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Your membership committee submits the following report of its activities for the past year. The committee in the earlier part of the past year held meetings each week and later continued to hold meetings not less than once a month. The majority of said meetings were attended by the President and Albert J. Gould, Jr., Secretary-Treasurer.

At these meetings the committee worked out new plans to secure applicants properly qualified for membership in the Association.

The applications of attorneys who were duly elected to membership in the association are herewith listed.

On September 18, 1928; Gentry Norton Bircher, Samuel H. Crosby, Keith M. Ferguson, Mahlon L. Harker, Gilbert L. McDonough, Jackson M. Seawell.

On October 8, 1928; William R. Means, John G. Reid, James W. Creamer.

On November 5, 1928; S. L. Anrud, Karl C. Brauns, W. Carrol Baker, Joseph P. Constantine, Elizabeth Gertsen, Sidney R. Hahn, Andrew H. Hitchcock, John M. Keating, George L. Longfellow Jr., John R. Turnquist.

On January 14, 1929; Lowell D. Hunt, Sam R. Owens, Hazel M. Castello, Phillip Rossman.

On February 11, 1929; Ralph J. Cummings, Mrs. Mary Seach, George W. Humphrey, Roderic J. Bosworth.

On March 4, 1929; Moreland M. Humphreys, John F. Healy Jr., John L. J. Hart, W. David McCain, Edwin I. Greenfell.

On April 15, 1929; Milton J. Blake, Robert Munson Dulin, John L. Griffith, John L. Moffett, Ronald V. Yegge, Anthony F. Zarlengo, H. A. Hicks Jr.

The unusual number of new members may be attributed to the persistent efforts of the committee and the cooperation of the officers and members of the association.

Your committee has compiled a record of the attorneys in Denver whom they consider properly qualified for membership in the Denver Bar Association, together with a list of attorneys to be investigated by the membership committee before being placed upon the list of those they consider prop-

erly qualified. Time is not available to complete the investigation so commenced by your committee but we feel that these records will be of good service to our successors.

Respectfully submitted,

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 MAHLON L. HARKER  
 JAMES R. HOFFMAN  
 FRED Y. HOLLAND  
 ROYAL R. IRWIN  
 RODERICK JOHNSTON  
 EDGAR MCCOMB

*April 22, 1929.*

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#### REPORT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

The Legislative Committee of the Denver Bar Association respectfully submits the following report:

During the three months prior to the convening of the legislature, weekly meetings of the Committee were held, the majority of which were attended by the President of the Association and many of them also attended by the Chairman of the Session Laws Committee of the Colorado Bar Association. A number of subjects more or less fitting for legislative consideration if not action, were discussed. But final action of the Committee narrowed to three concrete recommendations—largely outlined by our predecessor committee of the year 1927-1928.

1. *With reference to the more speedy and adequate publication of Session Laws.* Mr. Edward C. King drafted a bill to provide for earlier printing and distribution, and providing for a greater number of copies which at succeeding and successive meetings of the Committee was redrafted repeatedly until the last day for introducing bills in the legislature. A personal representative of the Secretary of State attended one of the meetings of the Committee. Mr. Arthur Morrison also attended, and made certain helpful suggestions. As a result, several of the 1929 Session laws have been set up in type before the adjournment of the legislature and we are promised an early distribution in final form, considerably ahead of pre-