U.S. Steel Corp.- Ore lease October 19,1905 Hill to George F. Baker coded telegram decoded "Local officers of U.S. Steel are working with parties who own the joint interest with us on ore lands.... These officers know our interest and their interference is causing delay and trouble.... their action is malicious. I wish you would let the [word illegible] know that unless this kind of work is absolutely stopped at once, deal with us must be on much higher scale of pricel"

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