The Roxborough, Ottawa, September 25, 1919

Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Mr. Lauck:

I appreciate deeply your kindness in having suggested my name to the Secretary of the Inter-Church Movement organization, in connection with the forthcoming Conference in New York.

I have to be in the Maritime Provinces in the week of October 2nd, so unfortunately, will find it quite impossible to be present. I am none the less grateful to you for your kind thought in the matter.

I am sending under separate cover a copy of an address I gave some time ago on the "Four Parties to Industry", and which I intended to hand you while you were in Ottawa.

I should also like to draw your attention to what I said at a subsequent session of the Conference on the relationship of the so-called "Rockefeller Plan" to trade unions. I took occasion to bring out publicly the points I spoke of to you, respecting the extent of union contracts in the industry to which I made reference in conversation.

Allow me to speak of the great pleasure it gave me to make your acquaintence in Ottawa. My own regret is that we did not have the opportunity of seeing a little more of each other. I hope further occasions may afford me such opportunity.

Yours very sincerely,

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