

Take up with Rutger later the advisability of his talking to the Judge and Sites about the advisability of letting me freely express my opinion. The Judge repeatedly says, "I don't want to hurt anybody." Now, it is not necessary for him to hurt anybody - let me do it. His own position will be made much clearer, the book will have a dramatic and topic quality if the contrast between his methods and those of the persons who opposed him can be frankly and fairly drawn. It is not for him to say but for me. There is no objection to noting somewhere in the volume that Judge Gary repeatedly refused in interviews with me to say anything unfriendly or critical of those who opposed him, didn't want controversy. It must be remembered, however, that all this material is controversial material. You have to meet the suspicion of a large part of the public outside of "Big Business." It is inside Big Business that his effectiveness as a reformer is recognized.