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Barney W. Breedlove, chief attorney of the United States Veterans' Bureau of Indianapolis, gave a brief technical talk relating to some of the legal aspects in handling of guardianships concerning veterans, before the LL. B. Club, of Fort Wayne, at a dinner-meeting at the Berghoff grill, November 9th. Robert F. Eggeman, president of the club, presided. Wayne Miller, who is associated with the office of William N. Ballou, was inducted into membership.

The Tipton Bar Association has reorganized its association and adopted a "Code of Fair-dealing and Practice," with John P. Kemp as president, James M. Purvis, vice-president, and A. W. Bolton, secretary-treasurer.

Frank E. Lorch, Jr., has been elected president of the Floyd County Bar Association; Robert R. Kelso, vice-president, and Roy Darneal, secretary-treasurer.

The Indianapolis Bar Association decided at a special meeting at the Columbia Club November 22nd to purchase the Stokes Building on North Meridian Street as a home for the association. Funds for the purchase were received by the wills of Mrs. Susan W. Butler and her daughter, Mrs. Margaret Butler Snowden, as a memorial to Mrs. Butler's husband, Ovid Butler.

Lowell W. Alspach, of Denver, has been named prosecuting attorney of Miami county by Governor Paul V. McNutt to succeed Harvey W. Hartley, of Peru, who died recently.

Members of the Orange County Bar Association held their regular dinner meeting at the Braxtan Hotel November 21st.

Dr. Robert LaFollette, of the Ball Teachers College, addressed the members of the Muncie Bar Association at their luncheon meeting November 17th, in the Y. M. C. A. on "The New Deal" of education.

Professor Clarence Manion, of the University of Notre Dame Law School, in addressing members of the Porter County Bar Association at Hotel Lembke Wednesday, November 7th, described "haphazard banking" as one of the major causes of the depression.

The Allen County Bar Association held its dinner meeting at the Fairfield Manor at Fort Wayne, November 7th. The guest speaker was Robert J. Arthur, of Logansport, who spoke on the farm loan.

Judge William C. Overton addressed the members of the Howard County Bar Association at its November meeting, November 14th, at the Courtland Hotel. Judge Overton reviewed the scope of the New Deal and its various offspring, including NRA.