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Dr. Edward J. Engberg, Supt.  
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Dear Dr. Engberg:

While conversing with Mr. Bergeson the other day he mentioned that you have a set of microcephalic identical twins at your institution. I inquired whether you had ever published on this, and he thought not. If you have, would you mind giving me the reference? If not, I am wondering if this is not important enough to present as a paper in one of the journals. Probably you would prefer the American Journal of Mental Deficiency, but we would be glad to have such a paper for the Training School Bulletin if you would consider this desirable.

Cordially yours,

*Edgar A. Doll*  
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February 7, 1948

Dr. Edgar A. Doll  
Chief Clinician  
Department of Research  
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Dear Dr. Doll:

We received your letter regarding the microcephalic identical twins which are here in the institution. These patients are females and were born on September 7, 1903. They have been here since October 2, 1911.

We do not know of any reports which have been published on them, although they were mentioned in a text book some years ago. As we do not have recent mental tests and other pertinent information concerning these cases, we would like to take more time to prepare a paper.

We shall be glad to comply with your request at a later date.

Sincerely yours,

E. J. Engberg, M. D.  
Superintendent

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