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My dear Mrs. Rider:

Your letter is not only inspiring but promises a needed and growing help to the sightless, and I commend you and your co-workers with all my heart. God grant that the good work may proceed with all diligence and wide specad possibilities.

When I came into the world of touch, nothing but the so-called line print was in existence - too difficult for me, an old soldier, to master.

Now the field is open for embossed print, in so many directions, that it may meet the wants of thousands; but there must be behind it, heart workers and intellectual spirits, to push the work into the needs of the sightless in all conditions of life. It will not only be a medium of education and intellectual uplift and spiritual growth, but it will bring happiness to thousands of hearts.

With greatest esteem and highest re-

gards,

Since rely,

Henry N. Couden.