

No. 1 W. Franklin Street

Baltimore, Jan. 9th, 1901

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Dear Hurd:-

Young Dr. Ives, the son of a well known New York man, Mr. Brayton Ives, and a great chum of Kinnicutt's, has been for a year or more trying to get out of a morphia habit of a moderate grade. Kinnicutt and several of the New York men are particularly interested in him, and are anxious that he should come in, and see whether the influence of the J. H. H. and the surroundings would not help him. I told Kinnicutt frankly that we had no proper means for taking charge of such cases, and that if he came in it would be simply as an act of courtesy, and that we would do what we could to make him comfortable. He would have to have a nurse, at first at any rate. Could he have a room tomorrow?

Sincerely yours,