

16th July, 1957.

My dear Rao,

Thank you for sending me your offprint from Sankhyā on maximum likelihood estimation. I have found it a matter of great interest, and I hope it should clear the minds of people like Kramer, who did not at first very well understand the properties of efficient estimation.

I am glad you have been discussing these problems with Bahadur, who probably knows Kraft and Lecam from his experience at Berkeley. I suppose you do not yet know what is their reaction to your work.

Sincerely yours,