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Report of Committee on Professional Ethics

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of annotating another restatement. If any member of the Association knows of anyone who might be able and willing to undertake this work of annotation, the Committee will be glad to have this information.

3. Your Committee has called to the attention of the Legislative Committee and the Criminal Justice Committee of the Association the fact that the Code of Criminal Procedure, being prepared by the American Law Institute, may be of assistance to such committees in their work.

Respectfully submitted,

W. W. GRANT, JR.

ROBERT L. STEARNS

STEPHEN R. CURTIS, *Chairman*

April 5, 1929.

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LAWS CONCERNING WOMEN AND CHILDREN

The activities of the Committee on Laws Concerning Women and Children have been largely limited to a careful survey of existing laws. The Judge of the Juvenile Court is a member of the Committee, and after several conferences with him, and with his concurrence, it was agreed that no radical changes be suggested at this legislative session. The most urgent need for amendment is in the law concerning the adoption of children, and the law concerning dependency.

MARY F. LATHROP, *Chairman*

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONAL ETHICS

The Committee reports that since its appointment there has been no question submitted for its opinion with the exception of one recently received. This will be considered at an early date and the result returned in the usual manner.

The death during the year of Mr. Charles R. Brock has taken from us a member who as man, lawyer, citizen, needs no eulogy. It is a fitting opportunity, however, for us individually and collectively to express our high regard for the

associate and personal friend who now lives for us only in memory.

JOHN H. DENISON
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 EDWARD D. UPHAM, *Chairman*

April 27, 1929.

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REPORT OF GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE

The Grievance Committee has disposed of all matters submitted. The majority of complaints have been settled after conference with the attorney and the complainant. Six cases have been referred to the Committee on Grievances of the Colorado Bar Association with recommendation that action be taken.

Respectfully,
 ERNEST L. RHOADS, *Chairman*

April 23, 1929.

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REPORT OF LEGAL AID COMMITTEE

The Legal Aid Committee of the Denver Bar Association has held four meetings during the current fiscal year, the first meeting being on February 8, 1929. While there was some delay in getting our work started, we have, since the date of its inception, pushed it forward to the best of our ability.

We were advised that various members of the Bar had made informal complaints about the Legal Aid Society of Denver, and of the way in which its work was being conducted. The attorney who was reported to have made such complaint was in every instance interviewed personally by the chairman or one of the other members of our committee. Cards were sent out by the Bar Association to all its members, inviting suggestions concerning the manner in which the work of the Legal Aid Society was being conducted. In response we received 16 cards and letters containing various suggestions.

On April 24 we held a meeting at which Mr. James H. Pershing, President of the Legal Aid Society, and Mr. Horace N. Hawkins, Vice President of the Society, were present. Mr.