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January 5. 1920.

My dear Mr. Judson,

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In addition to the care of Ophthalmia Neonatorum by which we are constantly saving needless blindness and the care of the eyes of school chidren with defective vision through obtaining careful examination, skilled treatment and glasses when necessary, we have now entered upon an active campaign against Trachoma. There appears to be an astonishing prevalence of this disease among the population of our State.

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