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Governor Harry H. Woodring, Statehouse, Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Governor:

Mr. King tells me that he had quite a talk to you about the Committee at Western University. I am rather anxious about this matter in as much as it will either help or hurt.

I think your suggestion of Horsey Green, as chairman is O.K., and I think the suggestion of the Bishop on the Committee is good; and that both of these appointments should be made.

You will remember that you ask me to have Rev. J. R. Ranson call upon you. I have a note from him which says he has called several times but has not been fortunate to call when you were in. He advises me that he has been invited to see the three Republican candidates but has stayed clear of them, and has not given them any promises.

I would suggest that when this Committee is named, that you put Dr. Ranson on the Committee, with Dorsey Green; and with the Bishop, I am certain it will be well worth while, for the reason that he has always been in connection with the School. He has been on the Board from the beginning.

As I told you by 'phone, there is a definite cleavage on Denominational lines. The Methodists have always hacked this school here, and of course still maintain their interests in it.

The Baptists, in spite of the fact that the State runs a School at Topeka, still claimed that as their school; and there is much of jealousy between the two groups. So there should be a fairly good representation of Baptist people on this Committee. The name of Reverend Boren of this city has been suggested as one representing the Baptists, it has been said to me that he is good, level-headed fellow; and would be clean and above board.

The some have suggested Representative Blount, though I don't know whether that would be wise or not, in as much as Horsey Green is running against him for the Legislature next Spring.

I called upon you Friday to talk these matters over thoroughly and some other things, but probably to your good fortune you were out of town.

I don't want to bother you by talking to you too much, but if I do have a little job I want to try to do it as it as it should be done.

There is quite a trend here against you in labor circles. I understand that the sale has been set to endorse Brinkley for Governor in the Federation of Labor. It meets in Arkansas, I think in May. Of course I have nothing about this excepting what I get by "hearsay". I don't know whether there is anything can be done to iron it out or not, but in any event, the Federation of Labor is non-partisan; and they put Republicans as well as Democrats on their black-list.

And there is that trend against you in the beginning of operations here which would affect some 60,000 laboring men in Kansas. Of course they can't all be turned but enough might be turned to stem the time; be it understood however, I have no remedy to offer, I am simply calling it to your attention.

I am wondering if you are encouraging any candidate for Congress from this District. A good strong candidate from this county would stand a good show of being elected.

As I said before, I don't want to burden you with my communications nor to try to think that

the little corner I am trying to fill, is very much; yet it has its effect; and I am only calling your attention to these things.

With best regards, I am wishing you the best of luck,

Most respectfully yours,

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