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DEAN ROBERT L. BOGOMOLNY: APPRECIATION AND IMPRESSIONS

The *Cleveland State Law Review* assumes the honor of dedicating this issue to Robert L. Bogomolny, who served as Professor of Law and Dean of the Cleveland-Marshall College of Law from 1977-1987. Dean Bogomolny's decade at the law school was marked in particular by his efforts to augment the resources available through the law library and to improve the quality of instruction available to a growing number of students. During Dean Bogomolny's tenure, the library's collection doubled in size, principally because of a successful fund drive which he led. The quality and quantity of faculty publications likewise increased dramatically under his leadership, and he was successful in increasing the number of faculty positions to promote a more desirable faculty-student ratio. His leadership will be sorely missed but appreciated in his new position as Vice President and General Counsel at G.D. Searle.

Dean Bogomolny's career straddled the areas of practice and academe. After leaving Cleveland and attending Harvard Law School, he filled a number of positions as a practicing attorney specializing in criminal law, with a particular expertise in the area of narcotics and drug abuse. After seven successful years as Professor of Law at Southern Methodist University he returned to Cleveland to continue his academic career, teaching and publishing mainly in the areas of criminal law and law and medicine. His extensive publications include books on the 1970 Federal Drug Act and on human experimentation. His articles demonstrate the vantage of a scholar honed through years of practical experience and reflect his thinking and dealing with the issues and problems of criminal law and law and medicine.

Dean Bogomolny will be missed by his colleagues, who characterize him as personable and easy to work with, and by the legal community of Cleveland, which he promoted with his various involvements in civic and religious organizations. The Editors and Staff of the *Cleveland State Law Review* join the University and community in wishing Dean Bogomolny well in his new position.

