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Mr. Malvin Alvah Traylor
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My dear Mr. Traylor:

For some time I have been wanting to have a talk with you. My immediate reason is that I am preparing a biographical study of Owen D. Young and ~~that~~ you are one of his associates whose judgment I am particularly anxious to have. Would it be possible for you to see me at any time within the next month? I know that you are often in New York but if that were not convenient I could go to Chicago and would gladly do so.

But there are more things in my mind than your experience with Owen D. Young. I have been most sympathetic with certain of your public talks, particularly the one last Spring before the International Chamber of Commerce. There is more than one matter on which I would like your judgment, you not to be quoted of course without your consent.

Trusting that I am not imposing upon your goodwill in asking for an interview, believe me, my dear Mr. Traylor

Very sincerely yours