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Colonel Lloyd C. Stark,
C/o Stark Bros. Nurseries,
Louisiana, Missouri.

Dear Colonel Stark:

I have your letter of the fifteenth instant, enclosing copy of letter sent to Mr. Orr.

I heard today that Mr. Dickmann's opponent is going to call attention to the fact that out-state Democrats are interested in Mr. Dickmann's success and then try to connect that up with the attack which he made on the Pendergast organization. I do not know whether you read his speech, or not, but in it he said that Dickmann's candidacy was nothing more than a further effort of Pendergast to get control in St. Louis.

I do not know what can be done about the situation, but I am inclined to believe that

some of the letters, written out-state, have come into the possession of the other side and what use they may make of them I can not say. Personally, it was my opinion that efforts made by out-state Democrats to get in touch with their St. Louis friends in behalf of Mr. Dickmann's candidacy, particularly after the Primary, would be helpful. This reaction, of which I speak, is one of the unforeseen things. I am giving you this information so that you may have it for what it is worth.

I want to thank you for sending me the box of apples and I greatly appreciate your kindness in doing so. If you should happen to be in the City, I should be delighted to see you.

Sincerely yours,

Wm. Igoe

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