Justice better than charity!

Social justice requires the abolition of all taxes whatsoever excepting only a Single Tax upon the site value of land, in accordance with the Natural Law which was discovered by Henry George.

HENRY WARE ALLEN
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July 16, 1929

Miss Ida M. Tarbell
120 East Nineteenth St.
New York, N. Y.

My dear Miss Tarbell:

This is to acknowledge with appreciation your favor of the 10th inst. I hasten to inform you, however, that the writer is not Henry J. Allen, former governor of Kansas, proprietor of the Wichita Beacon and at the present time United States Senator. The writer is a Free Trade Democrat while Senator Allen is a regular Republican whose economic ideas may be inferred from the enclosed clipping. Senator Allen is a neighbor and the wives and daughters have been friends for a long time, but we two men are at the two extremes of political thought!

Again with very great appreciation of the splendid service which you have rendered in your various writings to the betterment of intelligent information on matters vital to our national life and wishing that I might at some time have the pleasure of meeting you, I am,

Very truly yours,

H. W. Allen

HWA:TL

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