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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE WASHINGTON STATE BAR ASSOCIATION

EDITOR'S NOTES

The following program sets forth for the record all of the organized legal activities in the state taking place at the time of the 1959 Annual Meeting of the Washington State Bar Association, including meetings of the Association of Superior Court Judges and of the State Judicial Council, as well as the legal institutes conducted by the State Bar Association's Committee on Continuing Legal Education.

The proceedings which immediately follow the program, however, are only those of the annual business meeting of the state bar association, which commenced on September 18, 1959.

MARY ELLEN KRUG, *Editor*
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PROGRAM

ANNUAL MEETING *of the* WASHINGTON STATE BAR ASSOCIATION

Wednesday, September 16, 1959

A.M.

9:00 Meeting of Board of Governors, Signet Room

Thursday, September 17, 1959

A.M.

- 9:00 Registration, Mezzanine
10:00 Legal Institute, Marie Antoinette Room
Highlights of the New Rules
Kenneth P. Short, *Chairman*
The Honorable Frank P. Weaver, Chief Justice, State Supreme Court
The Honorable Harry E. Foster, State Supreme Court
The Honorable Alfred P. Murrah, Federal Judge of U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals for the 10th Circuit
12:00 Joint Luncheon of Judges and Lawyers, Spokane Club
Alfred McBee, Board of Governors, *Master of Ceremonies*
Marian Gallagher, Law Librarian, University of Washington
The Honorable Alfred P. Murrah, U.S. Court of Appeals, 10th Circuit

P.M.

2:00 Legal Institute No. 1, Marie Antoinette Room

How to Take and Use Pretrial Depositions

Howard Pruzan, *Chairman*

Leo C. Kendrick—*Use of Depositions and Discovery Procedure from the Defendant's Standpoint*

Wayne W. Wright—*Use of Depositions and Discovery Procedure from the Plaintiff's Standpoint*

2:00 Legal Institute No. 2, Elizabethan Room

Basic Accounting for Attorneys

Max Kaminoff, *Chairman*

Will D. Alton (McFarland & Alton)—*How to Interpret Financial Statements (Logic of Balance Sheets and Profit and Loss Statements, etc.)*

Robert P. Burns (Price, Waterhouse & Co.), Vice-President Washington Society of CPAs—*Accounting Records (Logic of Accounting Records, Journals, Ledgers, Debits and Credits, etc.)*

2:00 Legal Institute No. 3, Hall of Doges

The New Model Administrative Procedures Act

John O'Connell, Attorney-General of Washington, *Moderator*, Introduction of Speakers

Wilbur J. Lawrence—*State Administrative Procedures Act and the General Practitioner*

Herbert H. Fuller, Chief Assistant Attorney-General—*Adoption of Agency Rules and Regulations—Attorney-General's Role*

Frank P. Hayes, Assistant Attorney-General—*Contested Agency Cases*

Cornelius J. Peck, Professor of Law, University of Washington—*Judicial Review of Agency Actions*

Evening Spokane Bar Association Informal Home Dinners (Invitational)

Friday, September 18, 1959

A.M.

7:00 Legal Aid Committee Breakfast Meeting, Cornet Room

Robert Moch, *Chairman*

7:30 Washington Association of Municipal Attorneys, Early Birds Club

8:00 University of Washington Alumni Association Breakfast, Elizabethan Room

9:00 Red Mass, St. Aloysius Church, Bishop Topel presiding Celebrant, Very Reverend Edmund W. Morton, S.J., President, Gonzaga University

10:00 Legal Institute No. 1, Marie Antoinette Room

Qualified Pension and Profit Sharing Retirement Plans—Charles F. Osborn, *Chairman*

Lawyer's Role in Formulating Retirement Plans—Charles F. Osborn

Pension Plans—Adlore R. Kehoe

Profit Sharing Plans—Robert M. Kane

Survey of Union-Employer Negotiated Pension Plans—J. Tyler Hull

Qualification and Disclosure Act Requirements—Charles F. Osborn

10:00 Legal Institute No. 2, Isabella Room

Motion for Summary Judgment—John J. Kennett

12:00 Luncheon, Lobby of Davenport

Master of Ceremonies

Thomas L. O'Leary, President, Washington State Bar Association

Speaker: The Honorable John D. Randall, President-Elect, American Bar Association

P.M.

2:00 Annual Meeting of Washington State Bar Association, Isabella Room

Parliamentarian: Robert D. Dellwo

Call to Order: President Thomas L. O'Leary

Invocation: Rev. J. V. Linden, S.J.

Address of Welcome: Thomas Malott, President, Spokane County Bar Association

Address of Welcome: The Honorable F. Gaines Sutherland, Mayor of Spokane

Response to Addresses of Welcome: E. Frederick Velikanje, Retiring Member, Board of Governors

President of Superior Court Judges Association: Honorable John E. Murray

Report of President of the Washington State Bar Association:

Thomas L. O'Leary

Reports:

Clients' Indemnity Fund—Hilton Gardner
 Insurance—Jack Whitmore
 Bar Foundation—DeWitt Williams
 Report of American Bar Association Delegate—Joseph H. Gordon
 In Memoriam—Elias Wright
 Report of Resolutions Committee—John S. Moore, Chairman

5:00 Reception—No Host, Elizabethan Room

7:00 Annual Bench and Bar Banquet, Lobby of Davenport

A.M. *Saturday, September 19, 1959*

7:45 Real Property, Probate & Trusts Committee Breakfast Meeting, Elizabethan A

8:00 Breakfast, Phi Alpha Delta, Progress Room, Davenport

8:00 Breakfast, Phi Delta Delta, Matador Room, Davenport

8:00 Breakfast, Delta Theta Phi, Early Birds Club, Davenport

10:00 Legal Institute No. 1, Marie Antoinette Room

Adequate Legal Fees and Minimum Fee Schedules

Charles Horowitz, *Chairman*

The Problem Involved—Introductory Remarks—Charles Horowitz

The Results of the Washington Minimum Fee Committee Survey—

Willard Roe

Problems in Fixing Fees—Panel Discussion—The Honorable Ralph P. Edger-
ton, Judge of the Superior Court, Spokane, presiding

Probate—Nelson B. Repsold

Litigation Including Appellate Practice—William N. Goodwin

Office Practice—Harold Lant

Criminal Practice—B. Gray Warner

Bankruptcy and Creditors' Claims—Kenneth S. Treadwell

Do We Need a State Minimum Fee Schedule—Panel Discussion—

The Honorable William J. Wilkins, Judge of the Superior Court, Seattle,
presiding

The Case for a State Minimum Fee Schedule—Herman H. Hahner

The Case Against a State Minimum Fee Schedule—Alan A. McDonald

Evaluation—John E. Close

Discussion from the Floor

10:00 Legal Institute No. 2, Isabella Room

How to Present the Defense of a Condemnation Case

James P. Healy, *Chairman*

Delbert Johnson, Attorney General's Office—*Preparation of Condemnation*
Case from State's Standpoint

John Walthew—*Ancillary Questions of Condemnation*

Louis L. Barbieri—*Appraising—Factors to Be Considered*

James P. Healy—*The Attorney Representing the Land Owner*

12:00 Gonzaga Alumni Luncheon, Student Union Building, Gonzaga University

Evening Football Game—Washington State University vs. University of California

The annual meeting of the Washington State Bar Association convened at two o'clock p.m., September 18, 1959, in the Davenport Hotel in Spokane. The president of the association, Thomas L. O'Leary, presided. Mr. Robert D. Dellwo served as parliamentarian.

The Honorable F. Gaines Sutherlin, Mayor of Spokane, and Mr. Thomas Malott, President of the Spokane Bar Association, welcomed the members. Mr. E. Frederick Velikanje of Yakima, member of the Board of Governors, responded.

The President of the Superior Court Judges Association, the Honorable John E. Murray of Chehalis, addressed the association.