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JOHN JOSEPH ROONEY
BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

PROFESSIONAL AND EMPLOYMENT

Law Practice at Hot Springs, South Dakota, 1940

Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Albany, New York,
1941

Resident Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, New York City Of-
fice at Riverhead, Long Island 1942-1946

Resident Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Denver Office at
Cheyenne, Wyoming 1946-1958

Partner, Law Practice, Cheyenne, Wyoming. 1958-1978.

Partners in firm in twenty-year period: C.R. Ellery, Norman B.
Gray, J.J. "Joe" Hickey, John F. Raper, William G. Walton,
James J. Horiskey, William G. Bagley, Paul J. Hickey, David
Evans.

Cheyenne City Attorney, 1968-1970

Attorney for Laramie County School District No. 1, 1974-1979

Wyoming Attorney General, May 1978 - December 1978

Justice, Wyoming Supreme Court, 1979-1986

Chief Justice, Wyoming Supreme Court, 1983-1984

Law Practice: Rooney, Bagley, Hickey, Evans and Statkus Cheyenne,
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COMMUNITY AND PUBLIC SERVICE

Member Wyoming House of Representatives, 1965-1970

Democratic Nominee for Governor, 1970

Administrative Assistant for Senator J.J. "Joe" Hickey, 1961-1963

State Chairman, Wyoming Democratic Party, 1965-1970

PERSONAL BACKGROUND

Born November 30, 1915, Chadron, Nebraska

University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, 1933-1936

University of Colorado, AB; LLB degrees 1936-1940

Wife: Velma Kruse, six children