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The Colorado Bar Association

January 18, 1933.

Governor Edwin C. Johnson,
State House,
Denver, Colorado.

Dear Governor Johnson:

In accordance with your request I appointed a Committee to consider the question of the abolishment of County Courts. The report of that Committee, prepared by a sub-committee is enclosed herewith.

You recall that when we conferred with you an explanation was made regarding the difficulties encountered in attempting to change one branch of the judiciary without a complete revision of the whole system.

It appears to the Committee that a Legislative Commission should be created to study the subject thoroly and submit a plan to the next legislature. In accordance with this recommendation I have caused a heading for a bill to be introduced providing for the appointment of such a commission. With your approval this bill will be prepared and an attempt made to have it passed.

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I am advised that such a Commission could be created by joint resolution. The Commission of course would work without compensation altho it should have a small allowance for secretarial work. My own opinion is that this Commission should consist of a Supreme Court Judge, a District Court Judge, a County Judge, several members of the legislature and some representatives of The Colorado Bar Association.

May I assure you that The Colorado Bar Association would be pleased to cooperate in this work in which it is deeply interested, and to which it has given much attention.

I would be pleased to discuss the matter more fully with you at your convenience.

Respectfully yours,

Emitt L. Roads

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