## Office of the White House Press Secretary

## NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced his intention to nominate Phil M. McNagny, Jr., of Columbia City, Indiana, to be United States Judge for the Northern District o of Indiana, He will succeed George Beamer who died November 21, 1974.

Since 1960, Mr. McNagny has been in the practice of law with the firm of Gates, Gates and McNagny.

A biographical sketch is attached.

## PHIL M. McNAGNY, JR.

Born: July 16, 1924 Fort Wayne, Indiana

Legal Residence: Indiana

Married Wife-Patricia Ann Gates

4 children

Education: 1942-1943 University of the South

1945-1947 University of Virginia

1947-1949 Indiana University Law School

LL.B. degree

Bar: Indiana

Military Service: 1943-1945 U.S. Marine Corps

Experience: 1950 Wood & Wood, Angola, Indiana

Gates & Gates, Columbia City, Ind.

1953-1955 Assistant U.S. Attorney

Northern District of Indiana

1955-1959 United States Attorney

Northern District of Indiana

1960 to present Gates, Gates & McNagny

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