Clarke, John R. Papers, 1926–1932. .10 foot.
Politician. Correspondence (1926) to Clarke from Henry S. Johnston and others concerning political issues and Clarke’s campaign for the 1926 gubernatorial election in Oklahoma; pamphlets (1926) from Clarke’s campaign, and Henry S. Johnston’s platform for the same race; and an article (1926) from the Muskogee Daily Phoenix, giving the election results by county. The collection also includes a letter (1932) to Clarke from Franklin D. Roosevelt concerning Clarke’s platform.

Box 1
Item:

1. Letter to Mr. Clarke from Franklin D. Roosevelt, on the official stationery of the governor of New York, June 15, 1932.

2. John R. Clarke campaign (for governor) materials, 1926.


4. Letter to Mr. Clarke from Harry S. Johnston, apparently after the Democratic primaries, August 14, 1926.

5. Letters of support for Mr. Clarke in his campaign for governor, 1926.


7. Letter from Evelyn Bomar concerning prospects of employment, March 20, 1926. Glued to the last page of Ms. Bomar's letter is a letter from the League of Young Democrats, acknowledging the receipt of Clarke's campaign platform, March 8, 1926.

8. Letter from George D. Key, Chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee of Oklahoma, August 10, 1926.

9. Letter from John A. Simpson, President of the Farmers' Educational and Cooperative Union, asking Clarke's position on compulsory military training in agricultural colleges, June 15, 1926. Attached to the back of this letter is another letter thanking Clarke for his reply, June 22, 1926.

10. Letter from R.P. Draper endorsing Clarke's campaign platform, February 26, 1926.
11. Letter from the Democratic State Central Committee advising Mr. Clarke of the change in meeting dates due to a snowstorm, March 31, 1926.

12. Campaign letter to Mr. Clarke, July 24, 1926.

13. Letter of support from Elmer Thomas, U.S. Representative from Oklahoma, June 22, 1926.

14. Letter from Ray O. Weems concerning the present situation of the state, March 26, 1926.

15. Letter of support from A.L. Burns, April 1, 1926.

16. Sample ballot from the primary and a letter of support from Reverend Forney Hutchinson, July 29, 1926. Glued to the back is a clipping from the Muskogee Daily Phoenix of first returns for governor by county, and an unidentified newspaper clipping briefly summarizing the results of the primary, August 4, 1926.