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Dear Henry,

Please attached find the results of electrocardiographical examinations for the survey of last fall in Makarska and Dalj. The results were coded partly by Dr Imbimbo and partly by Dr Mohaček who has controlled them all. There is a certain number of subjects who did not turn up for clinical examination last fall. We shall try to get them for the examination next spring when a small team will spend some time in both areas again. At the same time we shall try to collect as much information as possible about people who have moved from their villages and are living now in some other place. A few of them are still living in the coastal area and I think we shall see them as well.

Now Dr Mohaček is very eager to get the results of ECG examinations statistically analyzed since he would like to use them in preparing his theses for a Sc.D. diploma. We would therefore be very indebted to you if you could look after it, if possible and let us know when the data can be processed, compared with those of the 1958 study and the results sent to us.

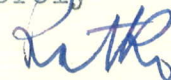
The other day I received from Dr Keys the coded results of the 1958 clinical examinations. The 1963 clinical forms are still with us and please let me know if I should ship them to you. Do you want the ECG recordings to be shipped to you too? There are in addition about twenty recordings taken in young subjects here; Do you need them?

I spent very pleasant and useful ten days with Dr Keys and Flaminio in Naples. It was one of the rare opportunities to talk to Dr Keys in a relaxed atmosphere and I have appreciated it. I spoke to him about the low priority which is currently given to the preparation of data for publication and he was not very happy; I do not know what he has done about it.

Hope you had a nice Christmas and New Year's Eve.

Kindest regards,

Sincerely



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