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My dear Mr. Folsom;

I have been away from my desk for a fortnight or more and returning find the excellent summary of the Kodak Relations Program, as well as the statement on Unemployment Compensation. I could not have better material.

But I cannot make much use of it in the present series of editorials - they are so short. But I have been asked to expand these articles into a book and a little later I think I shall attempt it. What you sent me then will be exactly what I want. I should like in the book to cover Rochester's experience through the depression under your leadership, as I see it.

There is one point that I must take up in a little piece I am doing on industrial training - the relation of the factory apprentice to our vocational schools. What is your experience at the Kodak Company? Do you select men and women from the schools, as many industries do, and put them in to work their way into place in the factory? Or are your operators from Rochester and vicinity? And do they grow up in the plant, so to speak?

If there is anything that has been written on your method for training of employees I should be most grateful if you would send it to me.

Thanking you again for all your kindness, my dear Mr. Folsom and with kind regards to Mrs. Folsom, believe me

Very sincerely yours

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