

April 16th, 1936.

Honorable Harry S. Truman,  
Senate Office Building, Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator:

Thanks very much for your letter regarding John Lillis. I was just a little surprised in regard to the information contained therein.

Lad a talk with Mr. Pendergast yesterday morning, and he said he would possibly see both you and Senator Clark and would talk to you regarding John and see if there wasn't something which could be done for him. Of Course I realize there are so many matters for Mr. Pendergast to take up that he sometimes overlooks some things he intends to discuss.

I have been informed that some of those who were let go in some of the offices have been re-appointed, ana I wonder if it would be asking too much of you to set if John could be re-appointed again. I was talking to Jim Aylward and I think you will get a letter from him regarding same.

I had lunch with Boyle and Pryor this noon at the Station, and I met Jasper Bell. He is chipper as can be. Both Boyle, Pryor and myself were jumping on him for knocking out our Townsend Plan for we were getting ready to take advantage of it.

Looks like the primaries of Tuesday didn't do the Democratic Party any harm.

Thanking you for the kind consideration I know you will give this, with best wishes, I am  
Cordially yours,  
TMcG:JF