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# C. Bruce Littlejohn

*(1913-2007)*

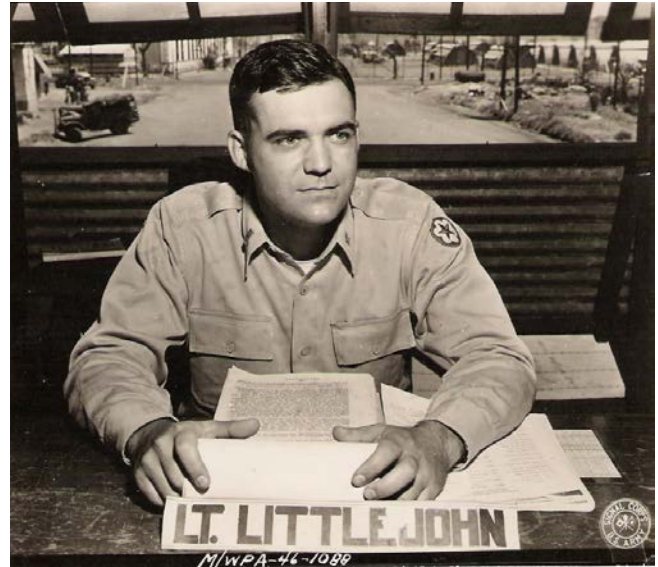
## Papers, 1861, and 1906-2007

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## **Biographical Note:**

Cameron Bruce Littlejohn was born in Pacolet, South Carolina to Cameron and Lady Sarah Littlejohn on July 22, 1913. He was the youngest of eight children. Littlejohn entered Wofford College in 1930 to study English and Political Science. He left Wofford after his junior year to enter the University of South Carolina Law School. There, he landed his first elective office as senior class president and was awarded the LL.B. in 1936. He has since received honorary doctorate degrees from the University of South Carolina, Converse College, Wofford College, and Limestone College. As no written bar examination existed in 1936, Littlejohn and members of his class were sworn in by Chief Justice John G. Stabler upon graduation and signed the role of licensed attorneys permitted to practice law. Five weeks after opening his practice in Spartanburg, he entered the race to represent Spartanburg County in the General Assembly. He toured the county that summer, gathering enough support to win a seat in the House of Representatives. He served four consecutive terms between 1937 and 1943.

Littlejohn resigned from the legislature in the summer of 1943 to enter the U.S. Army, where he served primarily in the quartermaster corps. After the Japanese surrender, he was sent to the Philippines to help prosecute Japanese war criminals for the International War Crimes Commission. On his return to South Carolina in 1946, Littlejohn successfully recaptured his seat in the legislature. When incumbent Speaker Solomon Blatt announced he would not seek re-election, Littlejohn announced his candidacy for the speakership, and won, defeating Thomas H. Pope, Jr., in 1947 by seventeen votes. In addition to his legislative duties, Littlejohn also practiced law with the firm of Odom, Bostick, Littlejohn, and Nolen.



Although Littlejohn spent a great deal of 1948 and early 1949 campaigning for Speaker, he also hoped to win a legislative appointment to the South Carolina Circuit Court, filling the vacancy that would be left by Judge Thomas Sease's retirement in Dec. 1949. This required him to mount a remarkable "dual" campaign, as the election for circuit judge fell just one month after the election for Speaker. Although he encountered little opposition in either race, he campaigned fervently, asserting that "in politics, nothing can be taken for granted and I am pursuing the matter from all angles just as though other candidates were already in the

race.” [6/8/48] For months he corresponded almost daily with legislators and other individuals from around the state. On January 11, 1949, Littlejohn was re-elected Speaker without opposition. On Feb. 9, 1949, he was elected resident judge of the Seventh Circuit Court, defeating Senator Bruce White and Representative Arnold Merchant. He resigned as Speaker on May 12 and stepped down from the General Assembly on Sept. 14. Littlejohn assumed his seat on the bench on Dec. 15, 1949.

Littlejohn’s transition from the legislature to the circuit court marked the beginning of a productive and challenging judicial career. In his new position, Littlejohn continued to merit the respect of colleagues from around the state, as he had during his years in the legislature. A letter from House Speaker Solomon Blatt, dated July 14, 1952, illustrates this esteem— “I miss you in the House. I can now see you standing with the rule book in your hand. We had some lively fights in your day, and I believe we did a good job as the result of those friendly controversies.... I have heard many fine compliments paid you in the fair and able manner in which you preside as a Judge.” Littlejohn’s judicial acumen and far-sightedness manifested in the innovative approaches his court introduced to South Carolina, including the opening statement and the pre-trial conference.



The death of Chief Justice Claude A. Taylor on January 20, 1966, created a vacancy on the state Supreme Court. Littlejohn, fellow Judge Julius B. “Bubba” Ness, state Senator Rembert C. Dennis and former Governor George Bell Timmerman each declared their candidacy. In five months of



weekly balloting, no candidate was able to obtain the necessary number of votes to win the election. As the general elections in Nov. came and passed, Littlejohn campaigned to gather the support of challengers as well as incumbents. After thirteen additional weeks of balloting, the voting pattern averaged Littlejohn 70, Ness 60, Dennis 29, and Timmerman 7, leaving the General Assembly to adjourn for the winter with the position unfilled. When the Assembly reconvened in 1967, having seated

several first-year legislators, Littlejohn’s early efforts paid off. Dennis dropped from the race, Timmerman opted to focus his energies on a circuit judgeship, and Littlejohn received pledges from 47 new members. On January 25, 1967, Littlejohn defeated Ness by 41 votes, and was elected associate justice. Littlejohn was easily re-elected to a full ten-year term in 1972, and again in 1982.

Littlejohn's tenure as associate justice firmly established his commitment to judicial reform in South Carolina. He was especially involved in reviewing and determining the standards for admission of new attorneys and judges to practice law in South Carolina. Between 1981 and 1987 Littlejohn played a particularly active role in Continuing Legal Education seminars sponsored in part by the South Carolina Bar Association. One seminar series in which Littlejohn participated for several years, "Bridge the Gap," assisted attorneys new to the Bar through the transition from law school to actual practice. The South Carolina Judicial Conference benefited from Littlejohn's contributions as a conference coordinator as well as participant for almost two decades. Between 1969 and 1988, Littlejohn visited and corresponded regularly with members of the Conference to develop, revise, and amend the circuit court rules. Littlejohn was also concerned with sentencing disparities among judges. In a letter to Judge Ness dated Oct. 29, 1985, he wrote, "I am convinced that many of the 'Baby Ruth' judges would impose more realistic sentences...if they were required to explain why so many candy bars are being handed out." Littlejohn's service on the Sentencing Alternatives Advisory Committee of the Department of Parole and Community Corrections, as well as his participation in seminars regarding sentencing issues throughout the 1980s and 1990s, reflect his commitment to reform.



Littlejohn's participation in national conferences was equally notable. Motivated by the conviction that "law school accreditation is a farce...to assure good working conditions for the faculty but little...to assure a good education for the law student," [9/29/82] he sought to improve accreditation standards as well as the integrity of the profession. Between 1962 and 1985 he regularly attended annual and semi-annual conferences of the American Bar Association as well as the Association's special sessions for appellate judges and

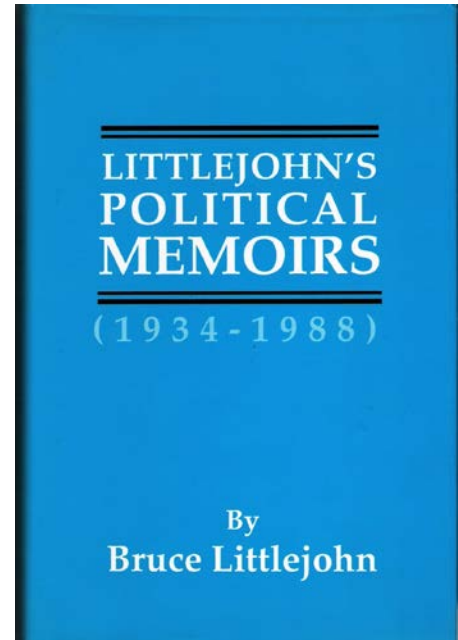
state trial judges. Throughout the 1980s he served on the Implementation Committee of the Judicial Conference of the United States, which studied and made recommendations governing attorneys' admission to federal practice. He also attended the National Center for State Courts' Conference of Chief Justices as delegate for Chief Justice Woodrow Lewis.

In 1984, Justice Lewis reached retirement age, providing Littlejohn the opportunity to run for the office. His longtime colleague and sole potential opponent, "Bubba" Ness, chose not to run. On Feb. 8, 1984, Littlejohn assumed the office of Chief Justice, to serve the remainder of Lewis' unexpired term. He was elected to a full ten-year term on May 9, although he would reach mandatory retirement age the following July. During his sixteen months in office, he helped settle the rule-making authority issue that had divided the judiciary and legislature for years. This bold compromise



granted the legislature veto power over court rules with a three-fifths vote of the General Assembly. Littlejohn considered this compromise “the most important accomplishment of my administration as Chief Justice.” [*South Carolina Forum*, July-Sep 1991] Littlejohn retired as Chief Justice on July 22, 1985, at the age of 72.

Littlejohn continued well into the 1990s to hold court and offer opinions as Chief Justice, Retired. Additionally, he was a prolific writer. He is the author of three books, *Laugh with the Judge* [1974], a collection of amusing courtroom incidents that occurred between 1949 and 1974; *Littlejohn’s Half-Century at the Bench and Bar* [1987], an historical account of changes in the South Carolina court system between 1936 and 1986; and *Littlejohn’s Political Memoirs* [1989], a firsthand review of South Carolina politics from 1936 to 1988. His popular writing style and the breadth of his experiences proved to be a successful combination. The reputation of *Laugh with the Judge* even reached a member of the Supreme Court of Pakistan, who wrote: “In one of the recent issues of the American Bar Association Journal, I was really impressed to find a brief and lucid introduction of your worthy book... I am, therefore, venturing to write you with the request that you may please extend the grace of getting a copy of this esteemed publication.” [10/20/75] Greenville U.S. District Judge Joe Anderson, Jr. described *Littlejohn’s Half-Century* as “an invaluable research tool for scholars and others interested in our profession and the history of our state.” [2/4/88] For a number of years, Littlejohn contributed a regular column to the South Carolina State Bar’s newsletter *The Transcript*, titled “Chatting with the Bar.” National law journals also published several of his articles.



Judge Littlejohn passed away April 21, 2007.



### **Scope and Content Note:**

The collection consists of 20 linear feet of records, 1861, and 1906 to 2007, chiefly 1935 to 1998, arranged in eight series — Public, Personal, Clippings, Judicial Papers, Miscellaneous, Audiovisual, Vertical File Materials, and Oversize Materials.

Public Papers document Littlejohn’s legislative career as member and Speaker of the South Carolina House of Representatives, 1936 to 1943 and 1946 to 1949, as well as his active participation and leadership in several local and national conferences and committees related to his service as resident judge of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of South Carolina, 1949 to 1967, his tenure as associate justice of the South Carolina Supreme Court, 1967 to 1984, and Chief Justice, 1984 to 1985. Public papers also contain Littlejohn’s speeches covering a

broad range of political, legal, and judicial topics.

Personal papers primarily concern Littlejohn's political campaigns and writings. Campaign files reflect his exhaustive and successful efforts throughout 1948 and 1949 to gather support for his election as Speaker and as resident judge of the Seventh Circuit, as well as his campaign for associate justice of the Supreme Court. Material relating to Littlejohn's writing includes correspondence, drafts of *Laugh with the Judge* and *Littlejohn's Half-Century at the Bench and Bar*, as well as drafts of articles written for local and national legal journals and newsletters. Judicial papers contain correspondence, notes, and case rosters compiled during Littlejohn's years on the judiciary.

### ***Public Papers***

General Papers, 1936 to 1998, .5 ft., contains documents generated during Littlejohn's political and judicial careers. Papers relating to his legislative career include correspondence with colleagues in the General Assembly, letters written to colleagues during his campaign for re-election to the Assembly and for Speaker, and correspondence regarding committee appointments, and other legal and political issues. Papers relating to his early days as circuit court judge consist primarily of correspondence with other attorneys and clerks between 1949 and 1958.

Conferences and Seminars, 1967 to 1988, 3.25 ft., illustrates Littlejohn's concern for the integrity of his profession through correspondence, notes, minutes, schedules, and background material that reflects his participation in local, state, and national gatherings. Papers between 1981 and 1989 document his role in Continuing Legal Education seminars sponsored in part by the South Carolina



Bar Association. His contributions to the South Carolina Judicial Conference, 1969 to 1988, are described in notes and correspondence with fellow members. Other material represents Littlejohn's attendance at American Bar Association conferences, including Appellate Judges seminars and State Trial Judges seminars between 1962 and 1985. Material from his service on the Implementation Committee of the Judicial Conference of the U.S. between 1981 and 1985, and the National Center for State Courts' Conference of Chief Justices between 1971 and 1985 is also represented. Subjects such as judicial ethics and dispute resolution are included in material from several independent seminars.

Speeches, 1938 to 1993, consists of handwritten and typed manuscripts covering a wide range of political topics and social events. The earliest items are campaign speeches presented by a young, ambitious Bruce Littlejohn to live audiences and radio listeners during his 1938, 1940, 1942 and 1948 General Assembly election campaigns. Littlejohn spoke at several conferences and gatherings throughout the 1960s on topics including crime, law enforcement, the role of the judiciary, and community involvement. Littlejohn's speeches from the 1970s reflect his growing commitment to

judicial reform. Speeches between 1980 and 1989 further illustrate this commitment, and address topics such as judicial ethics, lawyer competency, professional responsibility, continuing legal education, sentencing disparities and arbitration. A 1993 speech honors Roger Milliken on his induction into the South Carolina Hall of Fame.

Topical Files, 1960 to 1989, 2 ft., reflects Littlejohn's numerous professional contributions and interests. His work on behalf of judicial reform is evident in material generated during his participation in a number of South Carolina Supreme Court special committees, which studied and proposed guidelines to ensure the quality and integrity of practicing attorneys, as well rules for appellate, circuit, and family courts. Papers also document his service on the Sentencing Alternatives Advisory Committee of the Department of Parole and Community Corrections.



**Personal Papers** include correspondence and other records of a personal nature. Included among the personal Topical Files in the Littlejohn Family file are two Civil War letters. A letter, 13 June 1861



from E.B. Logan notes "We have hard times we Drill 6 times a day it is thought we will have a fight in about 20 days." A letter, 16 Dec. 1861, from Jas. R. Warmoth, Pocotaligo, describes a battle on Hilton Head Island. Other topical files include Awards and Certificates, genealogical information, and records of reunions of the USC Law School, Littlejohn's participation in the International War Crimes Commission during World War II, the 1964 Democratic National Convention in Atlantic City, and the Democratic Party of South Carolina, 1964 to 1967.

Campaign Files, 1936 to 1984, 2 ft., documents Littlejohn's successful efforts in his 1949 elections as Speaker and Circuit Court Judge, his 1967 election as Supreme Court Associate Justice, and his 1982 re-election. Material covering the 1967 election is arranged by county, as Littlejohn originally organized it.



Writings, 1964 to 1988, 3 ft., includes drafts of *Laugh with the Judge* and *Littlejohn's Half-Century at the Bench and Bar*, followed by notes, reference material, and correspondence between Littlejohn and his editors and publishers. Drafts and published articles dating from 1985 through early 1992 document Littlejohn's contributions to several publications, including a regular series published in the South Carolina State Bar's newsletter *The Transcript*, titled "Chatting with the Bar." Also included are letters, article drafts and notes compiled during Littlejohn's service on the editorial committee of the *Trial Judges Journal*, a quarterly publication of the American Bar Association's National Conference of State Trial Judges. Littlejohn served on the committee from 1964 to 1967.



**Clippings**, 1935 to 1994, 1.75 ft., contains material that highlights Littlejohn's early legislative election campaigns and his judicial career, as well as topical material reflecting Littlejohn's personal and professional interests. Particularly noteworthy is an oversized scrapbook containing clippings from South Carolina newspapers such as the *Spartanburg Herald*, *Greenville News*, and *Columbia Record*, chronicling Littlejohn's activities in the General Assembly, election as Speaker, and election and early days as Seventh Circuit Judge.

**Judicial Papers**, 1965 to 1994, 2.5 ft., consists of correspondence, notes, case rosters, and case-related documents compiled during Littlejohn's years on the bench. Correspondence with attorneys and other justices regarding cases and legal principles supplements the official public record. Littlejohn's notes and annotated documents offer insights into the intellectual process that resulted in his printed legal opinions. Case rosters are also annotated, reflecting Littlejohn's daily activities. Case-related documents include orders and opinions.

**Audiovisual** consists of audiocassettes, records, and reels; negatives and photographs; VHS and one DVD of various materials. The audio cassettes have been fully digitized and consist of speeches and interviews Littlejohn made including commencement addresses to Converse College and Limestone College. Photographs include family pictures as well as four scrapbooks and photographs from Littlejohn's service in World War II.

**Vertical File Materials**, 1966 to 2007, 0.2 ft., contain information gathered by SCPC relating to Littlejohn and may duplicate information already present in the collection.

The **Oversized Materials** subseries includes several large format photographs of the Supreme Court of South Carolina, two state resolutions, and a citation for the Honorary Degree of a Doctor of Laws from the University of South Carolina.



## COLLECTION INVENTORY

### **Public Papers:**

**Box 1**

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    Jan. - May  
    June - Dec.  
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    Jan. - Apr.  
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    Jan. - July 15  
    July 16 - Dec.  
1953:  
    Jan. - Aug.  
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    Jan. - June  
    July - Dec.  
1955:  
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#### Conferences and Seminars:

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##### Bar Association:

##### General Conferences:

1956

1981  
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1987  
Citizens' Conferences, 1971 - 1975  
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    General, 1982 - 1983  
    Bridge the Gap Seminars:  
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        1986  
        1987  
    Under-Insured Motorist, 1984  
Defense Attorneys Association, 1973 - 1974 (2)  
Hilton Head Bar Association, Legal Ethics Seminar, 1985  
Judicial Conference Seminars:  
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    Appellate Judges Conference, 1983  
    Family Court:  
        1977  
        1983  
    New Judges, 1985  
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    American Bar Association Conference, Judicial Administration Division:  
        General:  
            1964 - 1967  
            1971  
            1973  
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        Appellate Judges:  
            1967 - 1969  
            1970  
            1972

Enhancing the Competence of Lawyers Seminar, 1981  
National Conference of State Trial Judges:  
    General, 1965  
    Southeast Seminar of State Trial Judges, 1962  
Continuing Legal Education, Southern Appellate Court Judges Seminars:  
    1967  
    1969 - 1971  
Council on Legal Education for Professional Responsibility, 1979  
Council of State Governments, Conference of Chief Justices, 1968  
Federal Judicial Center, State-Federal Appellate Judges, 1970  
Judicial Conference of the United States, Implementation Committee, Admission of  
Attorneys to Federal Practice:  
    1981:  
        Feb.  
  
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1982:  
    Apr.  
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    Jan.  
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1984:  
    Jan.  
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National Center for State Courts, Conference of Chief Justices:  
    1971  
    1980:  
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    1985  
National College of the State Judiciary, Appellate Judges Seminar, 1973  
National Conference on the Judiciary, 1971  
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    Committee, 1985 - 1987:  
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    Judicial Reform:  
        General, 1967 - 1972  
        Arbitration, 1984  
        Court Rules  
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    Memorials:  
        General  
        Brailsford, James M., 1994  
        Ness, Julius B., 1992  
        Sease, Thomas Sidney, 1947-1966  
    Sentencing Guidelines, 1980 - 1993  
    South Carolina:  
        Council for Mediation and Dispute Resolution, 1993  
        Judicial Council, 1984 - 1985:  
            General  
            Reports and Drafts (2)  
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Appellate Rules Committee:

General:

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Swearing-In Ceremonies [CBL as 7<sup>th</sup> Circuit Court Judge], 1949

Transportation Expenses:

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University of South Carolina:

Continuing Education, 1982 - 1983

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Christian Businessmen's Committee, Littlejohn Appreciation Banquet, 1974

Converse College, Honorary Degree, 1985

Limestone College, Honorary Doctor of Laws Degree, 1990  
Palmetto Boy Scouts Council  
Phi Beta Kappa, 1985  
Salvation Army, Toast of the Town, 2005  
Wofford College, Honorary Doctor of Laws Degree, 1968  
Biographical Sketches  
Congratulatory Correspondence on Election as Chief Justice, Jan.-May 1984  
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        Class Reunions:  
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            Reflections on Attending the Law School, 5 pp., c. 1996  
    Undergraduate Reflections  
World War II:  
    Army Service, 1942-1947

International War Crimes Commission, 1945

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     c. 1948  
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         c. 1949  
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     County Files [*see also* 1967]:  
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         Charleston  
  
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         Georgetown  
         Greenville  
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         Horry - Lexington  
         Marion - Pickens  
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         Williamsburg  
         York  
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     Recommendations, Bar Association  
     Republicans  
 1967:  
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 Swearing In Ceremonies  
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Writings:

Articles:

    "Chatting with the Bar":

        Correspondence

        Drafts:

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Others:

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June:

18, Comments at Swearing-in Ceremonies for Chive Justice Elect J.B. Ness - Columbia, SC

21, Bob Wynn's Speech at SC Bar Foundation Banquet

21, Response of Chief Justice Bruce Littlejohn at Banquet in his Honor Given by SC Bar at Annual Convention at Charleston, SC (Dictated from memory upon return to

Spartanburg)

21, Suggestions for Bill Youngblood's Slide Presentation at Annual SC Bar Meeting in Charleston, SC, Honoring Retiring Chief Justice Littlejohn (Slides shown by Judge Littlejohn at Rotary Meeting in Spartanburg on July 23, 1985)

30, Comments at the Sam Manning Program at Anderson Mill Celebrating the County's Two-Hundredth Birthday

July:

1, Remarks at Greenville County Courthouse Incident to the Retirement of Judge Frank Eppes at the Swearing-in of William Traxler, Jr., as Circuit Judge and Joseph J. Watson as Solicitor

12, Comments of Chief Justice Bruce Littlejohn at Ceremonies Incident to Swearing-in of Honorable Ernest A. Finney, Jr. as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court - Columbia, SC

22, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Roasting of Chief Justice J. Bubba Ness at Orangeburg, SC

Aug.:

4, Editorial by Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, for Greenville News, Entitled "Court Reform in SC"

30, "Opinions - Dissenting, Concurring and Per Curiam" by Bruce Littlejohn, Used at Seminar for Appellate Judges' Law Clerks and Staff Attorneys in Columbia, SC

Sept. 26, Remarks of Chief Justice Bruce Littlejohn, Retired, Civitan Club - Ladies Night, the Piedmont Club, Spartanburg, SC

Nov.:

2, Remarks of Chief Justice Bruce Littlejohn, Retired, at Cystic Fibrosis Foundation Banquet Honoring US Senator Strom Thurmond, Marriott Hotel, Columbia, SC

11, Address of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of SC, Retired, at American Legion Meeting in Union, SC

25, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Pebble Creek Golf Course, "Rick Vieth Golf Outing," "Roasting of Horace C. Smith"

Dec.

13, Speech of Chief Justice Bruce Littlejohn, Retired, at Christmas Party Given by Sheriff Larry Smith at Duncan Shrine Club

20, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, Retired, at Roasting of Louis T. Cox at Christmas Gathering at Seville Apartments, Spartanburg, SC

c. 1985, Better Briefs: A View from the Bench by Bruce Littlejohn and Alexander M. Sanders - Prepared for Inclusion in the SC Appellate Practice Handbook

1986:

Feb.:

9, Speech of Chief Justice Bruce Littlejohn, Retired, at Church of the Advent, at Men of the Church Breakfast, Spartanburg, SC

13, Remarks of Chief Justice Bruce Littlejohn, Retired, at Civitan Club Meeting, Rockingham, NC, "Let's Sue Somebody"

19, Address of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Palmetto Council Leadership Dinner at the Piedmont Club, Spartanburg, SC

Mar.:

6, Address of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, of the Supreme Court of SC at "Bridge the

Gap” Program, “The Lawyer and Ethics”

7, Discussion by Chief Justice Bruce Littlejohn, Retired, at “Bridge the Gap” Program, “Settlement of Lawsuits”

May:

4, Commencement Address of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, of the Supreme Court of SC, at Spartanburg Methodist College - “Venture Beyond the Horizon”

17, Commencement Speech of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, Retired, at North Greenville College - “The World You Inherit”

22, Speech of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, of the Supreme Court of SC at Spartanburg Leadership Graduation Program, at the Carolina Country Club

June 20, Comments at the Law School upon Occasion of Presentation of Portrait to the SC Museum

July 22, Remarks of Chief Justice Bruce Littlejohn, Retired, at Convention of Restaurant Security People at Myrtle Beach, SC - “Security Problems”

Aug. 4, Introductory Remarks of Chief Justice Bruce Littlejohn, Retired, as Part of Introduction to the “Bridge the Gap” Program, USC Law School, Columbia, SC

Aug. 8, “Negotiation and Settlement,” Chief Justice C. Bruce Littlejohn, Retired

1987:

Jan.:

5, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn at Swearing-in Ceremonies for Probate Judge Raymond Eubanks, Chairman Lachlan Hyatt, & Council Members Sally Peake and Danny Smith Spartanburg County Courthouse

23, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at SC Bar Mid-Winter Meeting at Charleston, SC

Feb. 11, Response of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, Upon Presentation of J. Neville Holcombe Distinguished Citizenship Award, by Chamber of Commerce, Spartanburg, SC

Mar.:

4, Address of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, of the Supreme Court of SC at “Bridge the Gap” Program, “The Lawyer and Ethics”

30, Remarks Made at the Lions Club Meeting at Spartanburg, SC Monday, “Crime”

Apr. 15, Remarks Made at “The Shepherd Center” at the First Presbyterian Church in Spartanburg, SC, “Punishment for Crime”

May 1, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Unveiling of Plaque, Law Day, Spartanburg County Courthouse

July 4, Address of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at the Pacolet Fourth of July Celebration Honoring Veterans

Aug.:

3, Introductory Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn as Part of Introduction to the “Bridge the Gap” Program at the USC Law School, Columbia, SC

5, Address of Bruce Littlejohn at “Bridge the Gap” Program at USC, Columbia, SC, “The Lawyer and Ethics”

28, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Law Clerk Seminar, Columbia, SC

Sept. 17, Article to be Printed in the Spartanburg Herald-Journal on “What the Constitution Means to Me”

Oct. 15, Speech of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at the SC Library Association Convention, Hyatt House, Greenville, SC “Necessity of Respect for Law”

Nov. 4, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn at the Roasting of Pete Strom of SLED at Union



1988:

Jan.:

23, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired at Mid-Winter Meeting of SC Bar at Columbia, SC, "Fifty Years at the Bench and Bar"

29, Remarks at Civitan Luncheon in Spartanburg by Judge Littlejohn, "50 Years at the Bench and Bar"

Feb. 3, Comments at Memorial Ceremony and Presentation of Portrait Honoring the Honorable William L. Rhodes Jr. Supreme Court Building, Columbia, SC

Mar. 24, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn to Ron Romaine's Class on Local and State Government, USC at Spartanburg

Apr. 21, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn at Roasting of Charles C. Moore at Ramada Inn, Spartanburg, SC

May 2, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Law Day Program, Spartanburg County Courthouse, "Law Day -- 1988"

June 26, "Ordination Prayer" by Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Inell Allen's Ordination at First Baptist Church, Rockingham, NC

Aug.:

23, Comments Made at Retirement Luncheon for City Attorney Emmet Walsh at the Piedmont Club in Spartanburg, SC

26, Remarks made at the SC Judicial Conference in Columbia, SC - "Judges - A Breed Apart"

Sept. 9, Comments at Family Court JCLE, Columbia, SC, "Arbitration and Mediation as a Practical Alternative"

Oct. 23, Comments at Dedication of Spartanburg County Administrative Building (Sears), Spartanburg, SC

Nov.:

15, Remarks at Roasting - Retirement Party for Sheriff Larry Smith, Spartanburg, SC

29, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Phi Alpha Delta Meeting, Columbia, SC, "Isn't There a Better Way?"

Dec. 5, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Spartanburg Regional Medical Center for the Lighting of the Tree Program, Spartanburg, SC, "Hospice"

1989:

Jan. 31, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn at the Pacolet Division of the Spartanburg Chamber of Commerce, Pacolet, SC - "Pacolet - Yesterday and Today"

Feb. 3, Address to Graduating Class at the SC Law Enforcement Academy, Columbia, SC "New Skills in Law Enforcement"

May 22, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn at Unveiling of Portrait of US District Court Judge Charles E. Simons Jr., USC Columbia, SC

June:

2, Commencement Address of Bruce Littlejohn, at the Spartanburg Day School in Spartanburg, "Beyond Commencement"

15, Remarks at Sertoma Club Breakfast Meeting, Heron Circle, Spartanburg, SC "Respect for the Law"

23, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn at Funeral of Paul M. Moore, Spartanburg, SC

July 11, Article of Bruce Littlejohn for Publication in the SC Lawyers Magazine of the SC Bar "Isn't There a Simpler Way to Settle Disputes?"

Aug. 25, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at SC Judicial Conference, Columbia,

SC

Sept. 13, Introductory Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, for Seminar in the Humanities, Seabrook Island, Charleston, SC, "Emancipation of Women"

Nov. 23, Remarks at Thanksgiving Morning Worship Service, First Baptist Church, Spartanburg, SC

Dec. 5, Remarks at Mayor Lewis Miller Appreciation Day Banquet, Spartanburg Memorial Auditorium, Spartanburg, SC

1990:

Jan. 31, Remarks at Meeting of the House of Representatives Judicial Committee at the State House, Columbia, SC

Mar.:

1, Remarks at Meeting of State Farm Insurance Adjusters in Myrtle Beach, SC - "Arbitration - the Way of the Future"

6, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn at Meeting of Chamber of Commerce, Presenting Holcombe Citizenship Award to Hubert Hendrix, Spartanburg, SC

29, Comments at Breakfast Meeting of Municipal Association of SC, "SC Court Overview," Columbia, SC

May 5, Commencement Address of Bruce Littlejohn, at Limestone College, Gaffney, SC, "A Look at Tomorrow"

June 9, Address at the Convention of the Association of American Textile Chemists and Colorists, Myrtle Beach, SC, "What's Cooking in Courts"

Sept. 15, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn at Wofford College Leadership Program, Spartanburg, SC "Wofford, a Mighty Oak"

Nov. 8, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn at Kiwanis Meetings in Spartanburg, SC - "The Re-arising of the Republican Party in SC"

c. 1990, Bruce Littlejohn's Introductory Comments on "Procedural Guidelines for the Judicial Screening Committee" Made to the General Assembly of SC, Columbia, SC

c. 1990, New Appellate Court Rules, Effective Sept. 1, 1990

c. 1990, "The Media Has Changed Political Campaigning" by Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired of the Supreme Court of SC

1991:

May 1, Bruce Littlejohn's Remarks at Law Day in Spartanburg Regarding Thomas Emmet Walsh

May 22, "Gun Control and the Brady Bill" by Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, Supreme Court of SC

Aug. 27, Synopsis of J. B. "Bubba" Ness' Accomplishments in the Administration of Justice in SC

Oct. 7, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn at Roasting of Charles E. Simons Jr., Legal Secretaries Meeting, Aiken, SC

Nov.:

6, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn at Professor David Bruck's Class at the USC Law School "Capital Punishment - Public Opinion"

12, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired at the Spartanburg County Mental Health Association Meeting, "Stress in the Workplace"

13, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn at Funeral of J. B. Ness in Bamberg, SC

1992:

Feb. 27, Remarks at Lyman Division of the Spartanburg Chamber of Commerce, Lyman, SC, "Lyman - Yesterday and Today"

Mar. 16, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, Introducing Chief Justice David W.

Harwell, the Lions Club, Spartanburg, SC

Apr. 27, Speech of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired at Academic Excellence Banquet, Spartanburg High School, "The Constitution"

May:

27, Speech of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Academic

n.d. Bruce Littlejohn's Memorial to Chief Justice Julius B. Ness to Appear in Legislative Papers

Sept. 3, Remarks Mad at Kiwanis Club for Allen Tewkesbury in Spartanburg - "Fifty-Six Years at the Bench and Bar"

Oct. 1, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn at Ceremonial Court in Charleston, SC, Incident to Alexander Sanders Assuming Presidency of College of Charleston

Nov. 16, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn at Meeting of Nationwide Insurance Liability Managers Meeting, Columbia, SC, "Arbitration -- The Way of the Future"

1993:

Jan. 4, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, at Swearing-in Ceremonies of Spartanburg County Council Members Johnnye Code Stewart, H. David Britt, Danny E. Allen, Coroner Jim Burnett, Sheriff Bill Coffey, Solicitor Holman C. Gossett Jr., and Clerk of Court Kenneth R. Huckaby, at Spartanburg County Administrative Building, Spartanburg, SC

Apr. 30, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn at Meeting of SC Claims Association Convention (Arbitration Forums, Inc.), Myrtle Beach, SC, "Arbitrations and Mediations, a Better Way"

1994:

Feb. 16, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Court of Appeals Ceremonial in Columbia Incident to the Retirement of Reba Mims, Clerk of Court

May 6, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Law Day, Spartanburg, SC, in Memory of Senator Charles C. Moore

July:

n.d., Memorial to Associate Justice James Moncrieff Brails-Ford, Jr. by Bruce Littlejohn, to be published in SC Reports

n.d. "Suggestions to Lero, My Hero"

Oct. 18, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn, Carolina Country Club, Honoring John White as "Distinguished Citizen of 1994" by Board of Realtors

1995:

Feb. 16, Civitan Ladies' Night, Rockingham, NC, "Respect for the Law"

Apr.:

14, Spartanburg Sertoma Club, Piedmont Club, Spartanburg, SC, "The Re-arising of the Republican Party"

24, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Spartanburg, SC Chamber of Commerce Dinner Honoring Walter J. Brown with the "The Neville Holcombe Distinguished Citizenship Award"

30, Loyalty Celebration, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Spartanburg, SC, "Loyalty Day"

1996:

Feb. 24, Comments at Birthday Luncheon in Honor of Judge Donald Russell, Piedmont Club, Spartanburg, SC

June:

3, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, at Lion's Club, "Sixty Years at the Bench and Bar"

c. 1996, "Women, a Plus for the Law"

1997:

Mar. 4, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Meeting of Spartanburg Area Chamber of Commerce, Presenting the Neville Holcome Distinguished Citizenship Award to E. Lewis Miller, Jr.

Oct. 23, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Palmetto Scouts Awards

Nov. 16, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, Memorial Service of Judge Harry Agnew, Anderson College

1998:

Mar.:

14, Russell Williams Wedding

23, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Salvation Army Banquet Honoring John White

May 28, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Roast/Toast of Rev. Kirk Neely, Spartanburg, SC

1999:

May 15, Address of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, to the University of South Carolinian Society, Columbia, SC, "The Re-arising of the Republican Party in SC"

Aug. 28, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Converse College to Graduating Class of Paralegals

Oct. 29, Remarks of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Funeral of US District Court Judge Charles E. Simons, Jr.

2000, May 1, In Memory of Howard Carlisle Bean Presented by Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, Law Day, at Spartanburg County Courthouse

2001, Dec. 12, "Arbitration and Mediation, A Substitute for Civil Litigation" by Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice, Retired, at Greenville

2003, May 13, Comments of Bruce Littlejohn, at Salvation Army Toasting/Roasting of Dr. Kirk Neely

2005:

Jan., Notes for Comments at SC Bar Convention in Charleston, SC on Program for Senior Citizens

Apr. 9, Speech of Bruce Littlejohn, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of SC, Retired, at the Donald Stuart Russell Symposium in Columbia, SC

2006:

Mar. 16, Comments at Reception Honoring Mark Hammond at the Piedmont Club in Spartanburg, SC

Aug. 8, Comments at Rotary Club, Spartanburg, SC, "The Re-arising of the Republican Party in SC"

n.d.:

"What's Your Name? What Does It Stand For?" By Walter E. McDaniel

"SC Concurr with C.J." by Bruce Littlejohn, Associate Justice, Supreme Court of SC

Briefs

"Welcome and Overview of the SC Court Systems"

"Lawyer Competency: A Growing Concern" by Bruce Littlejohn

"Family Court Law/Rule of Law or Man"

"Opinions: Dissenting, Concurring and Per Curiam" by Bruce Littlejohn

Bruce Littlejohn, Speech made Somewhere, at Some time to Some Lawyers (Found in File but Cannot Remember

## APPENDIX B

### Oversized Materials

**Photos:**

The Supreme Court of South Carolina February 15, 1956 (2)  
The Supreme Court of South Carolina 1961  
Spartanburg County Bar Association Composite Photo, 1964  
SC Supreme Court Justices with SC Circuit Court Judges from August 1974  
SC Supreme Court Justices from January 1975  
Spartanburg county Bar Association Composite Photo, 1998  
Littlejohn at the First Baptist Church of Pacolet on July 12, 2004 (in envelope)  
Supreme Court of South Carolina, n.d.

**Resolution** naming of a new railroad overpass near Pacolet on Secondary Road 108 at White Stone as the “C. Bruce Littlejohn Overpass” by the SC State Highways and Public Transportation Commission, June 21, 1984

**Resolution** for Littlejohn to be honored and commemorated by the placing of an aluminum cast plaque in the lobby of the courthouse in Spartanburg, April 22, 1987

**Citation** for the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws from the University of South Carolina