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DENVER, COLO., October 2nd, 1914.

Mr. Jerome D Green,
Secretary the Rockefeller Foundation,
New York City.

Dear Sir:

Realizing that assistants will be appointed in various states for the labor problem investigation under the directorship of Hon. W.L.Mackenzie King, I herewith respectfully apply for a position.

I am born in Copenhagen Denmark 1858, came to Denver 1884 and have been engaged here ever since in the profession as an architect. In 1903 I was appointed by the Danish Government as Vice Consul and in 1911 by the Norwegian Government as Vice Consul for Colorado. I am a naturalized American Citizen.

During many years experience as an architect I have, as will be readily understood, had occasion to come in close contact with labor conditions and the knowledge derived therefrom has been further improved through my Consular business. I have always been deeply interested in the labor problem and feel that this will to a great extent be solved through the coming work under the Rockefeller Foundation.

Although not having obtained permission to do so, I take the liberty of referring to Hon. Geo. Beck, Danish Consul in New York, and Hon. Chr. Ravn Consul General for Norway in New York. From this, my home City, I can furnish an abundance of references.

In the event of my appointment I would relinquish my present positions and devote my entire time to the duties with which I might be charged, preferably in this district or in Denmark and Norway.

If not asking too much I would greatly appreciate a few lines with reference hereto.

Very respectfully,

V. E. Baerresen

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