

June 1, 1932

My dear Mr. Crawford:

Thank you for your letter of May 24th with its cordial assent to my request for permission to drop in and talk things over with you. When I wrote I expected to be in Pittsburgh next week, but family affairs are a little too complicated for me to leave at the moment. I shall have to wait until later in the Summer. I shall of course write long enough ahead to see if you are to be at home and if it will be convenient for you to see me.

One thing that I do want to get some practical light upon is what they call Technological Unemployment. I am after examples showing that with sufficient forethought in changing machinery and processes men displaced can be absorbed without loss to themselves or the mill. I am quite sure it should be done, that it is sometimes done, but unhappily I do not often run on satisfactory proofs.

I am just throwing this out as one of the things about which I would like to talk to you, not meaning to put a burden of a reply upon you now.

I shall look forward to seeing you in Pittsburgh later.

Very sincerely yours

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