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Dear Taylor,

I am returning Hart's thesis and should be glad if you would look at it carefully and mark passages quite freely for deletion. This is a most difficult job and if it must be done it is most helpful of you to offer to do it.

I had a suspicion that there was jolly little Genetics worth seeing at Cambridge, and Catchside's suggestions ^{confirm my} ~~convinced~~ ^{convince} ~~me~~ ^{me} ~~prevented~~ ^{prevented} ~~me~~ ^{me} ~~from~~ ^{from} ~~pressing~~ ^{pressing} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~matter~~ ^{matter} ~~on~~ ^{on} ~~earth~~ ^{earth} we should press ^{the} ~~the~~ ^{Shayaway's} ~~Shayaway's~~ ^{Shayaway's} ~~misgivings.~~

Laboratory to exhibit bacteria, etc., I do not know, unless there is a keen geneticist willing to demonstrate. Most of the Institutes mentioned are quite irrelevant except for getting an appetite before tea. ~~Be~~ sure there is a man -- perhaps his name is Howard -- breeding wood-lice to some effect. Dig him up at all costs and make him the headstone of the corner.

Yours sincerely,