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My dear Henry:

I read your letter of November 26th with considerable interest.

I will not go into any lengthy discussion of the suggestions you make. As a matter of fact, some of them were touched on in the broad outline of the whole program that I presented in the Atlanta speech.

In a personal comment to you I cannot refrain from referring to one of your reactions. I am rather inclined to think sometimes that "The American" you refer to is less in need of "reassurance" than is a smaller, influential group which is governed entirely by self-interest. In other words, I think that "The American" appreciates the concrete results in progress that are evident to practically everyone except those who wilfully close their eyes.

Very sincerely yours,

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