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Dear Jeffreys,

I am writing in the hope that you will join with me in supporting P.C. Mahalanobis for the Royal. His performance, as you perhaps already know, is really a remarkable one, since, apart from his personal work, which has been fruitful both on the practical and the theoretical sides, he has established a Statistical Laboratory at Calcutta, attracted some first-class men to it, and founded a really excellent journal of statistics in Sankhyā

Yours sincerely,