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## Calendar

October 7. Denver Bar Association, first fall meeting.

- October 18 and 19. Colorado Bar Association annual meeting, Broadmoor Hotel, Colorado Springs. Hon. Tom Clark, Attorney General of the United States, principal speaker.
- October 28 to November 1. American Bar Association, annual meeting, Atlantic City, New Jersey.

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Tom C. Clark, Attorney General of the United States, will be the banquet speaker at the annual convention of the Colorado Bar Association to be held in Colorado Springs at the Broadmoor Hotel on October 18 and 19, as announced by President Frank Moorhead. According to the tentative plans of the convention committee the theme of the 1946 convention will be Improvement of the Judicial System.

The convention will open Friday morning with a meeting of the Board of Governors, of the Water Law section, a business meeting of the Junior Bar section, and a joint meeting of the Probate and Trust Law section and the County Judges' Association. The Friday luncheon entertainment will be provided by the Law Club of Denver. The afternoon session will be under the supervision of the Junior Bar Section. Their program will feature matters of general interest to the entire bar with emphasis on the problems of the returning lawyer. The El Paso County Bar Association is arranging for entertainment on Friday evening.

On Saturday morning Philip S. Van Cise, chairman of the Committee on Judicial Administration, will lead the discussion on the reformation of the court system in Colorado. Since this meeting is of vital importance it is hoped that as many lawyers as possible will make arrangements to attend. On Saturday afternoon President Frank Moorhead will deliver the annual president's address and the remainder of the afternoon will be devoted to a discussion of title work and the business of the state association.

The address by Attorney General Clark will mark the end of the convention.

Mr. Clark was born in Dallas, Texas, on September 23, 1899. He was educated in the public schools of Dallas, at the Virginia Military Institute, and the University of Texas, where he received an A.B. degree in 1921 and an LL.B. degree in 1922.

Admitted to the bar in June 1922, he immediately entered into the private practice of law in partnership with his father and brother. In 1927 he was selected Civil District Attorney for Dallas County, Texas, in which position he served until 1932 when he was named Master in Chancery in the Joiner oil litigation cases affecting the title in East Texas oil fields.

Mr. Clark came to the Department of Justice in 1937. In September 1938, he was appointed special assistant to the Attorney General in the Antitrust Division. He was active in the prosecution of a number of cases growing out of the Agriculture Marketing Agreement Act of 1937 and the Wage and Hour Law. In 1939 he acted as chief of the Wage and Hour Unit of the Antitrust Division, and that fall he was placed in charge of the Antitrust field office at New Orleans, Louisiana. Mr. Clark was named Regional Director for the Antitrust Division, West Coast Field Offices, in April of 1940. In January 1942, the Attorney General named Mr. Clark as Coordinator of Alien Enemy Control in the Western Defense Command. In May 1942, Mr. Clark was placed in charge of the War Frauds Unit of the Department of Justice. In September he was given the additional post of first assistant to Assistant Attorney General, Thurman Arnold, in charge of the Antitrust Division. On March 29, 1943, Mr. Clark was appointed Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Antitrust Division, succeeding Mr. Thurman Arnold.

## **Committee Correction**

EDWARD MILLER, 930 University Bldg., Denver, is a member of the committee on Real Estate Standards of the Denver Bar Association. His name was inadvertently omitted from the committee list recently published in DICTA.

## **Our Returning Lawyer-Veterans**

MILTON J. BLAKE, col., Judge Advocate General's Dept., Army, served from Mar. 1941 to Aug. 1946. He was asst. staff judge advocate, Ft. Bliss, Texas, from Mar. to June 1941. He then went to the Judge Advocate General's Dept., Wash., and in March 1943 became Chief, Legal Assistance Branch, Judge Advocate General's Office. He received the Legion of Merit, Army Commendation Ribbon, and personal letters of commendation from the Undersecretary of War and Secretary of the Navy. He was admitted to the Colorado bar in 1928, and was in general practice in Denver from that time until 1941. He has an LL.B. degree from Denver University Law School, 1928. He is associated in practice with his father, Milton E. Blake, 522 Colorado Bldg., Denver, and is a candidate for the state legislature on the Republican ticket.

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ORA H. GEORGE, major, Air Corps, served from April 1942 to March 1946 in the continental United States. He is now practicing law at 730 Equitable Bldg., Denver.

ROY H. BLACKMAN, JR., capt., Judge Advocate General's Dept., served from Sept. 1943 to Mar. 1946. He had his basic training in Camp Barkeley, Texas, in medics, and was sent overseas (New Guinea) as a mathematician. He was returned to O. C. S. in Sept. 1944. He later served in the Financial Litigation Branch, Office of the Judge Advocate General, Washington, D. C. He is now counsel, Real Estate Disposal, War Assets Administration, 417 Boston Bldg., Denver.

LAWRENCE M. WOOD, 1st lt., Judge Advocate General's Dept., served from Aug. 1942 to March 1946 in England, Frances, Belgium, Luxembourg and the United States. He is practicing at 850 Equitable Bldg., Denver.

WILLIAM K. RIS, 1st lt., Judge Advocate General's Dept., served from May 1943 to July 1946. After basic training he went to replacement depot in Australia, and was then sent to New Guinea for over a year with the 32nd Infantry Division. He was returned to the Judge Advocate General's School, and after graduation remained on the staff to teach Military Justice until the close of the school. He then went to Omaha as Chief, Military Justice Section, SJA Office, Headquarters Seventh Service Command. Before entering the service he was associated with Lowell White for four years. He has now opened his own office at 304 Denver National Bldg., Denver, Cherry 7164.

## Admitted to a Higher Court

HARRY E. MUNSON died recently at the age of 74. For the past 25 years he had been Judge of the District Court of the Thirteenth Judicial District. Judge Munson came to Sterling, Colorado, from Nebraska in 1896. He taught school for a few years and was admitted to the bar in 1902, after which he was associated in the practice with his brother T. E. Munson. In 1921 he was appointed District Judge when the number of Judges in the Thirteenth Judicial District was increased from one to two, and had held the office since.

#### Announcement Regarding Binding of Supreme Court Records

DICTA is informed by the Clerk of the Supreme Court that the binderies have increased their price for binding records for the court. Plaintiffs in error who wish the clerk to attend to the binding of their records will need to deposit the sum of \$1.35 a volume, beginning September 1.