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Mr. Huntington Wilson
The Lincoln
Philadelphia, Pa.

My dear Mr. Wilson:

I have received your letter of April 4th and in reply will say that I fear I omitted one of the most important questions in my former letter, namely, this, how soon should you need to have the MS. of the proposed article. I have many things claiming my attention and cannot promise anything immediately.

As you say that the project is in a tentative stage and request suggestions, I will ~~add~~ that it seems to me that it would be better to have the writer of each section responsible solely and merely for that section even at the cost perhaps of getting less complete backing from the other authorities.

I fancy that Dr. Putnam of Providence may be temporarily away and that that may account for your not receiving a reply from her.

Ought there not to be either included in the paper on education, or else as a separate article, a

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brief statement of the aims and the need of mental hygiene?

I should be glad to ask another question, namely, to what extent can you guarantee that this pamphlet if printed will be widely distributed as you wish?

I put these questions and suggestions bluntly for the sake of brevity; but I think I have made them clear and shall be glad to hear from you at your convenience.

Very sincerely yours,

Wm. H. Burnham