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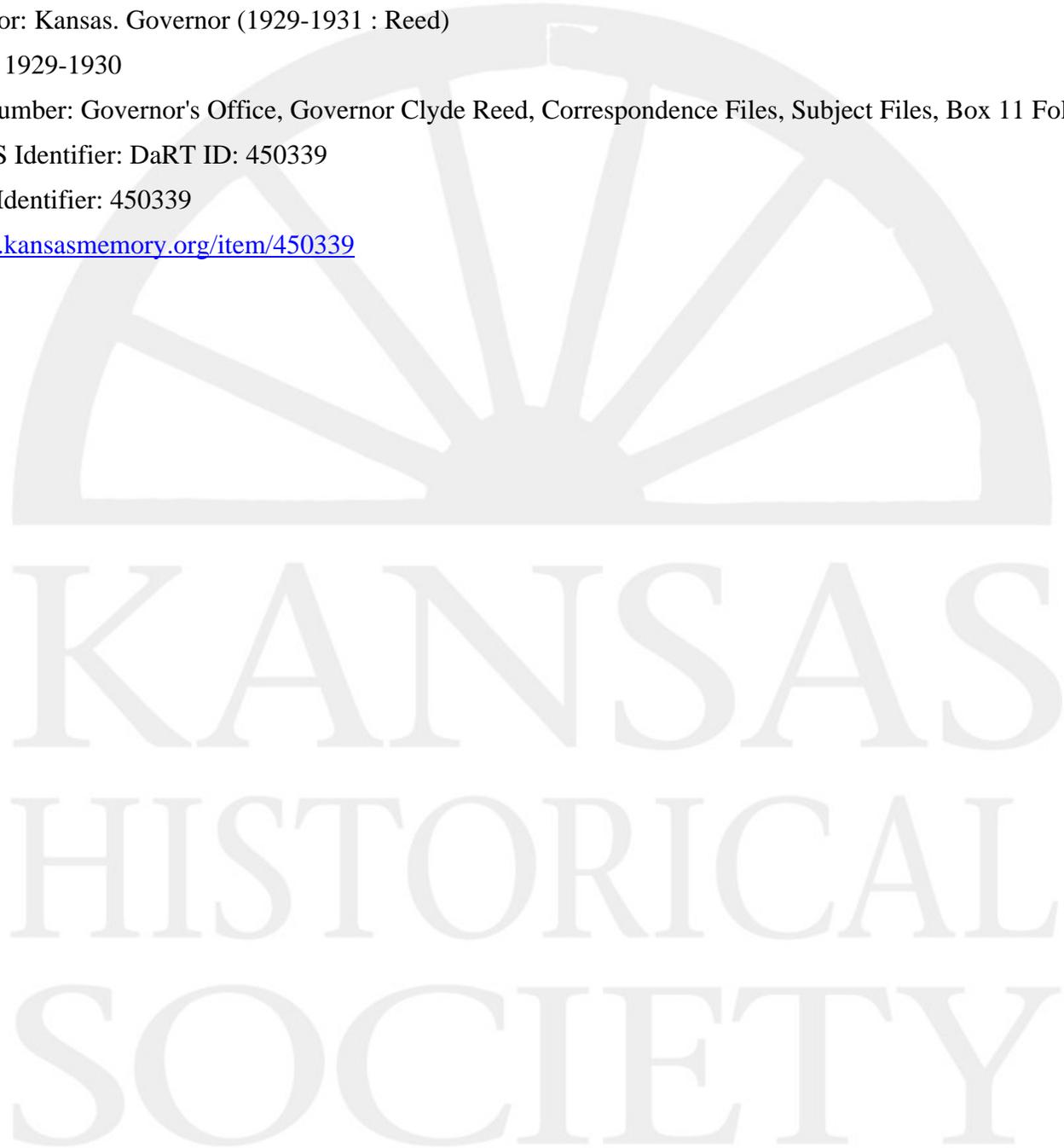
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Frank

Mr. Joseph Chandler
Waporia, Kansas

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of recent date in behalf of some old gentleman at the insane hospital at Topeka.

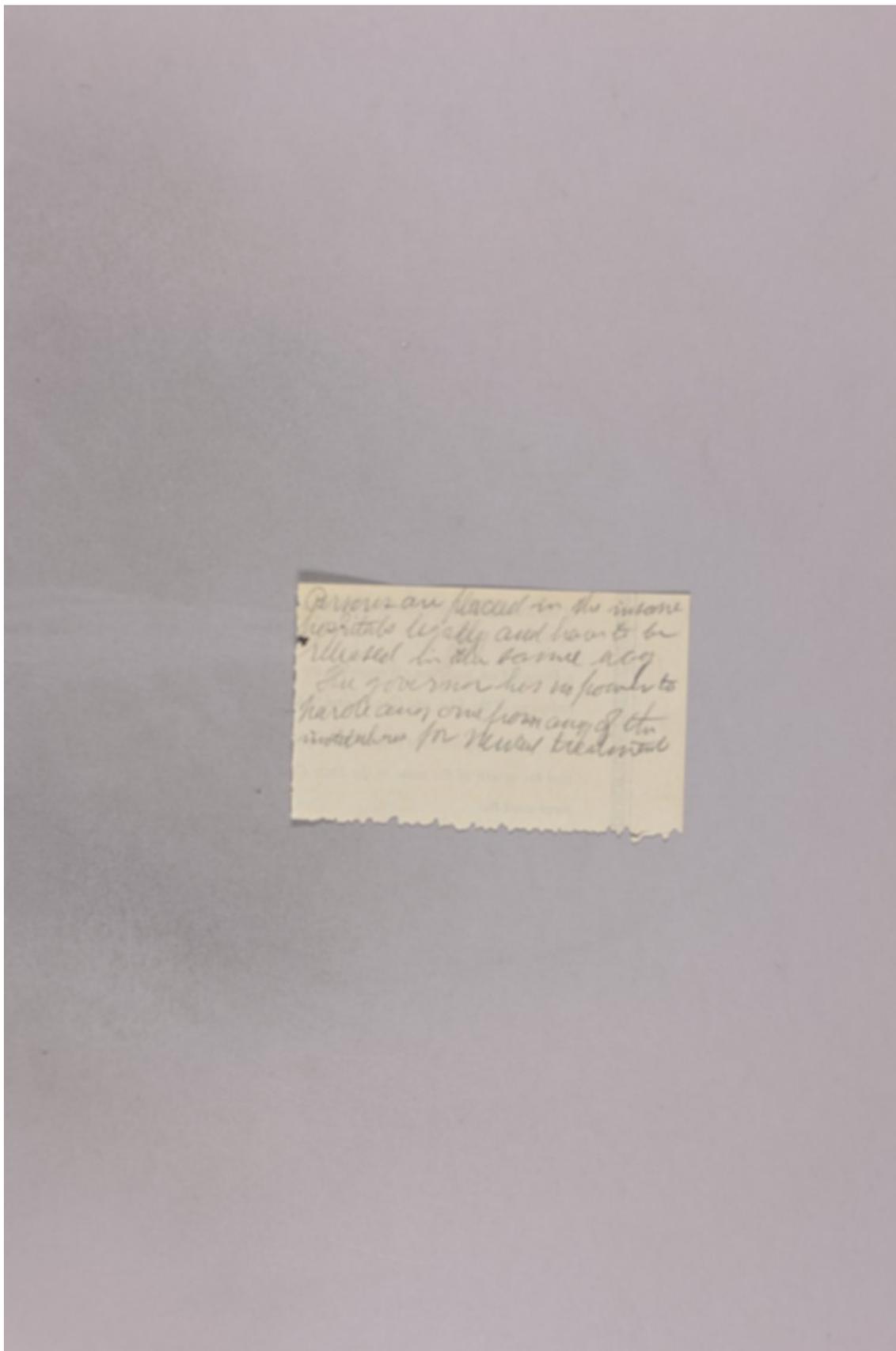
As you know, the Governor has nothing to do with getting people either in or out of the insane hospitals. That is a matter entirely in the hands of the doctors. The Governor could not parole this man from the hospital if he wanted to, any more than he could parole a prisoner from Hong Kong.

Very truly yours,

Parole Attorney

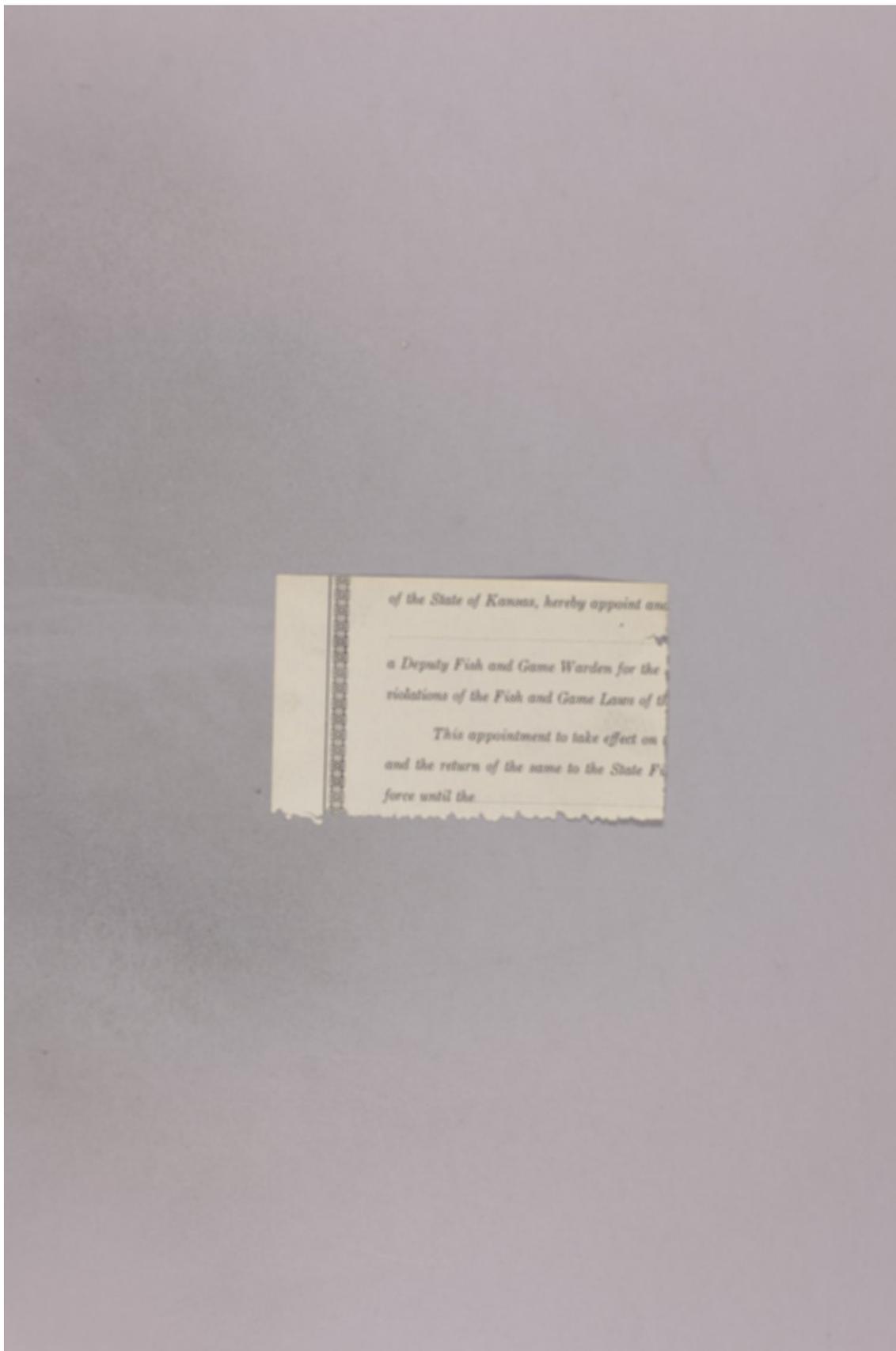
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Prisoners are placed in the insane
hospitals legally and have to be
released in the same way.
The governor has no power to
parole any one from any of the
institutions for mental treatment.

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Joseph C. Handley.
Emporia, Kan., 5/1/88
kind friendly
several weeks ago I
wrote to you asking
you to help me out
in looking after
an 8 1/2 year old man
whos name was
given to me to be
Benjamin C. C. C.
he layed in a pitiful
report to me about
how unfair he had
ben treated. & I am
in for fair treatment
& you ought to be
& I didnt know
any better than to
believe you ad.

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I asked you to learn
from Benjamin
Booper what the name
of the regiment that
he belonged to while
in the Army. & the
name of his Captain
& his General. & what
state he served in.
I expected you would
be willing to do this
much for a man who
had served 4 years
in helping to save
our country from being
split in two from
East to West.
Those nice pension
men are looking for
me to pay out. & you ought
to be willing to help to.

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9) Bengumen Cooper
was in the same
hell that I was in
for near 7 months
suffering under
hell & devils. that
seemed to be boiling
both mardges on my
life. all efforts
to close my life
was a failure.
to keep me sobered
of my medison
was on. steam
they both worked
on one attempt
after another was
pressed on me
to expose me in the
wind to try to force

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a relapse on me so
as they could spare
my life. but I
kept breathing from
under my cloths.
so I could breath way
air. the warden
was bitterley opposed
to me, protesting
my health, when
he was planing
a happy relaps.
I believe he was
planing to force
me to take a relaps
then he would pretend
to give me medison
& it no dout would
be stricknine. I believe
other men went that
way. I think thats a skam

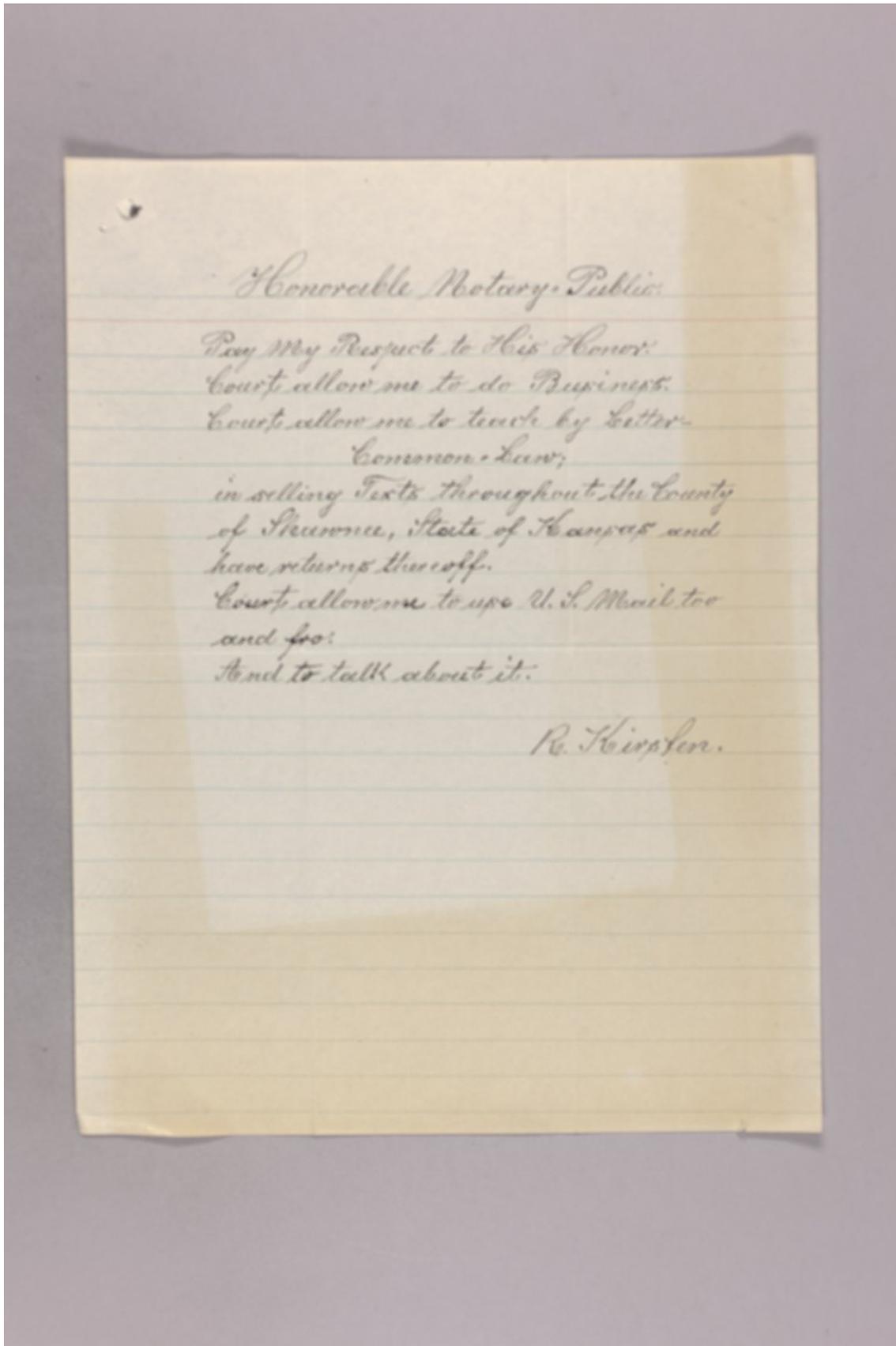
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③ To Clyde they mean
men still have
my 2 packages of
Medison I get that
they stole mess the
last of April. one
was an express package
& the other a mail pt.
both were in bottles.
It would pay for them
both. Seamy ordered
them stolen. If that mean
worn on 4th done the
stealing. & it suited
him safull well.
he just loves such
a work. & to kick the
poor helpless men
is a proctus that
he loves to do. the men
needs thick pads on.

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its likley Peary has
told of by 1st W. lies
on afe. the medison
stealing can be
proven by my Brother
& the young P. 2.
that I gopt threw 1st
several times a week.
Call him up & ask
him to tell what
he knows about
medison robbing
from Chandler on
1st ward. If he will
tell the truth he can
tell of several robberies
comitted by the 1st
ward. I think
its some they are
sending it back.
they sent back 2 pkts.

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A. Text.

Honorable Court,

Pay My Respect to His Honor.

Court, allow me to do Business.

Court, allow me the Same as Before.

Court, allow me to Eat;

to enjoy to eat

Light Bread;

a piece to each Meal - three times a

Day - all the Days of My Life;

to allow me to slice it - to lay it on a
plate and so serve it;

to allow me a Knife to cut it with;

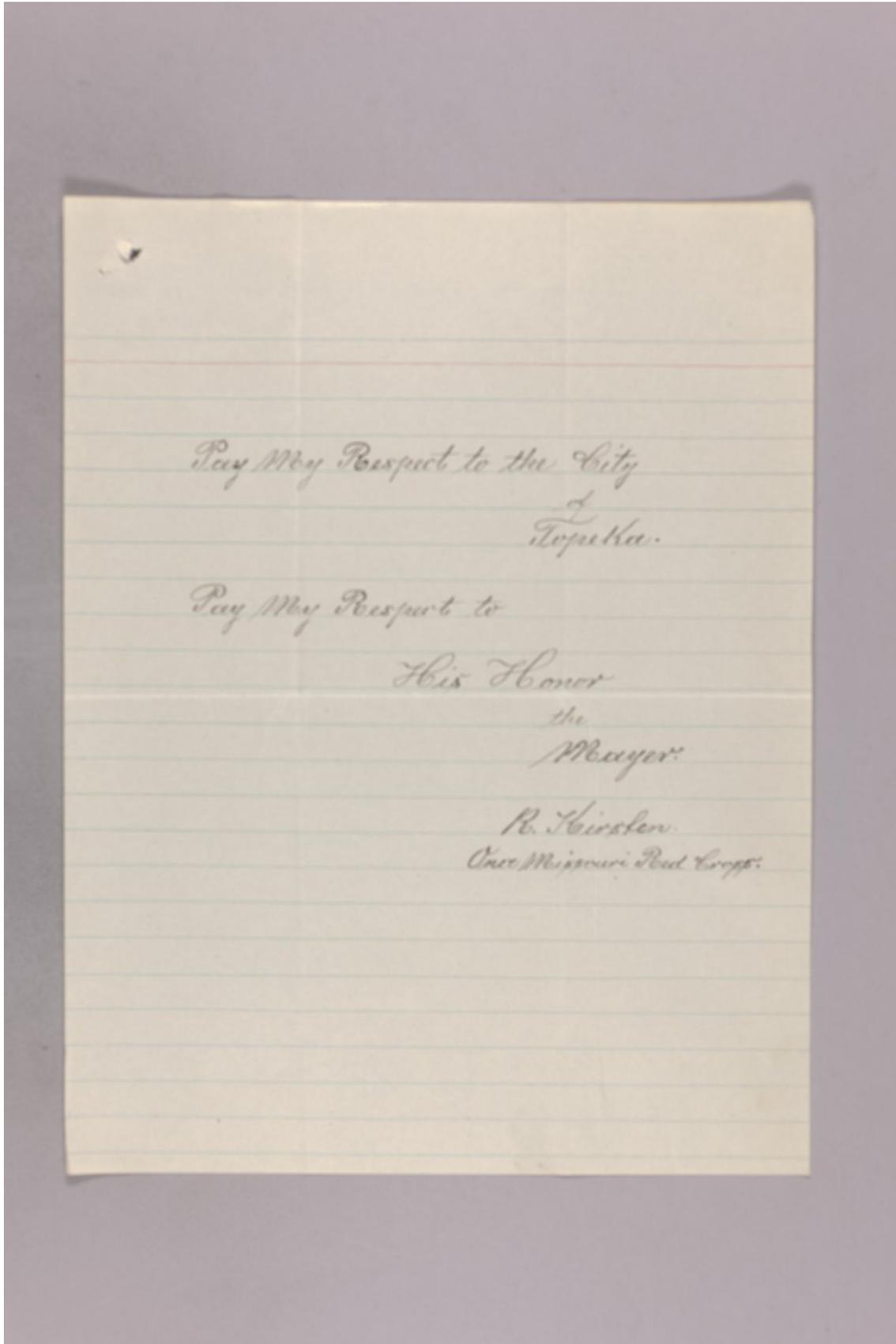
to allow me a plate to serve it with.

Court, allow My Wife and My Children
the Same.

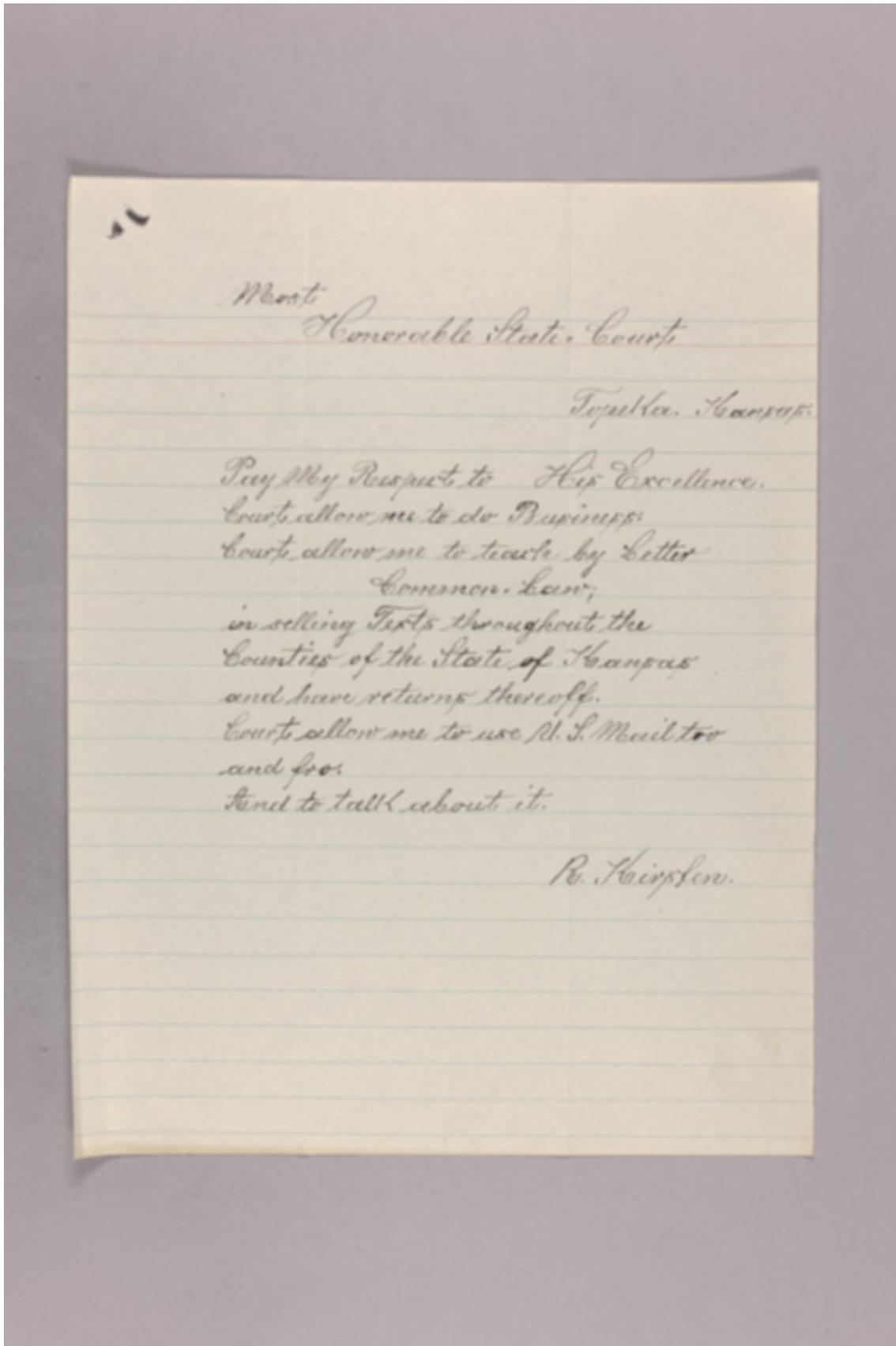
Send to talk about it.

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R. J. ext.

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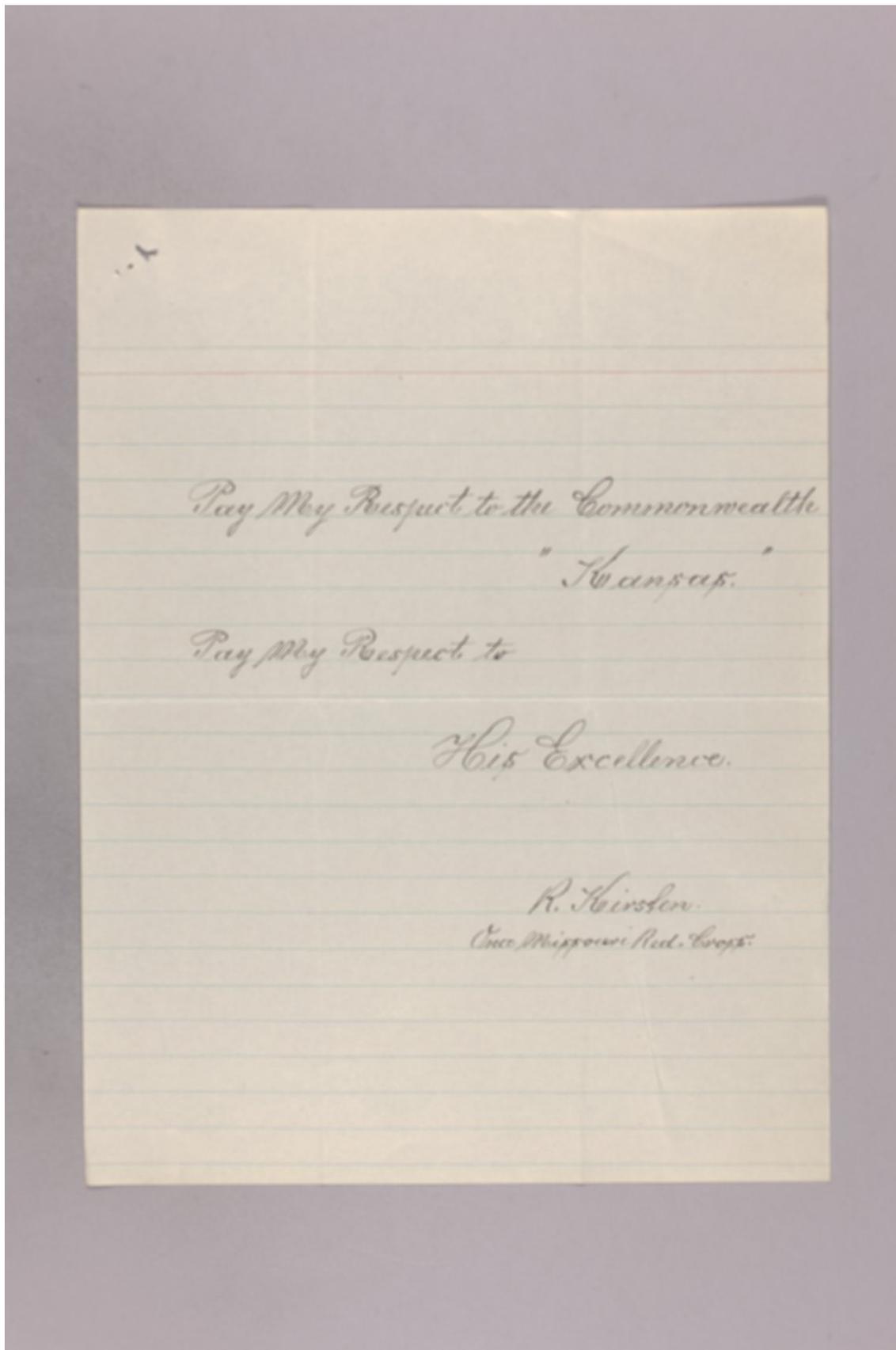
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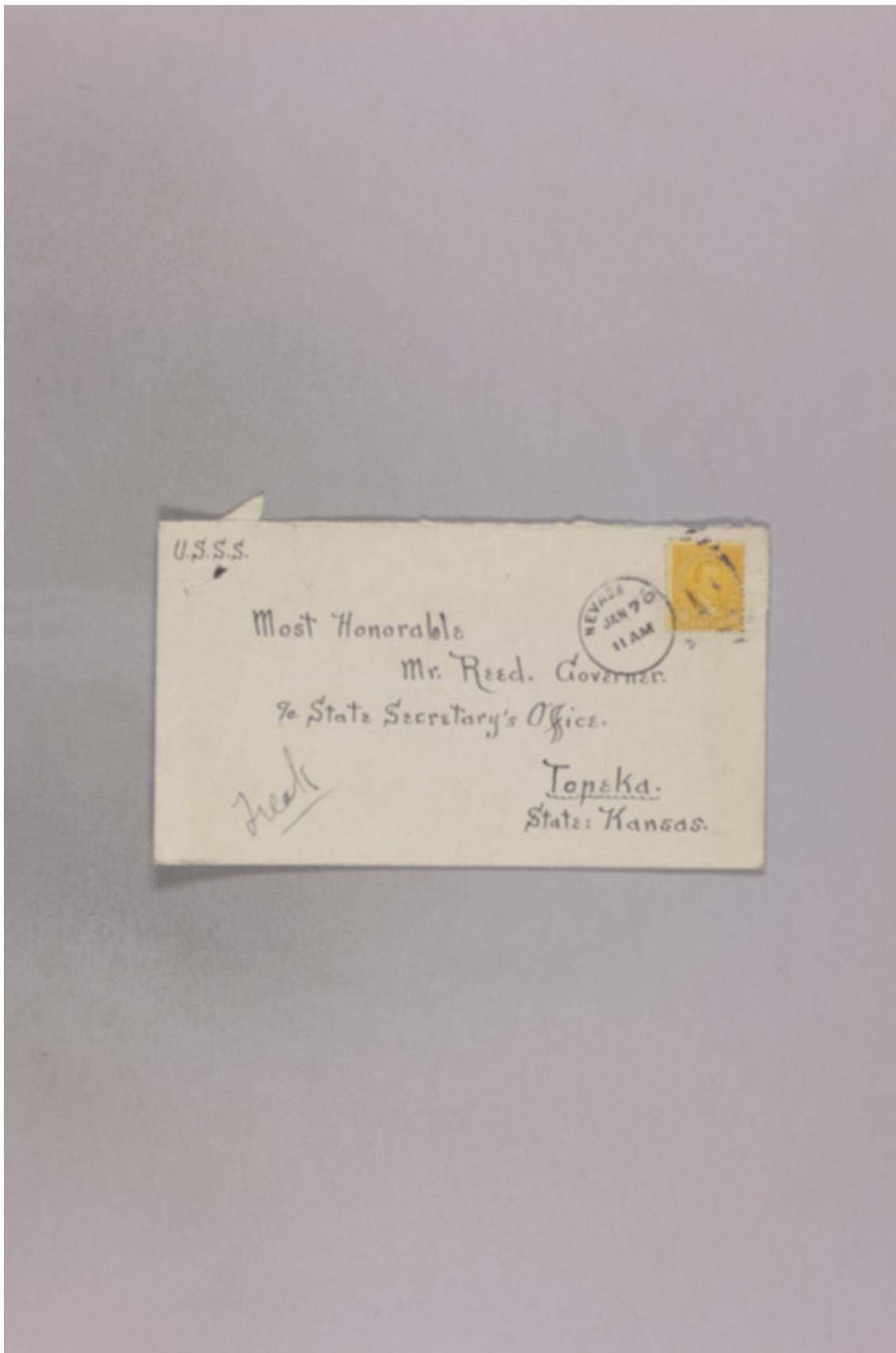
And to talk about it.

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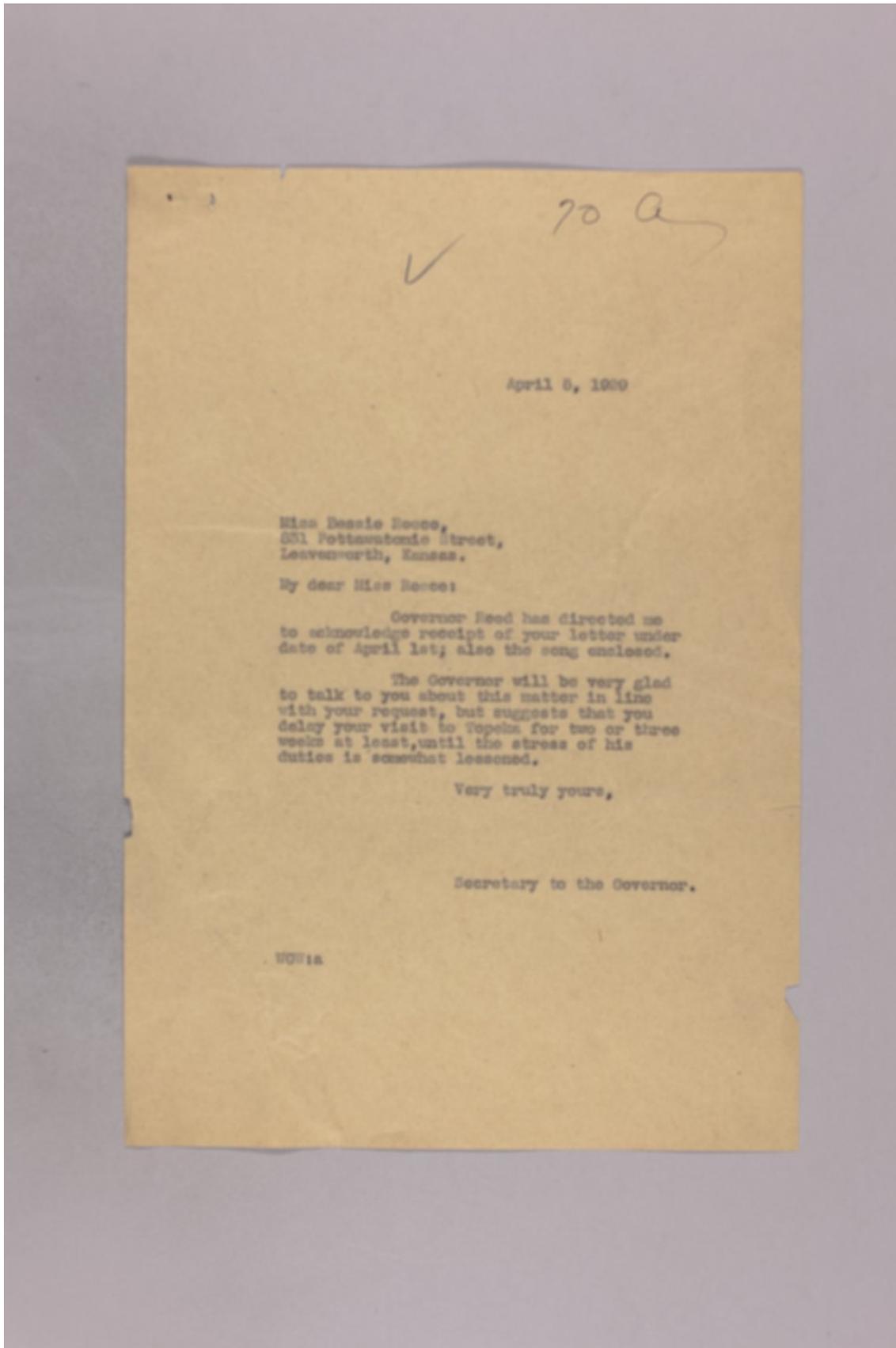
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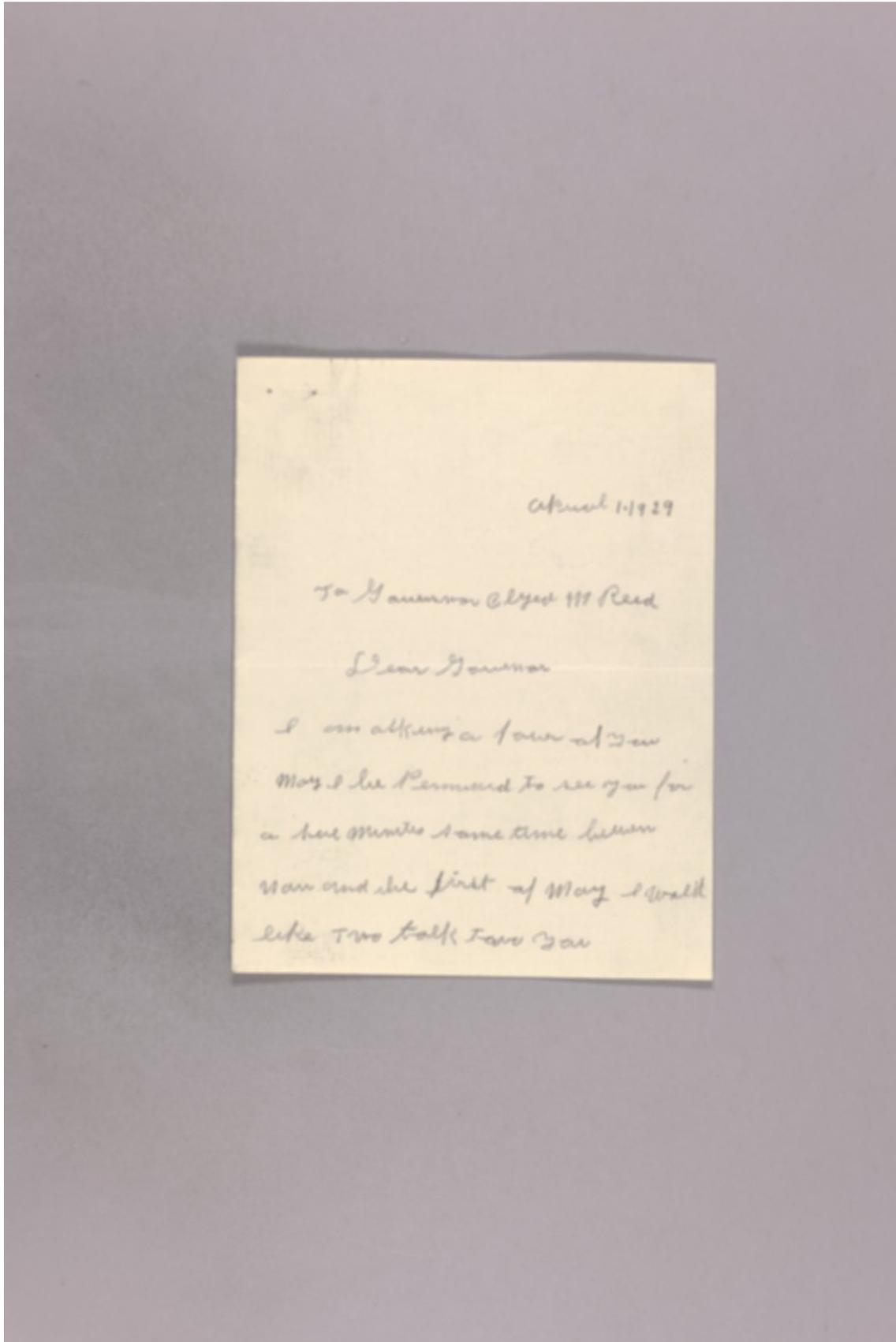
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Atwood 1-19-29

To Governor Clyde M. Reed

Dear Governor

I am asking a favor of you
May I be permitted to see you for
a few minutes some time between
now and the first of May I would
like to talk to you

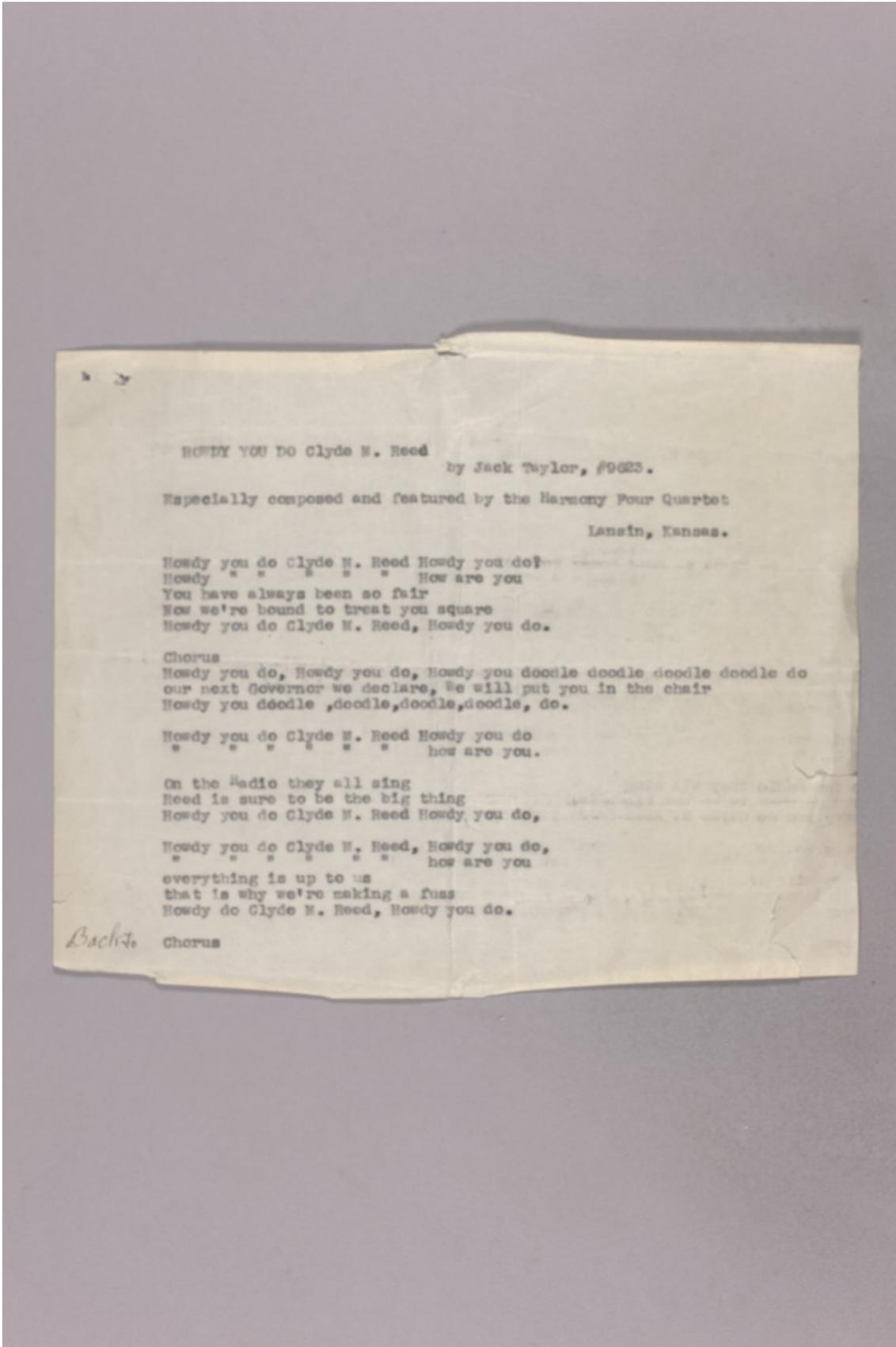
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Concerning the found man shot
can please inform any individual
Hartig & Co You Clyde M Reed
If you will send my request
I will be very grateful

To a Honorable

Garrison Reed
I am Bessie Reese
831 Parrottville St
Lawrence, Mo. Kas

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HOWDY YOU DO Clyde M. Reed
by Jack Taylor, #9023.

Especially composed and featured by the Harmony Four Quartet
Lansin, Kansas.

Howdy you do Clyde M. Reed Howdy you do?
Howdy " " " " " " How are you
You have always been so fair
Now we're bound to treat you square
Howdy you do Clyde M. Reed, Howdy you do.

Chorus
Howdy you do, Howdy you do, Howdy you doodle doodle doodle doodle do
our next Governor we declare, We will put you in the chair
Howdy you doodle ,doodle,doodle,doodle, do.

Howdy you do Clyde M. Reed Howdy you do
" " " " " " how are you.

On the Radio they all sing
Reed is sure to be the big thing
Howdy you do Clyde M. Reed Howdy you do,

Howdy you do Clyde M. Reed, Howdy you do,
" " " " " " how are you
everything is up to us
that is why we're making a fuss
Howdy do Clyde M. Reed, Howdy you do.

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