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## DEDICATION

This issue of the Kentucky Law Journal is dedicated to Dean Alvin E. Evans, who, in September, 1948, retired from the deanship of the College of Law, University of Kentucky, and from active teaching, to become Dean and Professor of Law Emeritus.

Dean Evans was born in Valley, Nebraska, September 16, 1878. He received the A.B. degree from Cotner University in 1898, and the M.A. from the University of Nebraska in 1898. He was a Fellow at the University of Michigan, 1907-1908, receiving there the Ph.D. degree in 1908, and the J.D. in 1918. He attended Harvard Law School in 1915-1916.

Dean Evans was Professor of Latin at the State College of Washington, where he also taught political science and business law, 1909-1915. From 1911-1915 he served as director of summer sessions. He practiced law as a member of the firms Cam and Evans, Falls City, Nebraska, 1916-1917, and Nisbet and Evans, Moscow, Idaho, 1918-1921. He was Professor of Law at the University of Idaho, 1917-1922, and at George Washington University, 1922-1927.

In 1927 he became Dean and Professor of Law at the College of Law, University of Kentucky, and since that time has held the Ezra Ripley Thayer Teaching Fellowship at the Harvard Law School and has served as visiting Professor of Law at the University of Michigan, the University of Texas, the University of Cincinnati, and Western Reserve University. Though Dean Evans has, during his tenure at the University of Kentucky, taught almost every subject offered in the College of Law, his chief work has been in the fields of Wills, Corporations, and Trusts.

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Dean Evans is a member of the bars of Kentucky, Nebraska, Michigan, Idaho, and of the Supreme Court of the United States. He is also a member of the American and Kentucky Bar Associations, the American Law Institute, the Kentucky Academy of Political and Social Sciences, the Kentucky Research Club, and the Order of the Coif.

The Kentucky Law Journal expresses its appreciation to Dean Evans for his many years of loyal and valuable service to the school and to the profession, and wishes him continued success in his new capacity as Dean and Professor of Law Emeritus.

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