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had to study ways of increasing court output. Pre-trial procedure grew up with its attendant benefits, particularly in trying cases on the real issues. Calendars were cut down and delays reduced. Laymen and litigants who knew about this approved it and had more confidence in the courts. Federal judges strove to get court reporters for federal courts. Now there can be a record in every federal court. This has had a wholesome effect on litigants knowing of it. There has been a drive to improve traffic courts during the last five years.

In the federal courts we have made studies in the matter of youth offenders. We are driving with all might and main to bring about judicial improvement. Judges are working with lawyers. We are one step short. The layman is the central figure of the drama. It is of utmost importance that laymen be brought into our conferences. Laymen don't know about these improvements. They can't see them like they can see physical improvements. Laymen must be brought into the picture so they will know. During the last ten years we have made the greatest improvements since the country began. We should use the skills of the laymen. Why shouldn't the laymen have comfortable quarters to expedite business while waiting long hours during trials? Can't we bring in successful business men who have adopted successful business methods. When we get the layman's viewpoint we will gain respect for the courts as never before.

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The following persons were admitted to membership in the Denver Bar Association at the November 15, 1946, meeting:

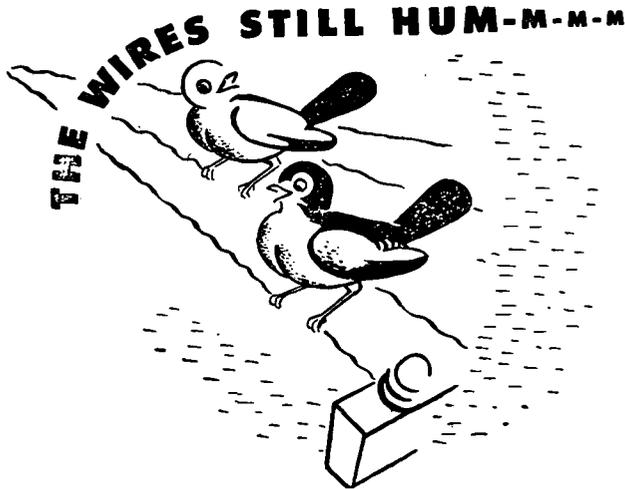
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Correction

DICTA recently stated that Joseph W. Hawley, Jr., was an assistant Attorney General of Colorado, working with the P.U.C. This is not correct. Mr. Hawley, Jr., is on the faculty of the school of law of the University of Colorado. His father, Joseph W. Hawley, who has practised law in Trinidad for a number of years, is the new Assistant Attorney General.

Our Returning Lawyer-Veterans

LENNART T. ERICKSON, 1st Lt., signal corps, served from June 1943 to Sept. 1946. He spent two years in Philadelphia and in Syracuse, N.Y., as Chief Negotiator and Property Disposal Officer, settling terminated signal corps contracts and disposing of surplus property. He has returned to practice in his former partnership of Perry and Erickson, with offices at 1513 Tremont Place, Denver.



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