

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA  
LAW SCHOOL

***Recognition  
Exercises***

Honoring the Class of 1959 in Law

NORTHROP MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM  
FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 12  
AT EIGHT O'CLOCK

## Administrative Officers

James Lewis Morrill.....President of the University of Minnesota  
William B. Lockhart.....Dean

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Edward S. Bade.....Professor of Law  
Harlan M. Blake.....Professor of Law  
William Cohen.....Associate Professor of Law  
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Kenneth C. Davis.....Professor of Law  
John R. Ellingston.....Professor of Criminal Law Administration  
James L. Hetland, Jr.....Professor of Law  
James F. Hogg.....Associate Professor of Law  
Yale Kamisar.....Associate Professor of Law  
Stanley V. Kinyon.....Professor of Law  
Leon M. Liddell.....Professor of Law and Law Librarian  
Robert C. McClure.....Professor of Law  
Allan H. McCoid.....Professor of Law  
Maynard E. Pirsig.....Professor of Law  
Thomas L. Waterbury.....Professor of Law

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As a courtesy to those attending functions, and out of respect for the character of the building, be it resolved by the Board of Regents that there be printed in the programs of all functions held in Cyrus Northrop Memorial Auditorium a request that smoking be confined to the outer lobby on the main floor, to the gallery lobbies, and to the lounge rooms, and that members of the audience be not allowed to use cameras in the auditorium.

# *Order of Events*

ORGAN RECITAL: During the assembling of the audience, Mr. Edward Berryman, Assistant Professor of Music and University Organist, will play.

Sonata II - - - - - Mendelssohn  
Intermezzo - - - - - Widor  
Drifting Clouds - - - - - D'Antalfy

PROCESSIONAL: Theme - - - - - Haydn

INVOCATION: The Reverend Carl A. Hanse, Conference Minister for the Congregational Conference of Minnesota.

WELCOME: Dr. William B. Lockhart, Dean, Law School.

CONFERRING OF OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AWARD: Dr. William B. Lockhart, Dean of the Law School, will confer the award on Mr. Charles M. Dale.

ADDRESS: Mr. Charles M. Dale, "Reminiscences of a Country Lawyer."

PRESENTATION OF CLASS OF 1959 AND PRESENTATION OF HONORS: Mr. Stanley V. Kinyon, Professor of Law.

(The audience will please reserve applause until all students have been presented.)

There will be no recessional. A reception will be held in the Law School Library immediately following the Recognition Exercises.

# Members of

Duane C. Anderson, Minneapolis  
Thornton P. Anderson, Thief River Falls  
Richard J. Battis, St. Paul  
Michael A. Berens, Rochester  
Jerrold F. Bergfalk, Minneapolis  
Bertin A. Bisbee, Jr., Marshall†  
Bernard J. Bischoff, Hibbing  
Bruce W. Blackburn, St. Louis Park  
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Frederick J. Boyne, Mankato  
Arland D. Brusven, Barnesville;  
CUM LAUDE  
Jack L. Chestnut, Minneapolis  
John G. Clark, Park Rapids  
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Thomas E. Collins, Minneapolis  
Sam T. Courey, Jr., Lennox, S.D.  
Patrick J. Creamer, Minneapolis  
Harold J. Dahl, Duluth  
Lin B. Densmore, San Francisco, Calif.  
Paige J. Donnelly, St. Paul  
David F. Durenberger, Collegeville  
Richard W. Edblom, Oakes, N.D.  
Charles R. Edelstein, Hibbing

Miles E. Efron, St. Paul  
Andrew P. Engebretson, Lowry‡  
M. Tedd Evans, Pipestone  
Richard J. FitzGerald, Minneapolis  
Charles T. Flett, Clarkfield  
Gerald B. Forrette, Adrian  
Jay H. Grant, Minneapolis;  
CUM LAUDE  
Richard A. Gullickson, Eau Claire, Wis.  
John A. Harrigan, Stillwater  
Gerard D. Hegstrom, Braham  
Donald R. Herbert, Minneapolis;  
CUM LAUDE  
Alfred L. Hoedeman, Minneapolis  
Vernon S. Hoium, Columbia Heights\*  
Ronald C. Howard, Valley City  
Earl H. A. Isensee, Jr., Minneapolis  
Ronald A. Jacks, Litchfield;  
CUM LAUDE  
John C. Johanneson, Moorhead;  
MAGNA CUM LAUDE  
Larry W. Johnson, Princeton  
James A. Kaehler, Red Wing  
Lester R. Karjala, Menahga  
Roger F. Karon, Duluth

\* March, 1959 graduate.

† July, 1959 graduate.

‡ August, 1959 graduate.

# The Senior Class

Eugene H. Keating, Minneapolis;  
CUM LAUDE

Ryan C. Knapp, Worthington

Richard L. Matykiewicz, St. Paul

Gary J. Meyer, Robbinsdale;  
CUM LAUDE

Robert J. Miller, St. Cloud;  
CUM LAUDE

Marlene G. Mitchell, Minneapolis\*

Carl F. Moore, Minneapolis

Lancy L. Morse, International Falls

Robert W. Murnane, St. Paul

Harlan L. Nelson, Litchfield

Lawrence E. Nerheim, Minneapolis;  
CUM LAUDE

Charles D. Nyberg, Henning

Donald D. Olson, St. Paul

David L. Phillips, Minneapolis

William R. Rosengren, Minneapolis

David J. Saari, Virginia\*

Stephen C. Samels, Minneapolis

Harvey Sarner, New York, N.Y.†

Stephen B. Scallen, Minneapolis;  
CUM LAUDE

Owen E. Shaffer, Fergus Falls

Leslie S. Shapiro, Duluth

Bruce E. Sherwood, Baudette

Dale A. Simonson, Minneapolis

Charles M. Skinner, Minneapolis;\*  
CUM LAUDE

Robert L. Smith, St. Peter

Bernard E. Steffen, Plainview

Philip M. Stone, Virginia

Richard J. Sundberg, St. Paul

Robert C. Swenson, Robbinsdale

Herman L. Talle, Anoka

Ralph S. Towler, Minneapolis

James L. Wahlfors, Minneapolis

Kurt F. Walther, Minneapolis

Lawrence A. Willey, Minneapolis

Robert E. Willow, Minneapolis

Ronald J. Wolf, Minneapolis\*

Robert V. Wurm, Harvey, N.D.

William J. Yaeger, St. Paul

Charles T. Yarusso, St. Paul

Ronald O. W. Ylitalo, Floodwood

Lawrence Zelle, Minneapolis

Richard S. Ziegler, St. Paul

\* March, 1959 graduate.

† July, 1959 graduate.

‡ August, 1959 graduate.

# *Honors*

## ORDER OF THE COIF

National honorary legal fraternity. Members are selected from the top 10 per cent of the graduating class.

Donald R. Herbert

Ronald A. Jacks

Gary J. Meyer

Lawrence E. Nerheim

Stephen B. Scallen

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## MINNESOTA LAW REVIEW

Michael A. Berens, 1956-58

Jerrold F. Bergfalk, 1956-58

Bertin A. Bisbee, Jr., 1957-59

Richard J. Boyce, 1958-59

Charles R. Edelstein, 1956-58;  
President

Donald R. Herbert, 1956-58

Ronald A. Jacks, 1956-58

Larry W. Johnson, 1958-59

Gary J. Meyer, 1956-58

Lawrence E. Nerheim, 1956-58

Stephen B. Scallen, 1957-59;  
President

Charles M. Skinner, 1956-58;  
Assistant Recent Case Editor

Robert C. Swenson, 1956-58

Ralph S. Towler, 1956-58

Lawrence A. Willey, 1956-58

Ronald J. Wolf, 1956-58

Lawrence Zelle, 1956-58

# *Extracurricular Activities*

## **Law School News**

Richard J. FitzGerald, 1957-59

Gerard D. Hegstrom, 1956-59;  
Associate Editor, Editor

Robert C. Swenson, 1958-59

Marlene G. Mitchell, 1956-59;  
Associate Editor, Editor

## **Legal Aid Clinic**

Duane C. Anderson, 1957-59

Bruce W. Blackburn, 1957-59;  
Research Director

Arland D. Brusven, 1957-59

Jack L. Chestnut, 1958-59

Patrick J. Creamer, 1957-59;  
Research Director,  
Executive Director

Marlene G. Mitchell, 1957-59

David J. Saari, 1957-59

Stephen C. Samels, 1958-59

Herman L. Talle, 1958-59

Lin B. Densmore, 1957-59;  
Administrative Director

## **Student Council**

Richard J. FitzGerald, 1957-59;  
President

Robert C. Swenson, 1958-59

Herman L. Talle, 1958-59

## **Minnesota Law Review Business Board**

Richard Edblom, 1958-59;  
Business Manager



## *The Outstanding Achievement Award*

This evening, at the Law School Recognition Exercises, the University of Minnesota has the distinct privilege of presenting the Outstanding Achievement Award to one of its distinguished graduates, an attorney and a leader in government in his state and nation. This recipient symbolizes the qualities of integrity, leadership, and service to mankind which this award represents.

The Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota authorized the establishment of the Outstanding Achievement Award in 1947. This award includes an engraved gold medal and an individually prepared certificate citing the distinguished individual for his signal accomplishments and achievements.

Nominations for Outstanding Achievement Awards are made by the Senate Honors Committee to the Administrative Committee of the University Senate and, upon approval of this Committee, to the Board of Regents.

The awards may be conferred only upon former students of the University who have attained the highest distinction in their chosen fields or in the area of public service. These men and women are looked upon as individuals who have reached the pinnacle of outstanding achievement. Such a man is Charles M. Dale.



*The Regents of the University of Minnesota*

*as a token of high esteem and*

*in recognition of noted professional attainment by*

**Charles M. Dale**

*distinguished graduate of the University of Minnesota*

*former governor of the state of New Hampshire*

*prominent attorney highly respected for his*

*profound knowledge of law*

*esteemed public servant contributing notably to*

*governmental affairs*

*devoted civic leader serving his community, state, and nation*

*deem him to be worthy of special commendation for*

**Outstanding Achievement**

*conferred on June Twelfth, Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-nine*

