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Dear Henry

Thanks for your letter about the authorship of the 2nd edition of the WHO Monograph. It rearouses all my old embarrassment concerning the authorship of the 1st edition. I never understood how it came about that in a work where you took most of the initiatives and undertook the majority of the labour and responsibility, some unseen powers succeeded in getting us in the wrong order. If you would like this injustice now to be redressed, then my conscience would be quieter. It may be, however, that I have to accept this as a regrettable but historical fact. Certainly Gill~~man~~ and Prineas should have recognition for their work in the 2nd edition, by being included in the authorship. If you feel that G and P is more appropriate than P and G, I shall be entirely happy to accept your judgement.

Yours sincerely

Geoffrey Rose

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