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Dear Mr. Case:

I want to trace with care the development of Mr. Young's interest in labor. He has told me that when he came into the General Electric he had had no experience and had given no thought to labor relations, but that the situation at once aroused and interested him. I should like to get data on his handling one of the earliest strikes - the situation at Erie or that at Salem. I think that these were along in 1913 or 1914.

Now, where shall I go for the information? Does Mr. Crocker know? Or may it be that in the files there is correspondence which would give me enough for my purpose? What I am after, you know, is to trace the development.

Mr. Trench, is, of course, familiar with all of the later strikes. I have already talked with him and shall again. Anything that you can set in motion for me I shall appreciate greatly.

Very sincerely yours

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