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### Announce Allen P. Stults ABA Candidacy







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Allen P. Stults, president of the American National Bank and Trust Company of Chicago, has been endorsed by the Illinois Bankers Association as a candidate for vice president of the American Bankers Association at the 96th annual ABA convention, October 10-14, 1970, in Miami. Mr. Stults is currently serving as president of the Illinois Bankers Association.

Well-known in banking circles from coast to coast, Mr. Stults' candidacy is expected to be unopposed. He joined American National shortly after it opened for business on LaSalle Street in 1933 and worked in virtually every area of the bank until moving to the credit department in 1936, where he gained valuable experience in all aspects of commercial loans. He was appointed an officer of the bank in 1942, assigned to a commercial loaning division, and be-

came an assistant vice president seven years later.

In 1949, when he was only 36 years old, Mr. Stults was given the dual post of vice president and chairman of the loan committee, and in 1956, he became a member of the bank's top management group with the title of executive vice president. The following year, he was elected to American National's board of directors, and in January, 1963, was elevated to his present post.

He has served the American Bankers Association as a member of the credit policy, Federal Agency Relations and Federal Legislative Committees and is currently serving as a member of the ABA executive council and as chairman of the special committee on the Right of Privacy.

Mr. Stults is treasurer of the Association of Reserve City Bank-

ers and chairman of their education loan committee. In the past, he was on the Association's bank credit policy committee. In 1968, he began a three-year term as a trustee of the Foundation for Full Service Banks and is finance chairman for that organization. He also serves as a committee member of the Chicago Clearing House Association and is a member of the regional advisory committee to the Comptroller of the Currency, and an alternate member of the federal advisory council representing the 7th Federal Reserve District.

Clifford C. Sommer, president, Security Bank & Trust Company, Owatonna, Minnesota, is slated to be elected vice president of the ABA at the annual convention in Hawaii this fall.

After getting his initial bank training in Rush City, Cliff Sommer went to work for Midland Bank of Minneapolis, advancing from messenger to vice president.

In 1955, he resigned from Midland to accept the office of president and managing officer of the Security Bank and Trust Company of Owatonna, the position he still holds

His broad experience in working for state committees led him into extensive committee work with the American Bankers Association. Cliff served first as a member of (Continued on Page 4)

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#### **NATIONAL NEWS**

NEW YORK: Robert I. Lipp, head of the corporate planning department at the Chemical Bank, and Nathan Zipperman, supervisor of the bank's over-all accounting operation, have been named vice presidents.

NEW YORK: Gordon T. Wallis, executive vice president at the Irving Trust Company, has been elected vice chairman, a new position at the bank, and a director. Arthur G. Boardman, executive vice president and a director, has been appointed senior executive vice president, also a new position. Oren Root, executive vice president and counsel, has been elected to the board.

#### **IOWANEWS**

AMES: Officials of the First National Bank have announced signing construction contracts totaling \$540,000 for the bank's new building to be erected on a site at Fifth Street and Burnett Avenue here.

CEDAR RAPIDS: The FDIC has ap-

proved application of the United State Bank to establish a parking lot office at 1627 Hamilton Street here.

DAVENPORT: Ernest W. Kenny will join First Trust & Savings Bank on May 15 as vice president. Mr. Kenny was formerly executive vice president of Burlington Bank & Trust Company. Most recently, he has been in the financial field in Phoenix.

MARSHALLTOWN: Five new directors have been elected at the Marshalltown Fidelity Savings Bank. New directors are Robert E. Anson, Leo M. Baldwin, G. Dean Garland, John Norris, Jr., and Orville Thurston. All are from Marshalltown, except Mr. Anson, who is a Marietta township farm operator. Three long-time Fidelity directors have been named honorary directors for life. They are Robert E. Thornbury, retired president of Marshalltown Trowel Company; E. J. Paul, retired vice president of Fidelity Savings Bank, and O. W. Johnson, a retired LeGrand farmer.

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MT. PLEASANT: The Henry County Savings Bank recently opened a new installment loan department at their drive-in banking facility. Orville Allender, installment loan officer, will be in charge of the new service.

#### **NEBRASKA NEWS**

OMAHA: Stanley F. Kunol, vice president and secretary of Kirkpatrick, Pettis, Smith, Polian, Inc., investment bankers, has died at his home at the age of 58.

OMAHA: Gary F. Friedenback has joined the staff of the Southwest Bank of Omaha as assistant cashier. He will be working in the bank's customer relations and loan departments.

OMAHA: The E. E. Henkle Investment Company of Lincoln has merged with Chiles and Company, Omaha-based investment banking firm.

PAWNEE CITY: The FDIC has approved application of the Pawnee County Bank to exercise limited trust powers.

#### **NORTH DAKOTA NEWS**

FARGO: Roy A. Johnson has been elected assistant vice president of the Merchants National Bank and Trust Company of Fargo. He was formerly associated with the West Fargo State Bank before joining Merchants and will now devote most of his time to work in the agricultural department at the bank.

GRAND FORKS: The North Dakota Bankers Association annual convention will be held May 14-16 in Grand Forks, instead of Minot as previously announced.

MOHALL: The Citizens State Bank has recently completed installation of a new Diebold Company burglary and robbery protective system.

#### **SOUTH DAKOTA NEWS**

ABERDEEN: Lester Dennis of Mellette, S. D., has been named to the board of directors of the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Aberdeen, according to Gordon J. Curren, bank president.

HOT SPRINGS: Robert G. Biers, who has been with the First National Bank

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of the Black Hills, Rapid City, in the installment loan department, has joined the staff of the bank's Hot Springs office.

LEMMON: A bankers open house, followed by a buffet dinner, will be held by the First National Bank in its new building on May 2.

SIOUX FALLS: Due to flooding on the Big Sioux River, the stockyards office of the Northwestern National Bank has opened temporary offices in the auto bank of the Northwestern Bank at 108 South Dakota Avenue.

#### **MINNESOTA NEWS**

BROWNSDALE: Edward L. Ziemer has been named agricultural representative at the First American Bank of Brownsdale. He will also represent the First American Banks in Sargeant and Grand Meadow, Minn. Before joining the bank, Mr. Ziemer was associate county agricultural agent for Mille Lacs County, with the rank of assistant professor on the University of Minnesota staff.

HASTINGS: Bernard Engels has resigned as president of the Northwestern National Bank, effective June 30, to accept a post at the Center Bank, Omaha, Nebr., where he will serve as executive vice president. Mr. Engels joined the Northwestern Bank in 1961 and has served as president since July, 1967.

LE CENTER: The First State Bank has announced plans to begin construction of a modern new bank building at the firm's new site on North Park Avenue.

MADELIA: Larry G. Blaufuss, who has been assistant general manager for the Tilney Farms at Lewisville, has joined the Farmers State Bank here as assistant cashier.

MINNEAPOLIS: Charles R. Johnson has been elected to the board of directors of the Camden Northwestern State Bank. He is president of the Mereen-Johnson Machine Company, Minneapolis.

MINNEAPOLIS: John A. Larson of the North American office of Northwestern National Bank, has been Digitized for ted ASERs ident of the Minnesota https://Safer.st/Desfesitrg Association. Other leral Reserve Bank of St. Louis

new officers are: Robert T. Wallner, First Security State Bank, St. Paul vice president; Evelyn Ludgate, First Bloomington-Lake National Bank-secretary; Dorothy Johnson, Fourth Northwestern National Bank - treasurer.

MINNEAPOLIS: The First Minnehaha National Bank has recently completed new facilities across the street from its present quarters. These facilities include four drive-up and three walk-up tellers and additional off-street parking. An open house is scheduled for early summer.

ST. PAUL: Harry G. McNeely, Jr., chairman of the board and director of Witte Transportation Company of St. Paul, and F. T. Weyerhaeuser, a director of Conwed Corporation of St. Paul and general manager of its industrial division, have been elected to the board of the Northwestern National Bank of St. Paul.

#### **ILLINOIS NEWS**

CAPRON: Capron State Bank is currently making plans for construction of a new building.

CHICAGO: James A. Slatton, formerly assistant vice president and trust officer at Northwest National Bank, Chicago, has joined the Beverly Bank as vice president and trust officer. James H. Hoffman has been appointed data processing operations manager at the bank.

CHICAGO: Howard Levy, formerly a loan officer for Salk-Ward and Salk, Inc., has joined the Michigan Avenue National Bank as assistant cashier in the commercial lending department.

DECATUR: The 32nd annual Trust Conference of the Illinois Bankers Association Trust Division will be held at the Hotel Orlando here on April 29-30. Legislation and panel discussions on operations, farm man-

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agement and investments will highlight the conference.

GIRARD: The State Bank of Girard has been sold to Edward Boston and associates. Mr. Boston is the new president.

KEWANEE: Peoples National Bank has hired Gary Combs as an administrative assistant. He was formerly with Davenport Bank & Trust Company.

NAPERVILLE: Paul H. Reed has been named assistant vice president of the Bank of Naperville. He has been in the bookkeeping department at the bank since 1963.

STERLING: Edward G. Saucer, formerly with Peoples Bank, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, is the new trust officer for First National Bank.



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#### ABA Candidacy...

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the ABA public relations council in 1954-55 (at the same time he was chairman of the MBA committee). He was regional vice president for five states 1963-66; chairman of the organization committee 1966-68; member of executive council 1966-68; member of resolutions committee for the 1966 convention, and member of urban affairs committee 1968.

Moving up as ABA president at the convention in Hawaii will be Nat S. Rogers, president, First City National Bank, Houston, Texas.

Willis W. Alexander, current ABA president, and president of the Trenton Trust Company, Trenton, Missouri, will continue with the ABA as executive vice president, following his presidential term this fall. He will succeed Charls E. Walker, who resigned earlier this year to join the Treasury Department.

#### **COLORADO NEWS**

DENVER: John T. Kennedy has been promoted to employee benefits trust officer and Robert E. McGee to purchasing officer at the Denver U. S. National Bank. Mr. Kennedy joined the bank in 1963 and has worked in both the bank's data center and trust division. Mr. McGee came to the bank in 1968, after serving as chief of the purchasing center for the U. S. Air Force in Europe.

DENVER: Gerald M. Quiat, Denver attorney, has been named a director of the Guaranty Bank and Trust Company.

DENVER: Charles H. Smukler has been named executive vice president of Security National Bank. Mr. Smukler, who has been president of the Alameda National Bank for the past five years is returning to the bank he helped open in October, 1963. Sidney C. King will move from executive vice president to board chairman at the Alameda National, and Russell E. Wright will move from board chairman to president, succeeding Mr. Smukler.

#### WYOMING NEWS

CHEYENNE: D. Leon Brock has been

elected a vice president at the American National Bank. Mr. Brock was previously with the Farmers and Merchants Bank in Las Cruces, N. M., where he served as vice president.

SHERIDAN: The Bank of Commerce has announced it has awarded a \$103,400 contract to a Sheridan firm for construction of a combination drive-in, walk-in banking facility to be completed late this year. The new facility will have four drive-in lanes.

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