

April 1924

Announcement of the Meeting of International Law Association

Follow this and additional works at: <https://researchrepository.wvu.edu/wvlr>

Recommended Citation

Announcement of the Meeting of International Law Association, 30 W. Va. L. Rev. (1924).

Available at: <https://researchrepository.wvu.edu/wvlr/vol30/iss3/12>

This West Virginia Bar Association Note is brought to you for free and open access by the WVU College of Law at The Research Repository @ WVU. It has been accepted for inclusion in West Virginia Law Review by an authorized editor of The Research Repository @ WVU. For more information, please contact ian.harmon@mail.wvu.edu.

WEST VIRGINIA BAR ASSOCIATION NOTES:
NEWS OF THE PROFESSION

LAWYERS FROM MANY COUNTRIES WILL GATHER AT STOCKHOLM.*

Announcement of the plans for the thirty-third conference of the International Law Association of which the Earl of Reading, Viceroy of India, is President, to be held in Stockholm, beginning Sept. 8 next, was made recently at the annual meeting of the American branch of the association at the University Club. The conference at Stockholm is to be held after the meeting of the American Bar Association in London in order that many American Lawyers who are members of the International Law Association may attend. The Government of Sweden has made elaborate preparations to entertain the visiting lawyers.

The Stockholm conference will receive reports from special committees in various countries who have been working on a new code of international law, but one of the most important subjects to be considered is the subject of the protection of minorities under the League of Nations and the Statute of Permanent International Criminal Court. Reports will be received from the committees of neutrality, foreign judgments, systems of evidence, aviation, international organization, codification, nationality and commercial arbitration.

The idea of an American branch originated with David Dudley Field, draftsman of the Civil Code of New York State, and Elihu Burritt. Chief Justice Taft of the United States Supreme Court was elected Honorary President of the American branch at the recent meeting, and Amos J. Peaslee succeeded Dr. Arthur K. Kuhn as Honorary Secretary.

Former Supreme Court Justice Harrington Putnam was elected President. The other new officers are: Vice-Presidents, Sir Robert Borden of Ottawa, Canada; Dr. Charles Noble Gregory of Washington, D. C.; Everett P. Wheeler, John W. Davis and Dr. Arthur K. Kuhn of New York; Treasurer, Ira H. Brainerd of New York and Chairman of the Executive Committee, Edwin R. Keedy of Philadelphia.

*From the New York Times, Feb. 3, 1924.

At the meeting of the fifteenth annual convention of The Fraternal Society Law Association held in Chicago on February 22 and 23, Mr. W. W. Smith, Attorney at Law, Huntington, West Virginia, was elected president of the association for the coming year.

NECROLOGY.—Buckner Clay, Charleston.

At a meeting of the Executive Council held in Wheeling on the twelfth of February, it was decided to hold the next meeting of the Association in Clarksburg on November 20th and 21st, 1924.

NOTICE.—The editors are very anxious to secure as many numbers of the January 1921 number of the Quarterly as possible. We will pay fifty cents per copy for all copies sent to us. Mail them to West Virginia Law Quarterly, Morgantown, W. Va.