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Dear Stocks,

Thank you for your letter about quinquennial grouping. It will be interesting to see how much difference in cost it makes. I should myself be inclined to say that it was especially in the occupational groups with few entries that the finer sub-division would be valuable. However, that is a question of statistical theory upon which we may not agree.

Yours sincerely,