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Mr. F. Morse Hubbard

Mr. F. Morse Hubbard, 90, of Crockett, Texas, died Feb. 3, 1973 in Crockett. Mr. Hubbard was a retired attorney-at-law, member of the Bar of the State of New York and of the Supreme Court of the U.S., was born on March 15, 1882. He graduated from Colgate University A. B. in 1905, Phi Beta Kappa, member of DKE Fraternity. He took graduate work for three years at Columbia University. Graduated from New York University School of Law, J. D. Thea Sigma Lambda Fraternity. Practiced law in New York City for 25 years as a member of the firm of Catterlee and Canfield. During World War I he was appointed to the staff of the Bureau of Internal Revenue in Washington, D. C., where he assisted in drafting numerous tax regulations and prepared the first draft of the income tax portion of the bill which wa ultimately enacted as the Revenue Act of 1918. In the 1950s and 1960s he served as an attorney on the staff of the Joint Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation in Washington. During this period he participated in the drafting of tax legislation a history of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 which was published by the Government Printing Office in 1967. Among his publications are: Hubbard's Federal Income Tax Laws, Annotated (3000 pages, Baker, Voorhis and Co., New York 1929), Terminology of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (Government Print office, 1956), Legislative History of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (1,300 pages Government Printing Office, 1967), miscellaneous reports prepared as counsel and published as legislative documents for various committees of the New York State Legislature, articles contributed to Columbia Law Review and Minnesota Law Review. Survivors: Son, Ford Hubbard, of Housotn; sister, Mrs. Nellie Pierce, Corning, New York; grandson, Ford Hubbard, Jr. of Houston; great-grandson, Ford Hubbard III of Houston, Mrs. Hubbard's wife, Louise, preceded him in death in 1963; a sister, Mrs. Lyra Elsberre, died in 1938 and his brother, Munro Hubbard, died in 1953. remains were taken overland to Houston for cremation at Brookside Crematory, 3:30 p.m., Feb. 5, 1973. Callaway Funeral Home, 610 E. Houston Ave., Crockett, 544-2244.

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