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FRANCIS PATRICK BRETT

LL B. 1892

Born December 13, 1869, in Waterbury, Conn

Died May 16, 1946, in Waterbury, Conn

Father, Patrick Brett, secretary and treasurer Waterbury Buckle Company; son of John Brett of Ireland Mother, Elizabeth (Slater) Brett, daughter of John and Hannah (Egan) Slater of Amherst, Mass Yale relatives include a nephew, Patrick B O'Sullivan, '08

Waterbury High School, took summer courses at Amherst College; attended Yale Law School 1890-92 (LL B 1892; member Kent Club), admitted to the bar 1892, lawyer in Waterbury 1892 until retirement about 1910, town clerk and registrar of vital statistics 1900-04 and 1906-09, representative in Connecticut General Assembly 1899 and 1900, on Board of Education, Waterbury, 1893-98, member Connecticut National Guard, Irish Historical Society, Concordia Singing Society, Waterbury Bar Association, and St Margaret's Church (Catholic), Waterbury

Unmarried

Death due to cerebral hemorrhage Buried in Old St Joseph's Cemetery, Waterbury Survived by no immediate relatives

ROBERT MILES GIGNOUX

LL B 1893

Boin January 17, 1868, in Monroe, NY Died December 2, 1945, in San Francisco, Calif

Father, Jean François Gignoux (MD Columbia 1865), a physician and surgeon in Monroe, served in Civil War, son of Claude N and Harriet (Christmas) Gignoux of Nice, France Mother, Elizabeth (Hughes) Gignoux Yale relatives include a cousin, Conrad H Matthiessen, '86 S

Siglar School, Newburgh, NY, attended Yale Law School 1891–93 (LL B 1893, member Phi Gamma Delta and Book and Gavel), admitted to the bar 1893, practiced law with his brother in New York City 1893–1910, president Gignoux Brothers, Inc, real estate, San Francisco, 1910–14, with real-estate subdivision of Richmond Development Company, San Francisco, 1914-34; lawyer in New York City 1934 until return to San Francisco

Married June 26, 1896, in New York City, Louise Mumford, daughter of Edward Payson Fowler (M D New York Medical Coll 1855) Children Mildred Fowler (B A Mount Holyoke 1920; M A Columbia 1923), the wife of Edward Olin Davenport Downes; and Louise Mumford. Mrs. Gignoux is deceased

Death due to hemorrhage from cerebral artery Ashes interred in Chapel of the Chimes, Oakland, Calif Survived by daughters, a granddaugher, a sister, Mrs Elizabeth Gignoux Baner of Monroe, and a brother, Claude Gignoux, '92 S

FRANK EDWARD HEALY

LL B 1893

Born November 8, 1869, in Windsor Locks, Conn

Died December 28, 1945, in Windsor Locks, Conn

Parents, Patrick and Anne (Mullen) Healy

Windsor Locks High School, attended Yale Law School 1891–93 (LLB. 1893, winner Kent Club's first prize for oratory; member Book and Gavel); admitted to the bar 1893, lawyer in Windsor Locks and Hartford, Conn, 1893–1945, senior partner Healy & Egan [William E, '08 L | 1926-29, assistant clerk Connecticut House of Representatives 1897, clerk 1901, clerk of constitutional amendments committee 1902, clerk of bills 1903–05, and engrossing clerk 1905, tax commissioner of Connecticut 1905-09, represented Windsor Locks in Connecticut General Assembly 1913–18 (chairman judiciary committee 1913-14 and speaker 1915–17); attorney general of Connecticut 1919-26; coronor for Hartford County 1935-45, served forty-five terms as member Republican State Committee and many years as chairman Republican Town Committee, on board of directors Connecticut division of Association Against the Prohibition Amendment; member Hartford County Bar Association (president 1942-43) and Masonic order



Married October 20, 1911, in New York City, Florence May, daughter of Frederick Sidney and Emily Elizabeth (Davey) Bragg Children: Anne (BA Wellesley 1935, MA. Middlebury 1937) and Frank Edward, Jr

Death due to pneumonia Buried in St. Mary's Cemetery, Windsor Locks Survived by wife and children

WALTER CAMPBELL SHOUP

LL B. 1893

Born June 5, 1872, in Salmon, Idaho Died October 30, 1945, in Washington, DC

Father, George Laird Shoup, a business man in Salmon; appointed governor of Idaho Territory by President Harrison; elected governor of the new State 1889, United States Senator 1890–1901, Colonel, 3d Regiment, Colorado Volunteer Cavalry, 1864, son of Henry and Jane (McCain) Shoup of Kittanning, Pa, and Galesburg, Ill Mother, Lena (Darnutzer) Shoup, daughter of John and Margaret (Hartman) Darnutzer of St Antonien, Switzerland

Dubuque (Iowa) High School, secretary to his father during the latter's term as governor, attended Yale Law School 1892-93 (LL B 1893; member Kent Club and Book and Gavel), admitted to the bar 1893, lawyer in Salt Lake City 1893–1904 (clerk city court 1896; assistant city attorney 1897, 1902, 1904); resided in Salmon 1904-28 engaged in caring for his financial and mining interests, president Pioneer Bank & Trust Company 1904–28, State Senator from Lemhi County 1908-09, associated with Department of Justice, Washington, 1928-45 (special assistant to the attorney general 1928-January 1, 1930, senior attorney lands division 1939-45), mustered into service as First Lieutenant, Troop D, 2d Regiment, US Volunteer Cavalry, May 19, 1898; stationed at Fort DA Russell, Wyoming, and Camp Cuba Libre, Florida, regimental ordnance officer May 30-September 13, 1898, and judge advocate of General Courts-Martial July 13-September 19, 1898, promoted Captain September 10, mustered out of service October 24, 1898; member Church of the Redeemer (Episcopal), Salmon.

Married June 20, 1911, in Salmon, Josephine, daughter of Thomas Henderson and Melinda Ann (Manful) Ball No children

Death due to an embolism Buried in The National Cemetery, Arlington Survived by wife, three sisters, the Misses Laura, Lena J, and Margaret E Shoup, all of Boise, Idaho, and two brothers, William H and George E Shoup, both of Salmon

FREDERICK LAWTON AVERILL

LL B 1895

Born July 15, 1865, in Bianford, Conn Died December 29, 1945, in Northampton, Mass

Father, George Marshall Averill, master of a coasting vessel and restaurant owner at Indian Neck, Branford, son of John and Almira (Hemingway) Averill of Branford Mother, Harriet Esther (Babcock) Averill, daughter of Russell William and Wealthy Ann (Emmons) Babcock of East Haddam, Conn.

Branford public schools, associated with Jeremiah Smith & Sons, oyster dealers, New Haven, Conn, 1889–90, in house furnishing business in New Haven 1890-95 (with Peck & Parker 1890-93 and Peck & Averill 1893-94), attended Yale Law School 1892-95 (LL B 1895; member P1 Delta Alpha), admitted to the bar 1895, lawyer in New Haven 1895–1912, general registrar of voters in New Haven 1889-96, clerk Court of Common Pleas, New Haven County, 1895-1905, represented New Haven in Connecticut General Assembly session of 1897 (member judiciary committee), organized Indian Neck Land Corporation 1905, vice-president and general manager, unoccupied since 1924, residing in Norwich and Branford, enlisted in 1st Division, Naval Militia, Connecticut National Guard, June 30, 1894, promoted Ensign April 16, 1896, and Lieutenant (1g) and Paymaster, Naval Battalion, July 28, 1897, assigned to duty as assistant paymaster, US Navy, July 18, 1898, served on USS Minnesota and USS Manhattan during Spanish-American War, member Naval Order of the United States, Military Order of Foreign Wars of the United States, United