

Oct. 31, 1935.

Hon. F. X. Teasdale,  
c/o Hospital #4,  
Farmington, Mo.

My dear Mr. Teasdale:

Thank you so much for your letter of recent date, which was received in the midst of hundreds of congratulatory letters and telegrams; hence, the delay in acknowledgment.

You were exactly right in talking to your friend regarding letting any certain man "tie a string" around my neck. I have said from the first that I do not intend to be the candidate of any faction or section, but of the whole Democratic Party in Missouri, or not at all.

I was deeply gratified recently at the almost unanimous support I have received from the Democratic Party in the different counties, and the solid backing of both the St. Louis and Kansas City Democracy.

I hope you will keep in touch with me from time to time, and write me of any new developments of interest.

With kind personal regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

LCS.PMC

LLOYD C. STARK.