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Gripps's Corner,
Forest Row,
Sussex.

Dear Fisher,

Just a line to thank you for several reprints received at various times. I was glad to see that you confirm my father's generalization about variability and abundance. Your discussion of the connection between variability and the rate of evolution seems to me to be very important in regard to such inquiries as those of Castell, which prove how great is the differentiation we regard to intelligence. I think he makes
out a good case for a rapid decline in some factors on which our civilization depends.

As to some of your papers, I can only admire them from a safe distance, while making me see how long you are.

Here things are very tranquil and unprogressive!

Yours sincerely,

Leonard Dawson

Please tell Mr. Fisher that my wife has read the "Runaway" to me, and that I was quite young enough to enjoy it!