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Dear Dannie :

There are three committees of the U.S. House of Representatives which will be making visits to Mexico, as well as other countries of Latin America, before the end of the year. The Committee on Banking and Currency was in Mexico City about a week ago and I had the opportunity of showing them our Lecheria plant. The Committee on Foreign and Domestic Commerce will have a group of members here in a few weeks' time and they will also be visiting other countries. A group of members of the House Committee on Foreign Relations is now here in Mexico City and they will be leaving tomorrow for other countries to the south.

All these trips are really jaunts which are customary for years but they do have a certain use, as members of these committees have an opportunity to see what is going on in these countries. They do not always get very accurate impressions but on the whole the trips are useful.

I am sending you herewith a copy of one of these newsnotes which are got out by the Argentine Embassy in Washington, dated November 23. According to the bulletin, it is the group of members of the Committee on Foreign and Domestic Commerce which have already been in Buenos Aires before coming to Mexico. The remarks which Perón is said to have made and which are in quotes, are interesting, but I am sorry to say that I think they mean nothing because so far as I can see, he is now completely a creature of circumstances and it is more and more obvious that the economic situation is catching up with him.

Any news which you may have from Buenos Aires and which may be interesting I will be delighted to have.

Cordially and faithfully yours,

George S. Messersmith.  
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CC. to Mr. H. Bachrach.  
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