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Dr. Victor G. Heiser,
Director for the East,
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New York City.

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Dear Doctor Heiser:

Nothing very startling to write this time. My staff or supplies have not as yet completely arrived. I see that one has to move more slowly and deliberately in India than in some other parts of the world. I am getting my printed matter and literature into "copy" form but it is not very rapidly being transformed into printed form.

To get as many hookworm control units and dispensaries in the Presidency as possible seems to me to be the plan to follow in the work. Under my own supervision I desire to organize village units, and also carry on estate control. Furthermore I wish to influence as many organizations as I may, to establish units and dispensaries for the treatment and control of the disease. For example, mission hospitals and stations should each have a H.W. dispensary. Many rich estates should carry on their own work. Institutions as jails, schools, reformatories and others should have their own units. And probably some municipalities and towns could be induced to establish their dispensaries and units for carrying on the work. I feel this is a good scheme in a country with a vast population. On our part we will aid in organizing the work for the various agencies and will also help to train their staffs, and will regularly visit them. They are to send us regular reports and to carry on according to our methods and system. I am able to induce the Government to give each agency some aid, as to provide the thymol or something of the sort.

ANTI-HOOKWORM CAMPAIGN
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elm - During the past week I received two large and most interesting volumes which were presented to me by the Director of the School of Medicine of Cairo, Egypt. They cover the work of Looss and others in hookworm study. Historically they are the source of much of interest. I suppose the Foundation has them in its library. Yes. E. Zim

Very respectfully yours,

George P. Paul
George P. Paul,
Director for Madras, India.