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NEWS OF BENCH AND BAR

Louis L. Roberts, of Evansville, was elected president of the Vanderburg County Bar Association at a meeting of the association Monday night, December 12, at the Vendome Hotel in Evansville. Other officers chosen were James Meyer, first vice-president; Walton Wheeler, Jr., second vice-president; Forrest M. Condit, treasurer, and John L. Sanders, secretary.

James C. Jay was elected president of the Young Lawyers' Association of Indianapolis at a luncheon in the Hotel Washington Thursday, December 15, 1932. Other officers named are Floyd R. Mannon, vice-president; Otto W. Buenting, treasurer; Charles W. Holder, secretary, and Joseph G. Wood, Dewey Myers and Crier M. Shotwell members of the board of directors.

Attorneys from Lake, Porter and LaPorte counties attended a testimonial dinner given by the Porter County Bar Association Thursday night, December 29, 1932, at the London Inn in Valparaiso, in honor of Judge Grant Crumpacker, who retired from the Porter Circuit Court bench on January 1. Walter Arnold of South Bend delivered an address on "The Asinities of the Appellate Court," former Judge Ora L. Wildermuth, of Gary, spoke in behalf of the Lake County delegation, and Attorney Ben Reis, of LaPorte, spoke in behalf of the LaPorte County delegation. William Daily, president of the Porter County Bar Association, presided and presented Judge Crumpacker with a leather brief case.

Twenty members of the Cass County Bar Association attended the banquet at the Elks Hall at Logansport, Thursday, December 29, 1932, at which tribute was paid to outgoing and incoming court officers. Frank McHale presided and introduced Albert G. Jenkins, who presented an office chair to Judge John B. Smith, retiring judge of the Circuit Court. Appropriate gifts were also given to other members of the retiring court officers.

Judge Herbert A. Rundell, retiring judge of the Monroe-Owen Circuit Court, and Donald A. Rogers, incoming judge, were honor guests at the annual banquet of the Monroe County Bar Association held at the Graham Hotel in Bloomington, Thursday evening, December 29, 1932. Walter E. Treanor, chief justice of the State Supreme Court, was the principal speaker.

John Marshall, former judge of the Howard Circuit Court, was elected president of the Howard County Bar Association at the association's annual business meeting held in the Circuit Court room Wednesday, December 21, 1932. Judge Joseph Cripe was elected vice-president, and Gerland W. Rybolt was reelected secretary-treasurer.

Marsh T. Lewis was elected president of the Gibson County Bar Association at its annual meeting in the Kidd Hotel at Princeton, December 22, 1932. Other officers elected were S. K. Trippet, vice-president; Gerald E. Hall, treasurer, and Douglas H. McDonald, secretary. Hon. John W. Brady, of Evansville, former member of the Gibson County bar, was the principal speaker of the evening.

Judge James P. Hughes was the honor guest at a dinner meeting of the Putnam County Bar Association, held in the Commercial Hotel at Greencastle, December 27, 1932. Other guests included the judges and repre-

sentatives of the bar associations of Montgomery, Hendricks, Owen, Morgan, Clay, and Parke counties.

Wade H. Free was elected president of the Madison County Bar Association at the annual dinner meeting at the Grand Hotel in Anderson, January 5, 1932. Sid M. Cleveland was chosen vice-president and Russell Stewart retains his office as secretary.

Max Goldsmith was elected president of the Twin City Bar Association at a special meeting of the association January 7, 1932. Other officers are Al Zivich, vice-president; Thomas Callahan, secretary, and Jesse McAtee, treasurer.