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Description: Sarah Sampson wrote to George F. Shepley to thank him for his donation to the children's home, in Bath.

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