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Ottawa, December 4, 1925.

Dear Harry:

Referring in a personal way to your letter of November 37th, I have written you a letter today, which you may find of value. I more and more lean to the view that we should not be too precipitated. We have a grip of the situation and can only lose it by being in too big a hurry, or by making some error in tactics. I do, wasturally, want to do everything possible for the West, and I have a high personal regard for most of the Progressive@members elect. We should strive to get them in as favourable a mind toward us as possible, but be certain we can go on with any

committments which we undertake, and we can do so if these committments are in line with our principles.

Please let me know roughly about what you are out because of waiting here to do my personal work.

Yours sincerely,

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