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APPENDIXES

I

Individual Leaders and a Selective List of Sources for Biographical Statistics*


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II

Composite Comparison of the Major Kansas Populist Leadership for the Years 1890 and 1896*

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<tr>
<th>Year</th>
<th>Median Age</th>
<th>Year to Kansas</th>
<th>Native States</th>
<th>Non-farmers</th>
<th>Farmers and/or stock raisers, or associated with farming in some capacity</th>
<th>Former Third-Party Men</th>
<th>Former Democrats</th>
<th>Former Republicans</th>
<th>College Graduates</th>
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<td>1890</td>
<td>46</td>
<td>1870</td>
<td>Ohio, New York, Pennsylvania, and Virginia most common</td>
<td>65%</td>
<td>35% Farmers and/or stock raisers, or associated with farming in some capacity</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>20</td>
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<tr>
<td>1896</td>
<td>47</td>
<td>1871</td>
<td>Same breakdown here</td>
<td>71%</td>
<td>29% Farmers and/or stock raisers, or associated with farming in some capacity</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>2</td>
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III

Members of the 1893 House for Whom Information Was Obtained by Individual Reference and the Sources of that Information†


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† The K.S.H.S. Library also contains a collection, in four volumes, of press
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Clippings relating to the 1893 house; volume three of these has an unidentified newspaper clipping which provides a sketchy and insufficient account of the background of the Republican house members.
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### IV

Composite Comparison of the Kansas Legislatures of 1891, 1893, 1895, 1897, and 1899*  

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<th>Legislative Body</th>
<th>Median Age</th>
<th>Occupation</th>
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