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WORK of ART

MINORITY MEMORANDUM

September 21, 1940

Remitter: H. L. Krebs (59516)--Class G.

Title: "W. L. Willkie"

Question: Division of opinion as to whether copies deposited are acceptable as identifying reproductions of unpublished works of art.

Two copies have been deposited, which are not identical. Of the copy with a white background Mrs. Brady states:

"This deposit appears to me to be a retouched photograph. Requires J1, if published, J2, if unpublished."

Of the copy with the darker background Mrs. Brady states:

"This deposit appears to me to be an identifying reproduction of a crayon portrait. The crayon portrait may have been drawn from the photograph (herewith) which appears, itself, to have been retouched."

Respectfully submitted,

M. C. BRADY

Member of Revisory Board

Register as applied for--H.A. Howell 9/27/40.

BOOK

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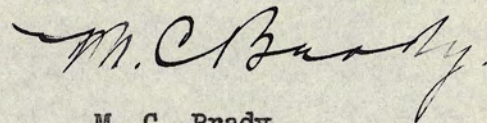
Sept. 25, 1940

Remitter: The Bobbs-Merrill Company (No. 54341)

Title: Arizona Code 1939 - Volume 1.

Question: Variance in statement of authorship.

The undersigned dissents from the opinion of Mr. Wise and Mr. Smith with respect to the statement of authorship in the application, because it is at variance with statement on the copies. The Publishers Editorial Staff are given in the application as joint authors with the three members of the Supreme Court of Arizona. The statement on the title page, that the work was "Compiled under the Supervision of the Members of the Supreme Court of Arizona-Chief Justice Henry D. Ross, Associate Justices Alfred C. Lockwood, Archibald G. McAlister," may not be a true statement of authorship. The actual compilation may have been done by the Publishers Editorial Staff. An explanation in that case would be required, and a new application giving only the Publishers Editorial Staff in line 3. The statement "Compiled under the Supervision" etc., should in that case be used as part of the title in line 6.



M. C. Brady

Enter as applied for--H. A. Howell.

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September 21, 1940

Remitter: Bobbs-Merrill Co. (54341)--Class A.

Title: "Arizona Code 1939 Vol. 1"

Question: Division of opinion as to whether correspondence should be conducted because of additional statement in authorship line as follows: "The publisher's editorial staff."

The names of the authors appearing on the title-page of the work are as follows: Chief Justice Henry D. Ross, and Associate Justices Alfred C. Lockwood and Archibald G. McAlister. The application in addition to these names gives in space (3) "The Publisher's Editorial Staff."

In the opinion of Mr. Wise and Mr. Smith registration should be made as applied for. It is obvious that such outstanding men as Chief Justice Ross and Associate Justices Lockwood and McAlister would not perform all of the tedious editorial work incident to a volume of this character. It is likewise true that credit to the publisher's editorial staff would not be given on the title-page since it would probably detract from the prestige given the volume by the names of the Justices as authors. For these reasons the application giving the full and complete stories should be accepted and registration made as applied for. Mrs. Brady, on the other hand, takes the position that correspondence should be conducted calling attention to the variance in authorship, and advise that credit should be given the editorial staff on the title-page.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. A. Howell
Chairman, Revisory Board

Enter as applied for--H. A. Howell.