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Dr. M.O. Bousfield,
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Dear Doctor Bousfield: I hope this will find you well. Hope to listen to your talk over at Tuskeegee next week. I suppose it must be interesting to travel all about talking about health every where. Or perhaps it becomes justb like taking a dose of castor oil or anything else one has to do as a duty.

Well I think it should be more interesting than practicing in a town where the ultimate outlook is only as bright as your own personal optimism . However the individual cases are really interesting.

Since I have had to become a specialist in almost every branch of medicine (except pediatrics) I find that this variety is far from monotonous. I can tackle neatly all of my own heart cases now froma a point of view of treatment and diagnosis And you would be surprised to know how mnay drugs you can give outside of digitalis.

Also the rank and file of female and rectal cases not actually requiring specialized surgery. I do the hemorrhoidal injections, ambulatory treatment of strictures in rectum, and practically all of the recent developements in office practice.

So if there is no news outside of the office , I can talk about that. Enclosed you will find a copy of program of our recent Social Hygiene program.

Well so long and good luck.

P.S, I forgot to tell you that I am slightly penetrating into the field of social hygiene.

Very truly yours,

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