Lima, December 12, 1961

Dr. George W. Thorn, Department of Medicine, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, Boston 15, Mass.

Dear Dr. Thorn:

I Appreciate your kind letter of Novembet 22. It was a great pleasure to see you and Mrs. Thorn in Lima, and we all hope to have a new visit in Lima in the near future.

We are in a very active period of organization of the new private School of Medicine. The project is difficult, but we keep optimistic about the final results. This is the only solution to the very serious problems which now affect medical education in Peru and, in consequence, it is our deety to go shead in our project. Your offer of help is quite stimulating, and will keep ir in mind.

My wife I joins we in sending our best wishes to Mrs. Thorn and you.

Sincerely yours

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