28th April, 1955.

My dear George,

When you and others were discussing the entanglement involving Fieller and some girl from Oxford, I was induced after some prodding to produce a note giving a simultaneous fiducial distribution for a case that I had not previously considered. I gather that this was in fact very tactless of me, and that somehow Fieller's nose was put out of joint so that he might be happier for it to not appear in this particular discussion. On the other hand I do think that the result does deserve publication, and as I find that Tukey and others in the States are becoming a good deal convoluted about the simultaneous fiducial distribution, of which I have previously only published one example, namely of the two parameters of the normal distribution; it might help to publish another, arrived at actually by a somewhat different method or, at least, using different detailed steps in the rigorous application of the fiducial argument.

Very remissly you and the others concerned have not let me know what in fact you have been doing with my note, and so I write now for information, and to get it back if you are not
taking care of its publication.

Sincerely yours,