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12:00 NOON

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Program: The Federal Court As It Operates in Broward County
by
HONORABLE NORMAN C. ROETTGER, JR.

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JOHN S. NEELY, JR. AND DONALD H. NORMAN ELECTED TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FLORIDA BAR

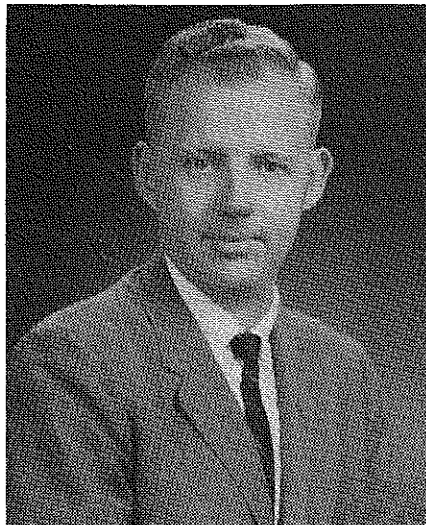


JOHN S. NEELY, JR.

John Neely was born in Tennessee and grew up in North Carolina where he attended Duke University and Duke Law School. He came to Florida in 1956 when he was admitted to the Bar and became associated with Fleming, O'Bryan and Fleming. He is now a partner in that firm, and has been a member of the Board of Governors since 1969. He has served on various committees of the Bar, including the Committee to Study Group

Legal Services and the Disciplinary Procedure Committee of which he was chairman under President Burton Young. He served on the Executive Committees of Presidents John McCarty and Reece Smith.

He is presently serving on the Executive Committee of President Earl Hadlow and the 1974-75 Budget Committee of President-Elect Jim Urban.



DONALD H. NORMAN

Donald H. Norman was born in New Jersey. He attended Rutgers University and the University of Miami Law School. He holds a Masters Degree in Taxation and is a lecturer on that topic. He was admitted to the Bar in 1955. He is a member of the firm of Ross, Norman & Cory, P.A.

Mr. Norman has been the assistant city attorney for Fort Lauderdale and the city attorney for Hallandale. He has been president of Broward County Bar Association and has served on the Law Library Committee.

This will be Mr. Norman's first term on the Board of Governors.

Federal Court Rules

On January 30, 1974, a conference was held with the United States District Judges and representatives from the local bar association in the district. The conference was planned to hear suggestions and recommendations for changes in the local federal rules. Progress reports will be made on any changes that may be made.

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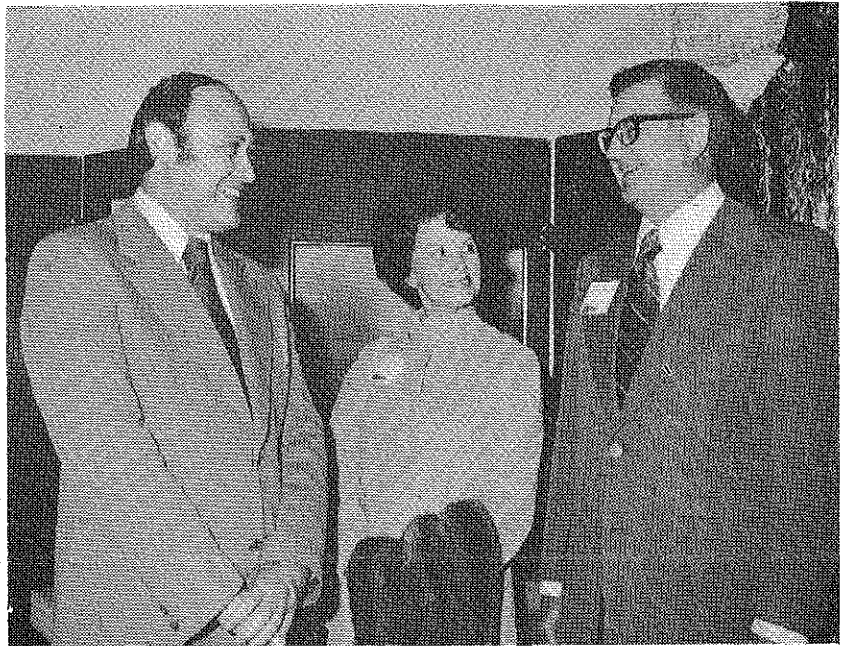
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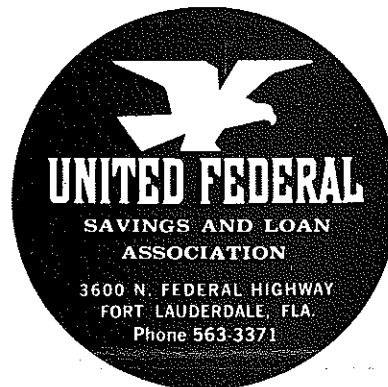
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Legal Aid Service

For many years the Broward County Bar Association has worked for a funded legal aid program. In 1973, the Bar was successful in its efforts. The Board of County Commissioners adopted an ordinance that provides a method of funding the program.

A non-profit corporation has been formed, and the Board of Directors have been designated. The board consists of fifteen members: five members of The Florida Bar appointed by the Board of County Commissioners, five members of The Florida Bar appointed by the Broward County Bar Association and five lay members elected by the top ten members of The Florida Bar. The members of the board are:

President, Russell E. Carlisle; Vice President, Joe Lewis Smith; Secretary, Norma Howard and Treasurer, Carl W. Turner. Other board members are John W. Bell, James J. Blosser, James M. DeHart, Nicholas J. DeTardo, Harvey Ford, Thomas W. Hamilton, Judge James R. Holmes, Jr., Joseph A. Hubert, Esther Lowenthal, Ellen S. Mills and Daniel D. Peschio, Jr.

Five committees have been named, and they are:

Budget Committee, Carl Turner, Chairman; Committee on Personnel, James R. Holmes, Chairman; Committee

on Facilities, James J. Blosser, Chairman; Committee on Eligibility, Harvey Ford, Chairman and Committee on Liaison, Joe Lewis Smith, Chairman.

The program will not release the Bar Association of its responsibility to help in the Legal Aid program, and cases will be assigned in the usual manner when needed.

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Appeals Court

By Edna L. Caruso

Chairman
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The Appellate Court Advisory Committee, after meeting with the Judges of the Fourth District Court of Appeal, makes the following suggestions in regard to filing appeals in that Court:

1. Discussion with the Judges revealed that brief-binders are actually taken off the briefs since the Judges find them cumbersome, and are eventually thrown away. Therefore, the Judges felt it permissible for briefs to be filed unbound and merely stapled securely in the left hand corner. This would save attorneys the time and money spent on securing binders, and save the Clerk's office the time spent in removing them from the briefs.

2. Discussion also revealed the Judges preferred that an original and two copies of each brief be filed in order that each Judge on the panel will have a brief from which to work. Although F.A.R.3.7 (a) (b) & (c) only requires the filing of one copy of the brief, filing two copies would be most appreciated by the Judges.

3. Because of an expression of concern on behalf of the committee, we were informed by the Judges that an attempt will be made to give criminal cases involving "Defendants-not-on-bond" the most expeditious treatment of all criminal cases if an indication is made on the front of the brief in bold red letters "NOT ON BOND."

Committee Selections

A list of standing committees of the Broward County Bar Association is enclosed for your convenience in making preference selections for the year beginning June 1, 1974. The president-elect,

William F. Leonard, will begin working on committee appointments in April. This is not an easy task and requires much time and study.

Certain policies have been established regarding appointments. No Executive Committee member will be assigned to a committee except as an ex-officio member.

To expand participation in Bar Association activities members of the bar will be limited to serve on no more than three (3) committees. Also, no two members from the same law firm will be assigned to the same committee.

Every effort will be made to appoint attorneys to committees of their preference. However, it will be necessary to appoint attorneys to committees where need exists, and your cooperation is needed.

Service on a committee is a valuable contribution to your association.

Lawyer Referral Service

By Henry J. Prominski

The Broward Bar Association Lawyer Referral Service has recently raised participation dues to \$35.00 per attorney, and currently the fee to the client for the first half hour interview has been raised to \$20.00. In this area of rapid growth with constant influx of new residents the Lawyer Referral Service does a most commendable job and provides a real service to our new citizens. Every attorney is urged to participate in this program.

Although many of the initial referrals are of a domestic nature or of a legally non-stimulating variety, it is a service that should be provided by all members of the Bar and should be provided well. Attorneys participating should not feel that this is a service only for monetary rewards. All too often we are personal injury lawyers, tax lawyers, or other specialists, and really not lawyers at all. A lawyer should have his door open at all times for all persons for any legal problems that occur. We should be willing to give this time and talent to the public.

Recently a young girl was referred to me by the Bar Association with a problem collecting from Blue Cross for her accident. Not only did I obtain the Blue Cross coverage for her doctor bills, but upon closer examination discovered that where she completely had given up hope of assessing liability on anyone for the accident or collecting from any insurance carrier, there lurked in the background a secondary carrier. This coverage was uncovered after much work. However, it did provide a settlement of policy limits to a young lady who at



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that point was extremely dejected. If a lawyer can achieve one or two cases a year where he feels that substantial service has been done, it should be more than enough reward for participating in the Lawyer Referral Service.

Welcome, New Members

CAROL M. ANDERSON, a native of Malone, Florida, received her undergraduate degree from Florida Atlantic University and her law degree from Cumberland and University of Notre Dame. She works for K. P. Jones in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

LOUIS C. ANDERSON, a native of Tacoma, Maryland, received his undergraduate degree from Colgate University and his law degree from Duke University. He is associated with James A. Cabler, Jr. in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

PHILIP S. ANDERSON, a native of Atlanta, Georgia, received his undergraduate degree from Clemson and his law degree from Cumberland. He is associated with the firm of Wicker, Smith, Pyszka, Blomqvist & Davant in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

STEPHEN M. BELL, a native of Brooklyn, New York, received his undergraduate degree from the University of Miami and his law degree from Memphis State University. He is associated with Brown & Lederer in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

J. H. BOOS, a native of Cincinnati, Ohio, received his undergraduate and law degrees from the University of Cincinnati. He works for Peninsular Title Insurance Co. in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

PHYLLIS H. B. DRICKMAN, a native of New York, New York, received her undergraduate and law degrees from New York University. She is associated with Bernhard Garfinkel in Hollywood, Florida.

SHELDON GOLDING, a native of Chicago, Illinois, received his undergraduate degree from the University of Alabama and his law degree from the

Kent College of Law. He is associated with Mitchell Caplan in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

CRAIG METCALF HAVERFIELD, a native of Brockton, Massachusetts, received his undergraduate and law degrees from the University of Louisville. He is associated with Marko, Stephany & Lyons in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

GLENN C. HENDERSON, a native of Massachusetts, received his undergraduate and law degrees from the University of Florida. He is associated with the firm of Ellis, Spencer, Butler & Kisslan in Hollywood, Florida.

SAMUEL TYLER HILL, a native of Tuskegee, Alabama, received his undergraduate degree from the University of Washington and his law degree from the University of Florida. He is associated with the firm of Hinckley & Shores in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

JOHN G. JORDAN, a native of Chicago, Illinois, received his undergraduate degree from the University of Notre Dame and his law degree from the University of Miami. He is associated with Graham, Carroll, Hodge & Swan in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

JOHN T. LUZZO, a native of Chicago, Illinois, received his undergraduate and law degrees from the University of Florida. He is associated with Bass & Toothaker in Davie, Florida.

MICHAEL J. McNERNEY, a native of Washington, D.C., received his undergraduate and law degrees from the University of Florida. He is associated with Zeiher & Brinkley in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

ARTHUR NEWMAN, a native of New York, New York, received his undergraduate degree from New York University and his law degree from the University of Miami. He practices alone in Miami, Florida.

JOSEPH A. POWERS, a native of Saginaw, Michigan, received his undergraduate degree from the University of Detroit and his law degree from the University of Michigan. He is associated with Ben W. Grigsby in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

PETER A. ROSE, a native of New York, New York, received his undergraduate degree from the University of Miami and his law degree from South Texas College of Law. He is associated with the firm of Fields, Bookstein, Beaver & Conness, P.A. in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

LAWRENCE S. ROSENSTRAUCH, a native of New York, New York, received his undergraduate degree from the University of North Carolina and his law degree from Harvard Law School. He works for Peninsular Title Insurance Co. in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

BRIAN J. SHERR, a native of Jersey City, New Jersey, received his undergraduate degree from Rutgers University and his law degree from Boston University. He is associated with the firm of Ruden, Barnett, McClosky, Schuster & Schmerer in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

WILLIAM H. STOLBERG, a native of Windsor, Ontario, received his undergraduate degree from the University of Minnesota and his law degree from the University of Florida. He is associated with Jon Agee in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

THOMAS RALPH TATUM, a native of Miami, Florida, received his undergraduate degree from Loyola University and his law degree from the University of Miami. He is associated with the firm of Hamilton, Tatum & Heston in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

JEFFREY P. WASSERMAN, a native of Hartford, Connecticut, received his undergraduate degree from the University of Connecticut and his law degree from the University of Miami. He is associated with the firm of Litman and Muchnick in Hollywood, Florida.

BEN J. WEAVER, a native of Indiana, received his undergraduate degree from Hanover and his law degree from Indiana University. He is associated with the firm of Druck, Grimmitt, Norman & Weaver in Fort Lauderdale.

DOUGLAS A. WILLIAMS, a native of Chicago, Illinois, received his undergraduate and law degrees from the University of Florida. He is associated with Graham, Carroll, Hodge & Swan in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

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