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Dear Prof. Lepeschkin:

I have missed seeing you at recent meetings because I am quite preoccupied with new duties here.

One of the opportunities I have here this year is to study a total population of a region in the Jura, involving 300 families.

I would like to ask you both for information and for your opinion on the question of studying familial aggregations of ECG phenomena. The study will not be large enough to consider abnormalities. But to my knowledge questions of activation pathways, axis and conduction times have never been adequately studied in this light.

I seem to recall vaguely that J. Marion Bryant looked at this at one time, but I'm not sure. I believe that he simply tried to characterize different major patterns of activation, perhaps without regard to inheritance.

Would you be good enough to comment on this for me?

What is new with the Journal of Electrocardiology and with your work?

Cordially,

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