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Dear Dr Broah,

Thanks for your note. Just now we are all very liable to be doing something that seems useless. However, it may not always be useless in the end.

I am sure any collection of hair and eye classification would, at the moment, be more valuable after discussion with Riddell. If, when you have discussed it, you find you have a lot which you would like to publish as throwing light on something or other in particular, remember that that is what the Annals exist for. I do not want to publish material if its author does not positively think that there is something to be learnt from it.

Yours sincerely,