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Dear Dr O'Brien,

As I hear that you are now in London I am writing, as I feel very anxious about the future of Miss Simpson at the Galton Laboratory, about whom I wrote some time ago.

I do not know whether there is any chance of the Rockefeller Institution being able to help in keeping her with the Department. I had thought it possible you might be able to do so, either covering her whole salary, which, at present, is only a little more than £180 a year, or possibly you might be willing to assist if I obtained part of her salary as a grant from the Royal Society in view of the necessary aid she gives me in continuing the publication of the Annals of Eugenics.

I should be glad to come up and see you in town, if you would care to discuss the matter with me.

Yours sincerely,