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H. B. Mize, State Committeeman, District No. 2.

Name of County	Committeeman	Address
Atchison	Chairman: J. A. Kinney Alva Clapp W. H. Sells	Atchison Atchison Effingham
Brown	Chairman: Dr. G. H. Mydland Charles Warren L. J. Smith	Horton Hiawatha Morrill
Doniphan	Chairman: A. D. Jones D. S. Zimmerman A. L. Martin L. A. Libel E. J. Heeney	Troy Tréy Highland Wathena White Cloud
Jackson	Chairman: E. S. Dunn Marvin Johnson Walter Coleman E. I. Zinkle H. F. Tagge	Holton Circleville Denison Delia Holton
Jefferson	Chairman: Curtis Patrick Eric Steeper V. C. Raines Chas. Gephart Carl Lehman	Oskaloosa McLouth Perry Valley Falls Meriden
Marshall	Chairman: E. C. Webber J. W. Thompson Edwin Meara	Marysville Waterville Axtell
Nemaha	Chairman: William Heffron A. J. Wempe John C. Williamson Ray Ingalls	Seneca Seneca Sabetha Goff
Pottawatomie	Chairman: Floyd Funnell H. Pessemier Ed Dalton	Wamego St. Marys St. George

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D. E. Ackers, State Committeeman, District No. 3.

Name of County	Committeeman	Address
Lyon	Chairman: M. A. Limbocker Frank Lostutter H. W. Glass A. S. Barnheisel Harry Chatterton	Emporia Emporia Emporia Hartford Admire
Osage	Chairman: C. T. McDaniel J. B. Heilburn B. R. Farrar	Lyndon Osage City Burlingame
Shawnee	Chairman: L. S. Hall Omar B. Ketchum Chas. Blevans H. H. Stephens Ira Williams	Topeka Topeka
Wabaunsee	Chairman: Howard Adams Hal Weaner W. K. Waugh	Maple Hill Alma Eskridge

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District No. 4.

Ralph Snyder, State Committeeman, District No. 4.

Name of County	Committeeman	Address
Riley	Chairman: Charles D. Middleton John T. Barr Ray Merideth W. L. Ratliff Forest Gravenstien L. A. Kopachek Mrs. N. A. McCosh	Manhattan Manhattan Manhattan Ogden Riley Leonardville Randolph
Clay	Chairman: D. L. Wheelock Arnold Buchmann Floyd Schultz Ed Broden Dan McIntyre W. Hamilton A. E. Peterson Max Dolan A. J. Anderson	Clay Center Clay Center Clay Center Morganville Wakefield Longford Morganville Clifton Green
Geary	Chairman: W. S. Scott Harold A. Rohrer George J. Casper	Junction City Junction City Junction City
Cloud	Chairman: Ernest Swanson	Concordia
Marion	Chairman: Dr. J. D. Goodsheller Harvey Parks I. D. Wiebe F. A. Hagans Chas. Neusbaum	Marion Florence Hillsboro Marion Peabody
Washington	Chairman: Edgar Bennett L. F. Neff A. A. Welch	Washington Washington Washington
Morris	Chairman: Harry E. Snyder J. D. Coffin J. B. Lamb J. E. Olson Frank Riegel John Torgeson D. E. Linde	Council Grove Council Grove Dunlap Dwight Wilsey White City Burdick

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Chairman: James McKenzie
John McLinden
Dr. McKinley
S. A. Yenger
Henry Ragler

Cottonwood Falls
Matfield Green
Strong City
Saffordville
Matfield Green

Dickinson

Chairman: Ralph Hoffman
T. T. Riordan
D. C. Mouli
Emery Buhler
A. E. Finch
Ralph Lucier
A. E. Dopp

Enterprise
Solomon
Hope
Chapman
Herington
Abilene
Manchester

Republic

Chairman: F. R. Bachelor

Belleville

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R. J. Laubengayer, State Committeeman, District No. 5.

Name of County	Committeeman	Address
Smith	Chairman: A. L. Headley Miles Elson P. A. Derge Earl Womer	Smith Center Smith Center Lebanon Kensington
Osborne	Chairman: C. E. Mann J. O. Adams Archer Toothaker A. P. Brown	Osborne Osborne Downs Alton
Russell	Chairman: H. A. Dawson A. C. Reiff Walter E. Lally	Russell Dorrance Bunker Hill
Barton	Chairman: O. W. Dawson	Great Bend
Jewell	Chairman: Fred Beeler Homer Roach Miss Frances Bliss	Jewell City Jewell City Mankato
Lincoln	Chairman: H. S. Busick T. M. Metz Joseph Healy R. D. Campbell Joseph Kaul	Sylvan Grove Lincoln Lincoln Beverly Barnard
Mitchell	Chairman: Loren Brewer Rubin Johnson F. O. Wells Lester Shamburg Dr. H. A. Hope C. A. Seidel C. A. German Basil Humphries W. H. Hockett A. E. Jordan Mayor Ed James Harold C. Brown	Beloit Simpson Asherville Scottsville Hunter Tipton Glen Elder Cawker City Beloit Beloit Beloit Beloit
Ellsworth	Chairman: Ned Huycke Rev. Orlo Choguill Wm. Väitch E. W. Raymond	Ellsworth Ellsworth Kanopolis Holyrood

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	Jos. McKittrick Ed. Stuber Carl Nelson	Wilson Lorraine Marquette
Ottawa	Chairman: Ralph Hemmenway C. C. Davis Alva Adams C. C. Nielsen N. C. Emery	Minneapolis Minneapolis Delphos Bennington Tescott
Saline	Chairman: Chas. F. Dodds A. E. Halsey Ebbie Sundgren Martin Johnson D. B. McGlumphy M. A. Stevenson Wm. Ferm	Salina Brookville Ekalun Assaria Gypsum Salina Salina

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C. H. Bastian, State Committeeman, District No. 6.

Name of County	Committeeman	Address
Cheyenne	Chairman: F. L. Shields W. O. Fallis Robert Cram Paul Barnhouse J. A. Henley	St. Francis St. Francis St. Francis Wheeler Bird City
Rawlins	Chairman: Joe Yager J. T. Short A. M. Vale Dr. Leslie John Kirschner	Atwood Atwood Atwood McDonald Herndon
Decatur	Chairman: Elwood M. Brooks Lloyd Vernon Glenn Jones Frank Frewen A. A. Smith	Oberlin Oberlin Dresden Norcatur Jennings
Norton	Chairman: C. W. Smiley D. S. Brooks A. H. Sidebottom C. A. Baird	Norton Norton Norton Almena
Phillips	Chairman: C. B. McDowell R. A. Anderson W. F. Parker	Phillipsburg Phillipsburg Phillipsburg
Rooks	Chairman: J. B. Phillips W. F. Hughes C. H. Hamilton H. Van Dyke Emmet Gallagher Tom Smithers	Stockton Stockton Stockton Plainsville Stockton Woodston
Graham	Chairman: Dr. Willard Brown A. C. Thompson Arthur Kobler B. W. St. John John T. Griffith	Hill City Bogue Penokee Morland Hill City
Sheridan	Chairman: Earl Farber George H. Schiericht Tom L. Pratt, Jr. Harry Pratt J. A. Anerson	Hoxie Hoxie Hoxie Hoxie Selden
Thomas	Chairman: H. F. Davis Sam Alexander W. G. Schaffer	Colby Colby Colby

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Sherman	Chairman: L. N. Shaw R. C. Shimeall H. E. Elder Reed H. Golden Dr. H. M. Steever	Goodland Goodland Goodland Goodland Goodland
Wallace	Chairman: C. O. Cochrane C. V. Wormerenger M. A. Cowles A. E. Glad L. O. Stanley	Sharon Springs Sharon Springs Sharon Springs Weskan Wallace
Logan	Chairman: C. A. Spencer H. P. Jagger Herbert Allen C. C. Porter K. W. Davis	Oakley Oakley Winona Russell Springs Oakley
Gove	Chairman: M. K. Matthews T. N. Northup V. Robertson George Royer E. Peterson	Quinter Quinter Grainfield Gove Grinnell
Trego	Chairman: Lee H. Rowley C. M. Hutchison George H. Allen R. J. Teague Roy W. Blakely	Wakeeney Wakeeney Wakeeney Collyer Ogallala
Ellis	Chairman: V. A. Weigal Ross Beach E. J. Haffamier Phil Markey E. H. Ruhaak John B. Kuhn	Hays Hays Hays Ellis Ellis Victoria

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Clarence Nevins, State Committeeman, District No. 7.

Name of County	Committeeman	Address
Clark	Chairman: W. G. Carson A. L. Roberts P. G. Abel T. R. Cauthers L. D. Monroe	Ashland Englewood Ashland Ashland Minneola
Comanche	Chairman: Eynan Phebus E. J. Allerdice Earl Ferrin H. H. Rich	Coldwater Coldwater Wilmore Coldwater
Edwards	Chairman: Roy Hatfield Walter Reeder August Berger H. L. Bridges D. W. Shaver	Kinsley Kinsley Kinsley Lewis Belpre
Finney	Chairman: R. N. Downie Raymond Stotts Fred J. Evans Frank Schulman J. E. Condra	Garden City Garden City Garden City Garden City Garden City
Ford	Chairman: W. A. Fowler J. C. Denious W. W. Dwyer H. B. Herzer Wm. Shean Ralph Bolinger	Dodge City Dodge City Dodge City Dodge City Spearville Bucklin
Grant	Chairman: C. W. Hickok Roxie T. Powell Mrs. S. Louise McCall	Ulysses Ulysses Ulysses
Gray	Chairman: W. E. Taylor J. W. Phelps Joe Smith Guy Reed Joe Burns John Scott	Cimarron Cimarron Montezuma Copeland Ingalls Ensign
Greeley	Chairman: Martin Trued	Tribune

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Hamilton	Chairman: H. L. Hartshorn E. M. Scott W. E. Patton H. E. Walter Dr. C. F. Harrison	Syracuse Syracuse Syracuse Syracuse Syracuse
Haskell	Chairman: Frank McCoy C. G. Dennis E. H. Elliott	Sublette Sublette Sublette
Hodgeman	Chairman: N. P. Rasmussen Fred Rumford Lloyd Olson J. E. Reed N. P. Drake	Jetmore Jetmore Hanston Jetmore Jetmore
Kearny	Chairman: R. W. Stess	Lakin
Kiowa	Chairman: H. E. Crosswhite F. H. Winters Charles Bissitt Bard Matthews	Greensburg Greensburg Greensburg Haviland
Lane	Chairman: W. V. Young H. B. Ferris J. H. Cavanaugh J. A. Hineman	Dighton Dighton Dighton Dighton
Meade	Chairman: F. S. Sullivan D. J. Wilson E. M. Angell E. W. Fletcher A. E. Post	Meade Meade Plains Meade Fowler
Morton	Chairman: Willard Mayberry	Elkhart
Ness	Chairman: Howard L. Floyd Sim Doubling C. Z. Miller P. H. Lynch A. F. Schoeppl C. J. Johnson	Ness City Ness City Ransom Ness City Ness City Ness City

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Pawnee	Chairman: G. L. Frizzell Leslie Wallace T. C. Wilson Mark Krouch	Larned Larned Larned Larned
Rush	Chairman: Fred C. Krause J. W. Seuser Earl Peacock Wesley Butler J. C. Moser	LaCrosse LaCrosse LaCrosse LaCrosse LaCrosse
Scott	Chairman: Elmer Epperson R. D. Armstrong C. A. Smith Roy Griffith J. E. Minnix H. S. Rector	Scott City Scott City Modoc Scott City Modoc Scott City
Seward	Chairman: Edward S. Irwin Chester Naylor Ray Kennedy W. V. Griffith A. O. Edmunds C. W. Brown	Liberal Liberal Liberal Liberal Liberal Liberal
Stanton	Chairman: Buell Scott O. E. Josserand J. E. Cockrum Elam Hiltz	Johnson Johnson Johnson Johnson
Stevens	Chairman: U. G. Charles	Hugoton
Wichita	Chairman: John H. Scott W. C. Dickey W. B. Brock H. B. Holmes	Lecti Lecti Lecti Lecti

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C. H. Humphreys, State Committeeman, District No. 8.

Name of County	Committeeman	Address
Barber	Chairman: Albert L. Orr H. A. Palmer J. C. Hinshaw I. V. Martin Tom Jewell	Medicine Lodge Medicine Lodge Medicine Lodge Medicine Lodge Medicine Lodge
Harper	Chairman: E. O. Elliott Earl Collins H. K. Wood Donald Muir George Simpson Robert Wedell Bert Hillard	Anthony Harper Anthony Anthony Attica Bluff City Attica
Harvey	Chairman: J. M. Houston E. L. Kinzer E. G. Hamilton Harry Harris Mack Cretcher R. L. Hogan C. Young Oscar Sutorius	Newton Halstead Newton Burton Newton Newton Newton Newton
Kingman	Chairman: S. S. Alexander W. H. Klaver J. W. McCartney K. C. Knappenberger B. T. Robinson Frank D. Rall Malcolm Bartlett	Kingman Kingman Kingman Penalosa Murdock Zenda Norwich
McPherson	Chairman: L. C. Angevine F. K. Entriken Ralph Johnson Eugene C. Mingenback Emil Billings Carl C. Krehbiel E. H. Enns Stanley Smith	McPherson McPherson McPherson McPherson Lindsborg Moundridge Inman Ganton
Pratt	Chairman: S. P. Gebhart R. Calbeck D. R. Scott A. S. Farmer J. E. Whitman Lally Keyes Will Berg	Pratt Pratt Pratt Pratt Pratt Pratt Pratt
Reno	Chairman: Charles S. Colladay Wm. M. French Warren H. White Elmer E. Bloom	Hutchinson Hutchinson Hutchinson Hutchinson

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	Gus Mier Charles Woodell D. A. Voran	Haven Nickerson Pretty Prairie
Rice	Chairman: L. C. Needham George Six Rubert Martin D. J. Fair W. H. Burke Homer Ira	Lyons Lyons Lyons Sterling Little River Chase
Stafford	Chairman: Robert Garvin S. G. Wiles B. E. Evans Boyd Wallace F. G. Sutton	St. John Stafford Stafford Stafford St. John

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Walter P. Innes, State Committeeman, District No. 9.

Name of County	Committeeman'	Address
Butler	Chairman: Rev. Fred Condit W. F. Benson R. A. Haynes Fred G. Spencer Herman Levinson	El Dorado El Dorado Augusta Augusta El Dorado
Sedgwick	Chairman: W. D. Jochems Chas. S. Lawrence C. J. Chandler W. B. Harrison E. L. Beard	Wichita Wichita Wichita Wichita Wichita
Cowley	Chairman: O. S. Stauffer A. S. Kinimonth Oscar Gafney R. H. Rhodes Henry P. Gott	Arkansas City Winfield Winfield Arkansas City Winfield
Sumner	Chairman: E. M. Carr W. H. Shulte Chas. F. Martin Thomas Baker Fred Barnes	Wellington Wellington Wellington Caldwell Oxford

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Lee E. Goodrich, State Committeeman, District No. 10.

Name of County	Committeeman	Address
Chautauqua	Chairman: P. F. Eggen Harry Cox J. M. Pope B. D. Wilson Minnie Severance M. M. Golden H. F. Kirchner	Sedan Cedarvale Hewins Niotaze Peru Elgin Sedan
Montgomery	Chairman: J. Fremont Watson J. A. Gibson Geo. W. Eckhardt Ralph Mitchell Chas. S. Lingle S. J. Harman L. W. Davis	Coffeyville Coffeyville Coffeyville Independence Caney Cherryvale Elk City
Neosho	Chairman: T. R. Evans B. H. Dunham J. W. Hemminger H. B. Williams Don E. Wells Edgar Rosh John Dowd J. A. Smith	Chanute Chanute Chanute Chanute Erie Thayer St. Paul Stark
Labette	Chairman: J. M. Kersey E. F. O'Herin Jess Turner A. E. Clark Dr. J. Scott Walker Ira G. Gibson Jack Hewitt	Parsons Parsons Parsons Parsons Chetopa Altamont Oswego
Elk	Chairman: D. L. Mullendore Ira Rothgeb A. W. Finley Wallace Wilson F. C. Flory	Howard Longton Elk Falls Moline Howard
Wilson	Chairman: S. H. Wiley Thos. D. Hampson Jack Bogue Fred Dodd Bryan O'Bryan Clark Offenbacker George Robertson Oren Surber	Fredonia Fredonia Neodesha Altoona Buffalo Benedict Coyville La Fontaine

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Cherokee

Chairman: S. L. Kenney
W. R. Barber
J. W. Batten
Ira C. Perkins
Chas. W. Hiller
F. H. Covert
H. H. Hartzell

Baxter Springs
Weir City
Scammon
Galena
Columbus
Treece
Baxter Springs

Crawford

Chairman: A. C. Messenger
E. B. Karns
Elmer Harr
John Thorp
Carl Liebig
Alex McAlester
Ben Rodda

Pittsburg
Englevale
Girard
Cherokee
Pittsburg
Ringo
Arma

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John G. Stutz, State Committeeman, District No. 11.

Name of County	Committeeman	Address
Douglas	Chairman: J. L. Constant Chas. Beeks Curtis Sehon Geo. Hedrick Ray Ogden	Lawrence Baldwin Leavenworth Lawrence Eudora
Franklin	Chairman: Edmond Lister F. F. Focels W. G. Tulless	Ottawa Ottawa Rantoul
Miami	Chairman: J. W. Mitchell Vernon Lane J. V. Whitla Paul Russell	Paola Paola Osawatomie Paola
Linn	Chairman: John Potter R. C. Smith Ben Bell Samuel Tucker	Mound City La Cygne Blue Mound Pleasanton
Bourbon	Chairman: Martin Miller Franklin Stone J. C. Gross Thomas Macon Marion Webb	Fort Scott Fort Scott Fort Scott Fort Scott Fort Scott
Allen	Chairman: Angelo C. Scott C. A. Brooke John T. Tyler	Iola Humboldt Moran
Woodson	Chairman: Fred L. Stephenson J. T. Long A. D. Gordon J. W. Pool S. C. Singleton	Yates Center Toronto Neosho Falls Yates Center Yates Center
Greenwood	Chairman: H. H. Troxell R. W. Brooks C. Schultz	Eureka Madison Severy
Coffey	Chairman: S. C. Crahan Dr. V. W. McGinnis O. F. Duncan Geo. L. Paxton E. A. Farrow	Burlington Le Roy Gridley Lebo Waiverly

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Anderson

Chairman: J. Q. Wycoff
J. V. Schafges
Geo. Lickteig

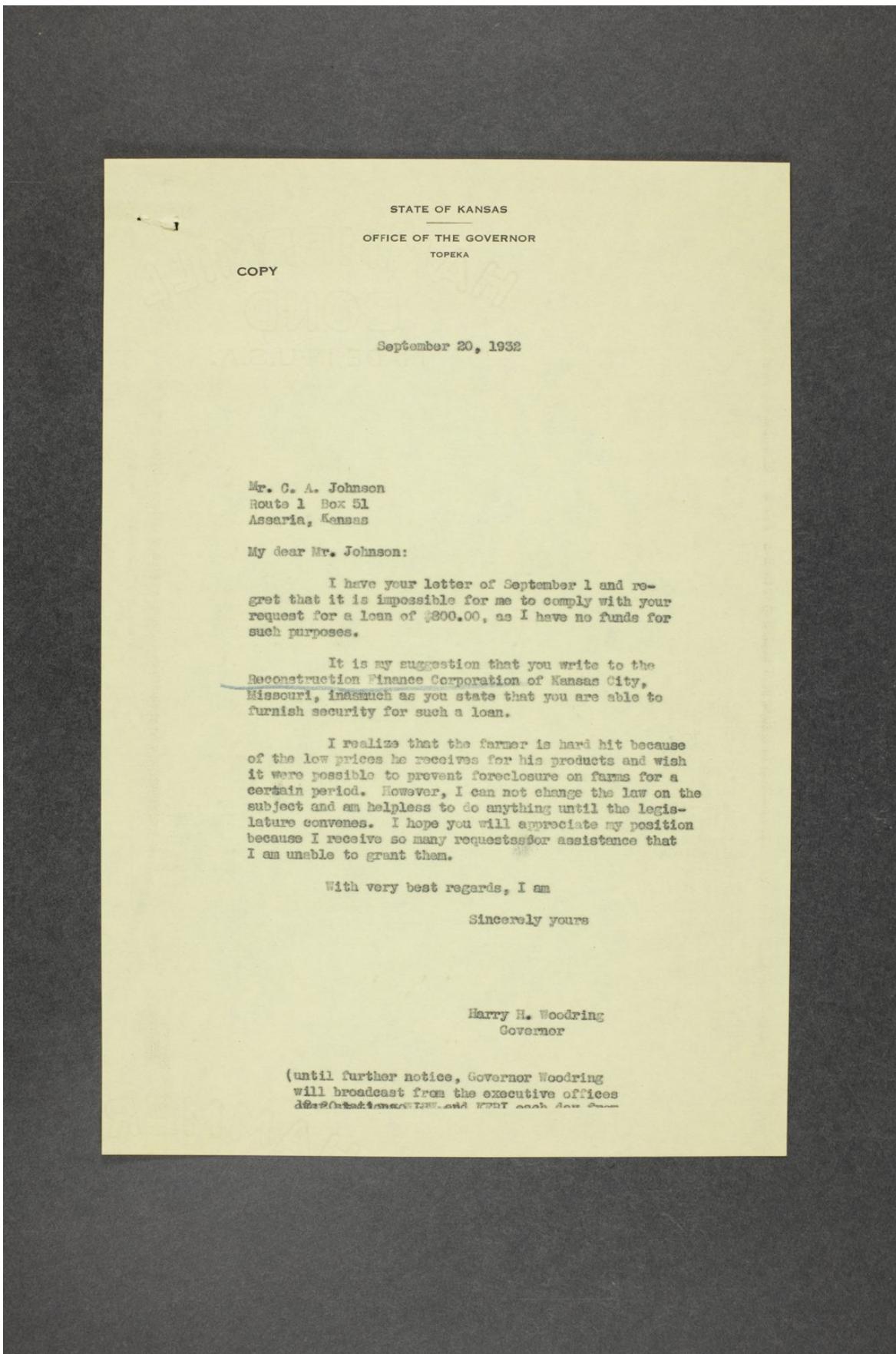
Garnett
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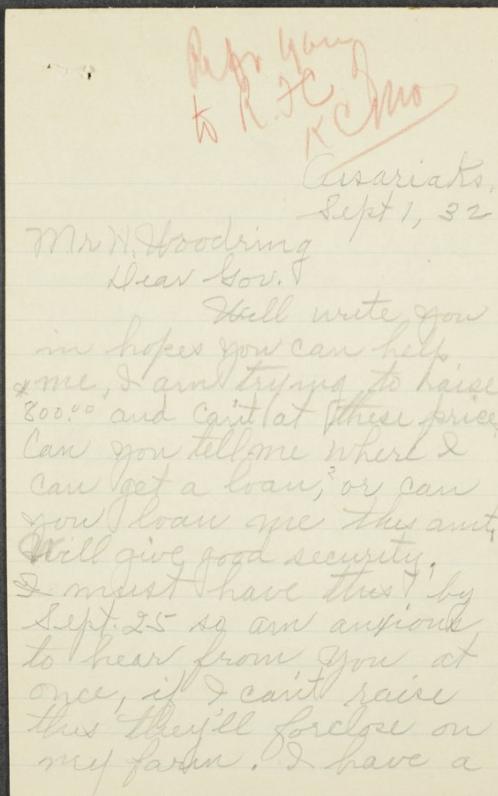
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outg. of \$5000 ^{to} run 6 years
etc, and will have to
raise \$1200 by Sept. 25-
and can't raise this
much. Can't you do
something for the
farmers so they can't
foreclose when it's not
their fault. I raised
1700 bu. wheat 200 bu.
Barley and ^{will} have 600 bu.
corn or more but what
can I get for it at these
rotten prices. Haven't
the farmer a friend
any more in office?
I am nearly frantic
to know which

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way to turn.
I have 20 large
Black walnut trees
worth \$1,000 but seems
they won't buy now,
wrote to several firms
Can you help me to
sell them? I'd like
to be able to help
my self, but fair
when we can't realize
a honest price for our
crops or livestock.
The farmer is the man
that feeds them all,
and why don't they
treat him that way.
You promised as

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much help for farmer
when you got in office
but now like the
rest I have forgotten
the old farmers.
My farm is located
10 1/2 miles south of Salina
on No. 4 highway and
I want to keep it
so please do some
thing for me.
If I can borrow
\$1000 for a few years
I'll pay so much on
principal every year
until out at 5 or 5 1/2%
it would be more
than a bank says.

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please let me hear
from you by return
mail.
Can't you help us?
yours truly
Mr C. A. Johnson
R.H.I. Assaria
Kans.
Box 51.

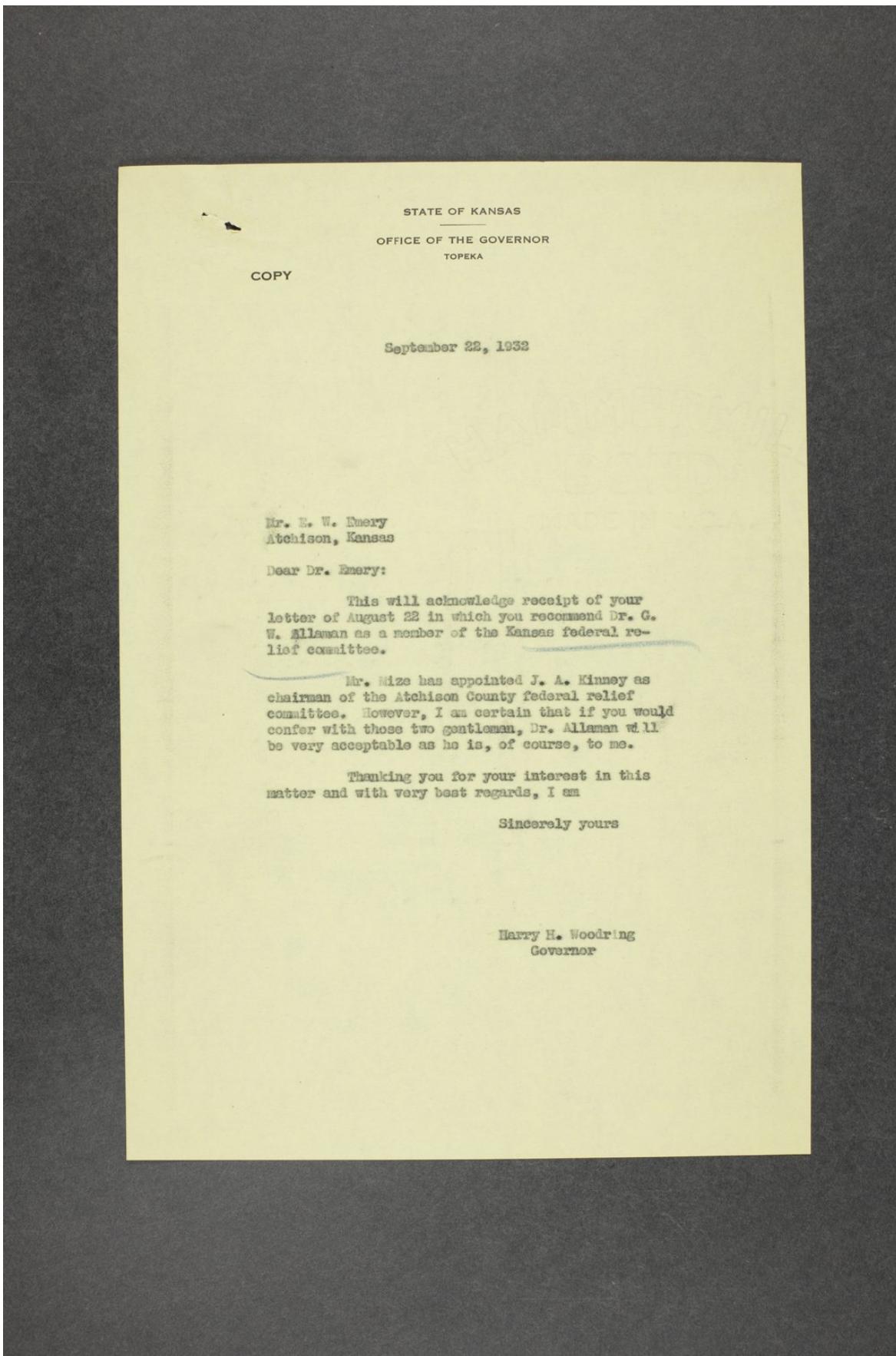
P.S. Please answer
this at once and
do it lay it aside
but first your self
in buy shoes and
see how you'd feel
thus place was my
parents homestead and
D bought it of the
estate 3 years ago.
Please help me.

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JOHN GLEESON

Assistant to Chairman
JOHN PERDUE

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DR. E. W. EMERY

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JOHN PERDUE
Secretary
JOHN GLANCY

ATCHISON, KANSAS
August 22, 1932

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East Second Ward
JOE BIRD
West Second Ward
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East Third Ward
DR. G. W. ALLAMAN
West Third Ward
JACK FLYNN, Jr.
Fourth Ward
B. HOLLAND
North Fourth Ward
MIKE JACKSON
South Fifth Ward
DR. E. W. EMERY
Harmony Garden
JOHN C. GLANCY
Pleasant Grove
JOHN L. GIBSON
Arrington
ALFRED KRAMER
Parnell
F. M. LINSCLIFF
Farmington
W. C. HAYES
Deer Creek
LLOYD TRIAL
Muscooth
JOHN REED
Effingham No. 1
ED. CORRIGAN
Effingham No. 2
B. P. GILL
Rock Valley
WARREN HUNDLEY
Oak Mills
N. W. ENZBRENNER
Eden
JOHN E. PERDUE
Huron
JOHN FERN
Kennekuk
C. E. CURRAN
Brush Creek
FRANK SHUMAKER
Summer
M. E. KELLY
Prairie View
FRANK CORDER
Lancaster
JOHN GLEESON
Johnson
J. H. TATE
Cummings
J. A. LANE
Palace
GEORGE COULTER
Potter
CHARLIE CUMMINGS
Locust Grove

Dear Governor:

When I saw you in Topeka some days ago, you asked me if I could recommend some one to be on the Kansas Federal Relief Committee.

I would like to recommend the name of Dr. G. W. Allaman, as he owns farms adjacent to No. 4. Has also been Councilman, Mayor, and is familiar with this County. In fact, when the first concrete was built out of Atchison on No. 4, he and Mr. B. P. Waggoner (deceased) was in the House and Senate and introduced the bill and had it passed. That has been years ago, the road is now worn out.

I believe he is as well posted in this proposition as anyone you could appoint.

Very truly yours,

E.W. Emery. *to me*

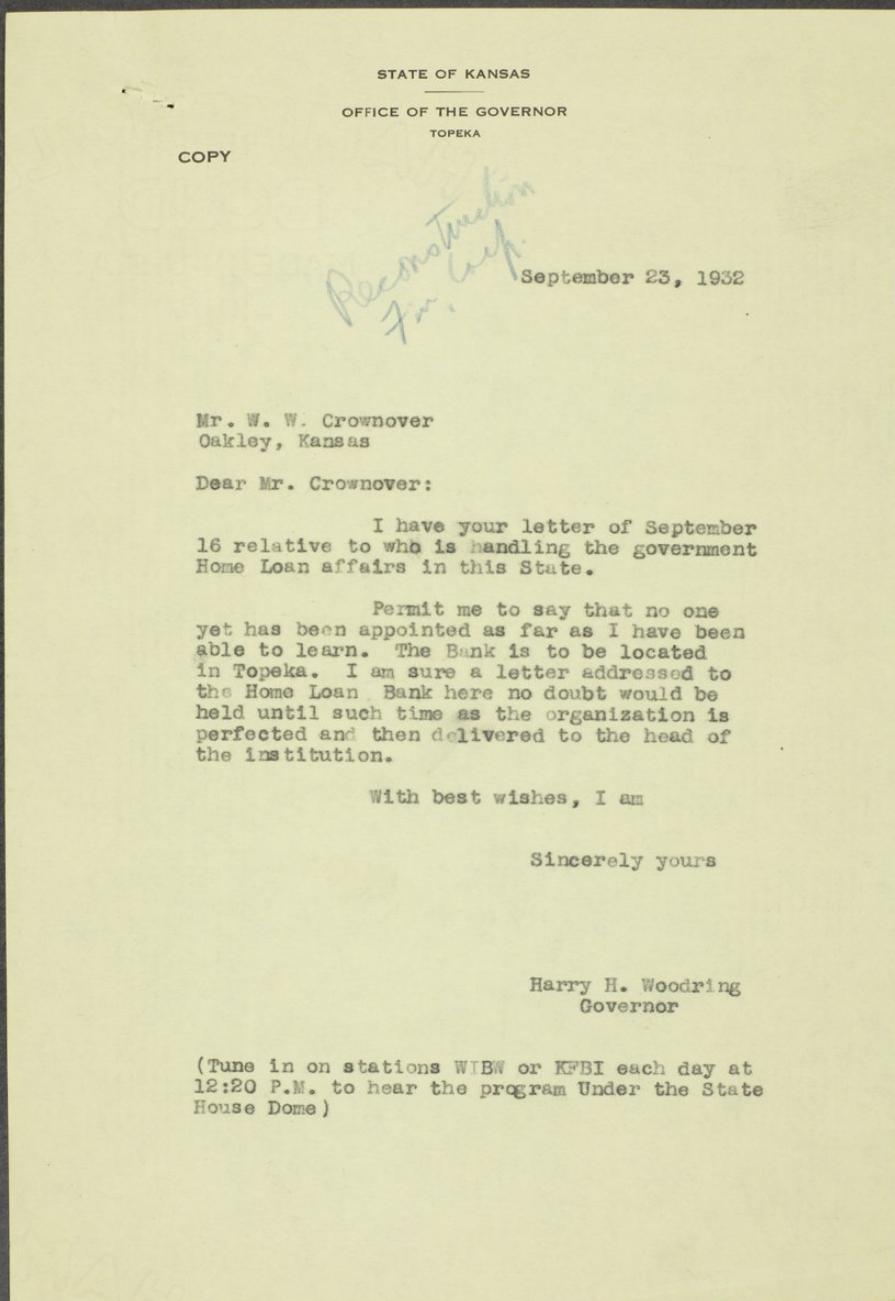
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Mr. W. W. Crownover
Oakley, Kansas

Dear Mr. Crownover:

I have your letter of September 16 relative to who is handling the government Home Loan affairs in this State.

Permit me to say that no one yet has been appointed as far as I have been able to learn. The Bank is to be located in Topeka. I am sure a letter addressed to the Home Loan Bank here no doubt would be held until such time as the organization is perfected and then delivered to the head of the institution.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours

Harry H. Woodring
Governor

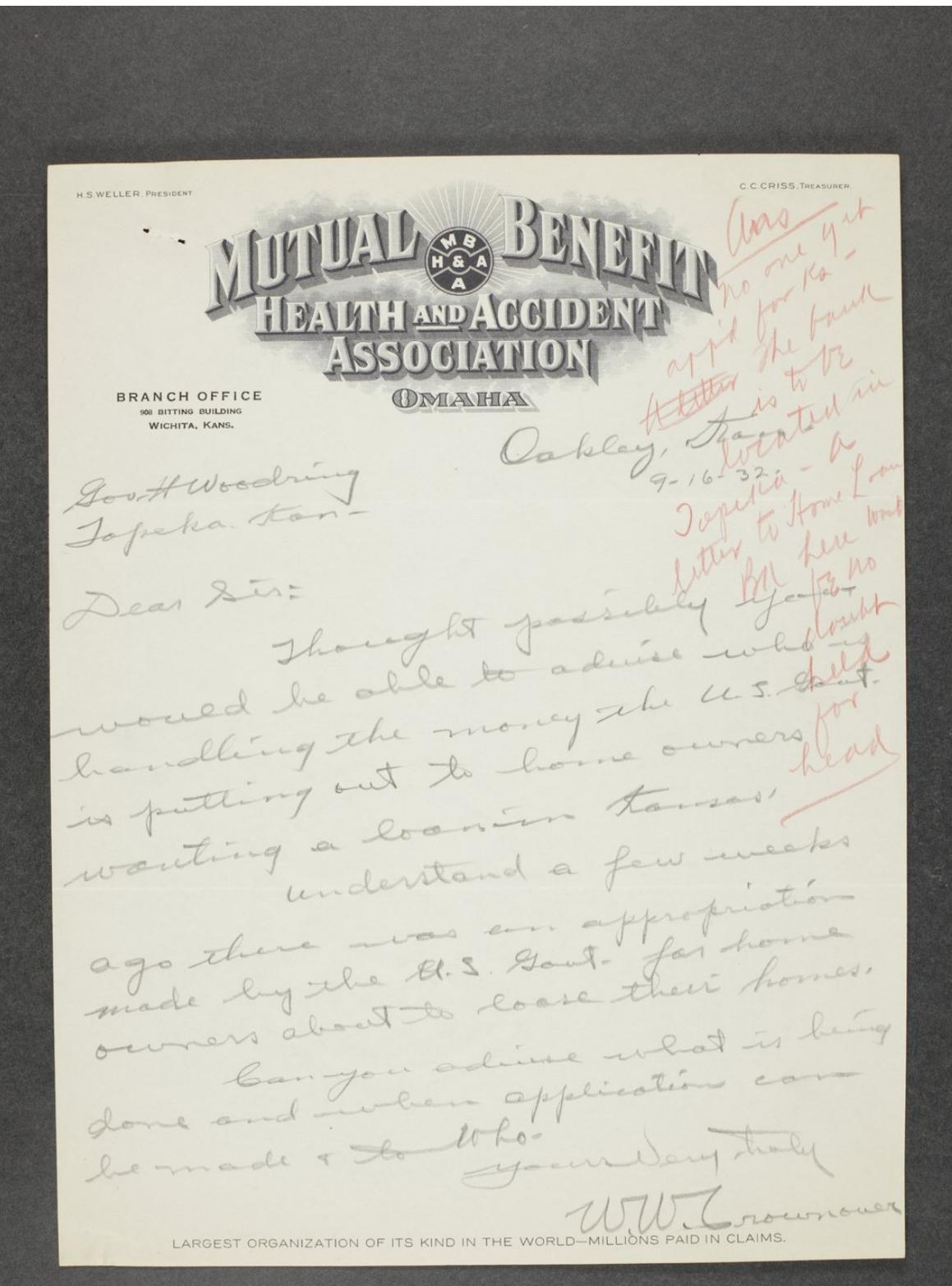
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STATE OF KANSAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
TOPEKA
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September 23, 1932

Dr. W. A. Brandenburg
Kansas State Teachers College
Pittsburg, Kansas

Dear Dr. Brandenburg:

I have your letter of September 16 which I have read with a great deal of interest. Our State Relief Committee should pass on your suggestion, but inasmuch as we are almost unanimous that our function is for temporary employment relief, I hardly believe we could get into the field of fitting citizens permanently for their life work.

Nevertheless, I shall be happy to call it to the attention of the committee at its next meeting. Just now we are preparing to go before the Reconstruction Finance Corporation with our claims for funds.

Thanking you for your suggestion,
I am

Sincerely yours

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Hon. Harry H. Woodring,
Governor, State of Kansas,
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Governor Woodring:

At a recent meeting of the National American Chemical Society in Denver, Colorado, there was much talk as to the wisdom of using a part of Federal relief fund for the assistance of young chemists who have recently completed work for their undergraduate, or even Master's degrees, and who are without employment, and unable to go forward with further educational equipment. It was the conclusion as reported to me, that it would be well to ask for Federal relief for such men - relief which would assist them perhaps in going forward in research work toward Doctor's degrees, or at least, further equipment for life's work - the thought being that out of such a program there might come a lot of valuable research; further that young men would be equipping themselves during a time of depression for usefulness when these times are removed. Dr. Lamb, President of the Society, and head of the department of Chemistry at Harvard, seems to look with great favor upon the idea.

We happen to have several men who have completed work for their Master's degrees, a few others who have completed work for their under-graduate degrees, but who have not means to go forward with further educational preparation in more advanced institutions. Twenty or twenty-five dollars a month given to a young man for one or two years might enable him to put in his time in a most profitable way to both himself and society.

I presume the matter has already been called to your attention, and that you have some helpful suggestions which you might make to us respecting the same.

Thanking you kindly for suggestions, and extending best wishes, I am

Cordially yours,

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