Justice John C. Arnold

1887-1958

Term

• January 5, 1953-November 9, 1958

Education

• University of Pennsylvania Law School, LL.B., 1909

Professional Experience

- Admitted to the Clearfield County bar, September 26, 1910
- Private Practice, 1910-1916
- Solicitor, Dubois, 1916-1917
- District Attorney, Clearfield County, PA, 1917-1925
- Private practice, 1925-1945, senior partner at Arnold and Chaplin, 1934-1945
- Governor Edward Martin appointed Arnold, Judge, Superior Court of Pennsylvania, March 1945, swearing-in ceremony, April 3, 1945
- Elected Judge, Superior Court of Pennsylvania, November 1945
- Judge, Superior Court of Pennsylvania, April 3, 1945-January 1953
- Elected Justice, Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, November 1952
- Died in Office, November 9, 1958

Honors and Awards

- Honorary LL.D. degree: Dickinson College, 1953
- Citation for outstanding ability and accomplishment in the field of law, Dickinson School of Law, 1958
- Memberships and Associations
- American, Pennsylvania, Clearfield County Bar Associations
- President, Clearfield County Bar Association, 1935-1945
- President, Pennsylvania Bar Association, 1942-1943
- American Judicature Society
- Board of Managers, Law Alumni Society of University of Pennsylvania
- Trustee, Dickinson College
- Trustee, Dickinson School of Law
- Trustee, Shaw Memorial Public Library
- Trinity Methodist Church
- Masonic Order (33rd Degree, Shriner)
- Acorn Club of DuBois
- Delta Chi
- Duquesne Club, Pittsburgh, PA
- Socialegal Club, Philadelphia, PA
- Union League of Philadelphia, PA

Publications

- A Lawyer Squints at Literature: Or, Fie, Fie, Sir Additional Defendants. 13 Pa. Bar Assn. Q. 97 (1941-1942).
- Address of Salutation. 14 Pa. Bar Assn. Q. 204 (1942-1943)

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