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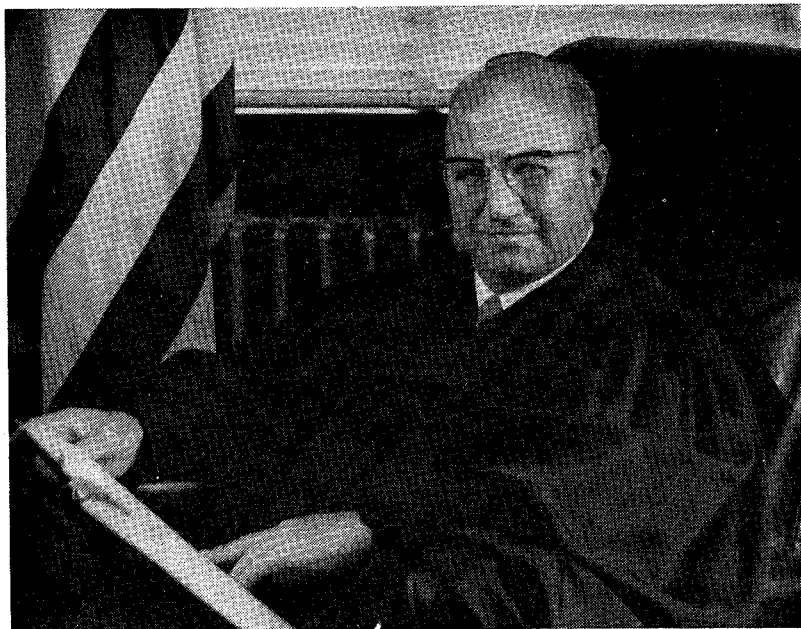
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JEROME HALL

Jerome Hall not only was born in Chicago, but he also attended the University of Chicago. He was such a brilliant student of sociology under Dr. Albion W. Small, Head of the Department of Sociology, that Dr. Small was disappointed when Jerome Hall enrolled in the School of Law. Mr. Hall graduated in 1923 with honors and was awarded the degree of Juris Doctor. From 1923 to 1929 he practiced law in Chicago. In 1929 he was appointed Professor of Law in the University of North Dakota, where he taught for three years, teaching the courses in Legal History, Torts, Criminal Law and Procedure, and Equity. He devoted a large portion of his time to reading books and materials on philosophy, jurisprudence and ethics. A leave of absence was granted to Mr. Hall for the years 1932 to 1934, during which time he was a Special Fellow of Columbia University School of Law. For the school year 1934-35, he was granted the Benjamin Research Fellow from Harvard Law School. In 1935 he was awarded the degree of J.S.D., Doctor of the Science of Law, from Columbia University School of Law and the degree of S.J.D., Doctor of Juridical Science, from the Harvard Law School. The product of his research was the book entitled *Theft, Law and Society*, a challenging work dealing with criminal law, criminology, sociology and related fields. This book departed from the existing legal literature of 1935 and has influenced legal research and legal thought for the past twenty-four years. Dr. Albion Small's influence on Jerome Hall has enriched the philosophy of law. For four years he taught in the Louisiana University School of Law, and since 1939 he has taught in the Indiana University School of Law. In 1957 he was honored by being designated the Distinguished Service Professor of Law at Indiana University. His other publications include *Readings in Jurisprudence*, 1933; *General Principles of Criminal Law*, 1947; *Cases and Readings in Criminal Law and Procedure*, 1949; and *Living Law of Democratic Society*, 1949. His most recent publication, *Studies in Jurisprudence and Criminal Theory*, projects the most recent developments in jurisprudence. He has contributed numerous scholarly articles to journals of philosophy, ethics and

Citation at presentation of an honorary degree to Jerome Hall, Distinguished Service Professor of Law, Indiana University, at a Convocation on October 23, 1958, as a part of the Seventy-Fifth Anniversary activities of the University of North Dakota.

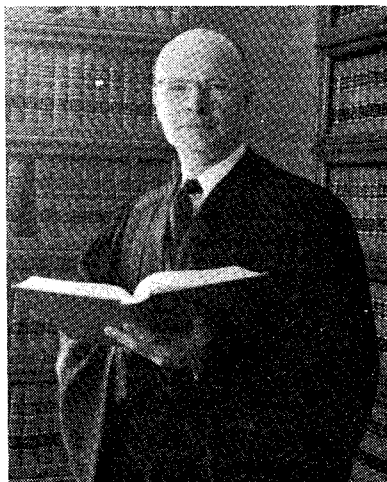
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sociology, to law reviews and bar journals. In 1954-55 he was a Fulbright Lecturer and gave a series of lectures in the United Kingdom. The Department of State assigned him to duties in the Far East and specifically to the Korean Legal Institute. He has emphasized and stimulated the study of legal philosophy and jurisprudence in the United States. For several years he served as Chairman of the Editorial Committee of the Twentieth Century Legal Philosophy Series. This series includes seven volumes of translated material and articles written by the leading jurists of the world. Mr. Hall has an international reputation as a scholar. He has professional respect and love for this University. For his scholarly attainment, his sterling character and his penetrating grasp of the infinite complexities of our legal institutions, I deem it a privilege to recommend on behalf of the University Council, that the degree of Doctor of Laws, *honoris causa*, be conferred upon our former colleague, Jerome Hall.

O. H. THORMODSGARD, *Dean*

DISTRICT COURT DIGESTS

CIVIL PROCEDURE—THIRD-PARTY COMPLAINT FOR CONTRIBUTION NOT IMPOSABLE BY EMPLOYER IN ACTION BY EMPLOYEE UNDER TERMS OF WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT.—*Schindler v. Clark Transport Co.*, District Court of the Second Judicial District, Rolette County, North Dakota, Albert Lundberg, District Judge.

On February 20, 1957, a collision occurred between a truck owned by defendant Clark Transport Co. (hereinafter "Clark") and an automobile driven by Fagerlund. The plaintiff Schindler was a passenger in the Fagerlund automobile. Schindler was employed by Fagerlund in employment covered by the North Dakota Workmen's Compensation Act, and at the time of the accident was concededly in the course of his employment. Injured in the accident, Schindler brought an action for damages against Clark and against one Wilken, the driver of the Clark truck. Clark and Wilken in turn impleaded Fagerlund as a third-party defendant, their third-party complaint alleging that the accident resulted solely from the negligence of Fagerlund. Fagerlund filed a third-party answer denying this allegation. Thereafter the plaintiff Schindler and the third-party defendant Fagerlund joined in a motion to dismiss the third-party proceeding on the ground it was not permissible under N.D.R.Civ.P. 14. In support of this motion they