

COMPLAIN OF TOLL TAKEN BY LAWYERS

English People Aroused Over the High Salaries Paid Attorneys Holding Public Offices.

GROW RICH AT PUBLIC CRIB

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) LONDON, Jan. 15.—The heavy toll of the lawyers in the text for many complaints in these days when economy is being largely practiced by the rich, and urgently preached to the poor.

The three highest legal officials of the government, and a considerable body of judges, draw larger salaries than the prime minister of Great Britain. The highest officials of the navy and army, whose duties often involve physical hardships and the risk of death, are poorly paid in comparison with those who represent the government in the courts.

at stipends which are heavy compared with American standards. All the clerks and other important court officers are correspondingly well paid. Every one, from highest to lowest, is entitled to pension as high as his salary.

Salary Makes Him Rich. Lord Halsbury held the office for ten years and has been retired for ten years. Consequently he has drawn \$75,000 for ten years' service.

Lord Buckmaster has sat on the woolsack in the House of Lords a little more than one year. Current gossip among politicians has it that he is keeping the woolsack warm for Mr. Asquith.

Even more lucrative than the dignity of the chief chancellorship are the posts of attorney general and solicitor general. These law officers, as they are called, have been paid salaries of \$35,000 and \$30,000, respectively.

From another point of view the financial burden of the law falls less heavily upon the country as usual. War conditions have brought great decrease of business for the courts.

PRESIDENT OF THE CREIGHTON COLLEGE GLEE CLUB.



Dr. L. B. Bushman.

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GREEK KING CENTRAL FIGURE

Constantine, a Born Fighter, and to Dominate Should Greece Enter the European War.

BORN AND BRED A SOLDIER

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) ATHENS, Greece, Nov. 23.—Should Greece enter the European war arms some interesting military figures will be added to those already in the martial limelight.

General's War Record. For his age, General Doumanis has made rapid strides to arrive at the supreme effective command of the army of 95,000 men in time of peace and, roughly, 250,000 men in time of war.

Origin of the Plan. In the old time public life of Great Britain there was a reason in theory for payments to the legal members of the cabinet and officers of the crown higher than given their colleagues in other fields of work.

During the successful war against the Ottoman empire in 1912 the then Lieutenant-Colonel Doumanis was again attached to the staff of Crown Prince Constantine and when the latter became king he was made chief of the general staff, a post which he held through the war against Bulgaria and has held since.

Specialist in One Line. General Moskopoulis is a specialist in taking mountains. If Greece should ever enter the war he will be most useful to the European commanders in showing them how to get over trackless peaks.

The prospects thus far are very bright for a very successful concert. The different departments are enthusiastic in their support and have pledged themselves to come out en masse and to give the members of the club a reception that will be the most brilliant of the season.

LIVES TO RECOUNT ESCAPE

Double Accident to Man Who Risked Life to Save Companion.

AUTO EXPERIENCE IN WYOMING

Thomas Sneddon, Jr., victim of harrowing and unaccustomed experiences, almost without parallel, in an automobile accident near Kemmerer, Wyo., a week ago, is reported recovering from his injuries.

Whirled in Printing Press; Escapes Hurt

Saved by the inexact chance from a terrible death in the intricate and powerful machinery of a printing press, J. Morton, 475 South Fifteenth street, South Side, is recovering from his wounds from a most painful but not serious injury.

MANY SCHOOL BUILDINGS TO BE BUILT THIS YEAR

A lot of building may be looked forward to in the matter of school buildings in the city before long. The Board of Education is now planning to sell immediately the unsold half of the \$100,000 bond issue of a year ago.

Edward Williams Goes Into Business for Himself

Edward F. Williams, who had charge of the loan department two years and the city real estate department four years for the Payne investment company, has opened offices at 483 Omaha National Bank building, where he will conduct a general real estate business including rentals, loans and insurance.

First National Is Ready for Builders

Excavation is nearly completed for the First National bank building at Sixteenth and Farnam streets. The work has progressed with great rapidity since the contract was let, although the letting of the contracts consumed an unusual lot of time.

Personal Paragraphs

John E. Utz, general agent for the Rock Island, leaves Sunday for a stay of a month at Hot Springs, going there to recuperate.

Walter Hanson, who for several years was ticket agent in the Northwestern city offices, but who last summer went out as salesman for a jewelry company that subsequently failed and left him without a job, is back in the railroad game.

Sidney Ringer, formerly of Omaha, now traveling for the Cudahy Packing company, dropped into Omaha to spend a part of the day on his way from the east to Denver.

A short time later the engineer of a freight train saw a man staggering along the track and lighting matches evidently in an attempt to flag the train. He

Wrecked Car. Not until the body was dragged from the position in which Sneddon had jammed it did the three realize that it was not Sneddon, but Vickers.

They took the body to the railroad, flagged the midnight passenger and went on to Kemmerer. All the while the engine of the wrecked car was running and could not be stopped. It continued to run until the gasoline supply was exhausted.

Surprise Caps Climax. In the meantime, Fred H. Chapin, a brother-in-law of young Sneddon, Iver Halen and Joe Gundumson had secured a gasoline road speeder and had made a rapid run to the scene of the disaster, intending to recover Sneddon's body. Haywood had failed to find the

Thought the story of the automobile accident that resulted in the serious injury of Sneddon and the death of his companion, Rod Vickers, city marshal of Diamondville, has been published briefly, the account of Sneddon's baffling and terrible experience is yet to be printed. It rises above the day-to-day level of news to take its place with the stories that will long be told of and talked about.

Stranger Than Fiction. The accident occurred while Sneddon, owner of a heavy car, and Vickers were returning from a duck hunt on Bear river. At a sharp turn in Nugent canyon the car skidded and rolled over and down a steep bank into a creek.

One of Sneddon's arms was useless and he was suffering acutely from his injuries, but he managed to drag Vickers, whose head had remained above water, from beneath the car, the engine of which was still running. He was unable, however, to get the dying man out of the water and up the river bank.

For forty minutes Sneddon supported Vickers against the bank before he managed to get him to the shore. Vickers died during the period Vickers retained consciousness and suffered excruciatingly. When death finally came Sneddon wedged the body between the bank and the automobile in such a position that it would not be swept away by the current, staggered from the stream and started toward Fossil station to summon assistance.

Delirium Controls Victim. For five miles the injured man, now delirious, stumbled along the road, darkness falling meanwhile. Sharp stones cut through his shoes and lacerated his feet to the bone. When within two miles of Fossil he met William Haywood, who was driving an automobile. Sneddon gave Haywood an incoherent account of what had happened.

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The Creighton Glee Club will present its sixth annual concert at the Brandeis theater on the evening of February 17. The concert will be given entirely by the talent of the university. This arrangement was inaugurated last year with such marked success that the management was encouraged to continue it.

The members of the club who will take part in the concert are: J. Anderson, A. Monahan, G. Baldwin, D. Olson, A. Bays, G. Philbrick, H. Beagle, P. Homoneck, E. Roversidge, K. Roberts, P. Burke, I. Ryberg, H. Burns, J. Schneider, E. Clement, A. Schwedelin, J. Dindinger, J. Sorenson, A. Ferris, J. Stucky, H. Hillis, A. Uterbach, R. Green, J. Vetter, C. Kame, F. Vner, E. Kohler, J. Laniga, H. Welch, C. Long, E. Wink, G. Maasgaard, Prof. H. Bock.

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Like a Golden Meteor-- a Talk to Investors

(This is Talk No. 15 of a Series on "The True Story of Real Estate.") Like a Golden Meteor-- a Talk to Investors. Let us use our imagination and suppose that a meteor of gold the size of the W. O. W. building should strike the earth, somewhere within the United States.

Then let us suppose that this mountain of gold would be declared common property, to be divided among the people of the country. The result would be over-supply of gold, the basis of our money system. Money would be plentiful and "cheap." The purchasing price of the dollar would diminish and the price of all commodities would rise.

Of course this country will not experience a shower of gold from the heavens, but the same result is being accomplished in another way. Due to conditions created by the European war, our imports have dropped to almost nothing. Our exports, on the other hand, are much greater than ever before, exceeding imports by nearly two billion dollars a year.

This means a grade balance which is being settled by shipments of actual gold to this country in such quantities that we are accumulating a store of that metal far in excess of our legitimate needs. Financial experts are agreed that we are facing an era of "cheap" money--which means an era of high prices.

History shows that the tendency during such periods is to convert money into tangible property. Old-time residents will recall that in the years 1868 to 1875—the period of cheap money, which followed the Civil War, there was a great rush to place money into real estate.

Fortunes will be just as certainly made within the next five years in Omaha by investors who anticipate conditions. Such investors will buy tangible property that does not have a fixed par value, and which has a broad margin of safety.

We earnestly advise, not only regular investors, but executors of estates, trustees and guardians, to carefully consider the present situation. Idle money should be invested without further delay, and we believe that real estate is the best place for it. Real Estate stood like the Rock of Gibraltar during the months of financial distress following the outbreak of the war. In the new and abnormal era now approaching, it will prove even better.

(Signed) E. R. BENSON, C. F. HARRISON, G. G. WALLACE, Committee.