Insert under LABOR TROUBLES, Par. 5D-3, this paragraph:

"There is devoted to welfare work property of the approximate value of about $40,000.00, and the company spends approximately $4,000 per year on general welfare work."

Insert as sub-division 5D-4, this:

Q. Have you made any efforts to provide special facilities for noonday lunches within the plant?

A-5D-4: About ten years ago the company ran what is now known as the "Wesley House" as a company hotel. It kept in its employ a chef and full corps of servants, and charged for board and room, for females $2.25 and males $3 per week. The food was high grade. Practically all the office employees had their noonday lunches with the help there. This lasted for about 1½ years, when the help gradually drifted from the hotel to boarding houses surrounding the property until the company found it necessary to discontinue the maintenance of the institution, and converted it into a rooming house where rooms were rented without board.

The next effort of the company was to build a special dining room in a central part of the plant so that the help could eat their lunches under proper auspices. After the novelty wore off, perhaps a month or two, the help drifted away from this room, and showed by their general practice that they preferred eating along, that is in exclusive corners etc.

A-5D-4 cont'd: At the present time, at the suggestion of the company Wesley House is maintaining a dining room and furnishing noonday dinners at 10¢ per meal, but we have not been able to get a higher attendance than 60 at any meal; the average is around 40.