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Dear Mario, What wonderful news about Marta's mathematical Brancifield: to have at the same time spiritual and physical children is almost too much. Please give her our love and congratulations.

As to the Chairmanship: you know all about my wisdom! (Our letters crossed.) But I don't think he would accept it: he is hesitant to accept a splendid offer of a chairmanship in the U.S. because he wants to return to England. Any way, you have his address.

The only other person I can think of is Jerzy Siedlęński. He was a full Professor and Chairman in Poznan; and he now has some experience of British Universities. He is a wonderful person, but, unfortunately, very shy. This is his only fault, but <sup>unfortunately</sup> it counts in the country where Ryle and Ayer are the paradigm. You know all about him, I suppose. He is a real

scholar, and his main interest is in the methodology of history (and of the social sciences in general); but he knows quite a lot about statistics, probability, and altogether he has the Polish attitude towards learning which is invaluable: learning as an aim in itself. At the same time he has a wonderful loyalty and real purity of heart.

There is literally nobody else I could recommend to you: the others are 27 or 28.  
Much love Karl  
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shall we speed up matters by sending a copy to you and one to Springer?

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