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Washington, D. C, May 23, 1942

Mr. Albert R. Norton 5015 East 24th Street Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Mr. Norton:

I read your letter of the Twelfth, with a great deal of interest, and I cannot appreciate a supposed Goat precinct captain who joined the United Democrats. It looks to me as if you really got what they usually give people who go in and help them.

No one could approve of some of the things that were done by people in control of the City Government in Kansas City, and no one can condone crookedness and stealing, but the Democratic Party is still the Democratic Party, and the time is coming when we are going to need all the loyal Democrats to rally around and save it.

I hope we will find you in that category when the real time comes.

Sincerely yours,

HST:MLD

Harry S. Truman, U. S. S.