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March 19, 1918

My dear Mr. Wilson:

This long delay in answering your letter is due not to any lack of interest in the matter you presented, but to an unusual pressure of work and preparations to sail for Europe. My sailing has been many times postponed, but I now expect to leave within a day or two.

While the plan you have in mind is of great interest, I regret to state that it does not fall within the scope of the Foundation's activities. A Foundation such as this, in order to accomplish results of measurable value, finds it necessary to restrict its activities to one or two broad programs. I regret that I cannot send you a more favorable reply, but I am sure you will understand and appreciate our position.

Sincerely yours,

George E. Vincent.

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