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Governor Lloyd C. Stark
Jefferson City
Missouri

Dear Governor Stark:

No doubt you are besieged with mail and I have no desire to add to your burden. However, by the press I have observed that you are very much interested in the candidacy of Judge Douglass, and since there doesn't seem to be any great effort being put forth in this county for him, I am asking you to advise the Douglass headquarters to send literature, cards, posters, etc. to my son, Chas. H. Green, Jr. or to my daughter, Mrs. J. W. Baer, and they will see that the name of Mr. Douglass is before the voters of St. Clair County.

Through the grapevine route and some observation, I can see that Pendergast and his man Friday, Floyd Sperry, are getting considerable work done in this county, but the better Democrats have no intention of permitting them to control the politics in this county.

Mr. L. E. Crook, J. E. Crook, John M. Belisle and Waldo P. Johnson are attorneys here, all Democrats, and I believe they should receive some notice from the Douglass headquarters also. We also operate in Polk and Cedar Counties and we are not overlooking the candidacy of Mr. Douglass wherever we go.

My family are all Democrats, while I have always voted the Republican ticket. However, we admire honesty in politics as well as business, and we admire a Governor that has the courage of his convictions and the better Democrats of this county can be appealed to if someone is interested, and while I may not be personally active, I will try to

be a part of the power behind the Douglass campaign. A reply is unnecessary, but I trust we will receive something from the Douglass headquarters in the near future. I have a prominent office where I could and would gladly display a Douglass banner.

Sincerely

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(Signed) Chas. H. Green