932, but the evidence on which it was withdrawn seems very much weaker than that on which it was put forward, and the method of working out the selective consequences of this or any other similar theory, has an interest beyond the particular theory to which it is applied. I should be glad to know if you would like to publish it in the Journal of Genetics in spite of, or because of the fact that it is rather different from most genetic papers.

Yours sincerely,

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