

APPOINTMENT OF HAROLD B. WILLEY
AS CLERK OF THE COURT.*

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1952.

Present: MR. CHIEF JUSTICE VINSON, MR. JUSTICE BLACK, MR. JUSTICE REED, MR. JUSTICE FRANKFURTER, MR. JUSTICE DOUGLAS, MR. JUSTICE JACKSON, MR. JUSTICE BURTON, MR. JUSTICE CLARK, and MR. JUSTICE MINTON.

THE CHIEF JUSTICE said:

"I am pleased to announce the appointment by the Court of Harold B. Willey to be its Clerk to succeed the late Charles Elmore Cropley.

"While an Assistant Clerk, Mr. Willey received his degree in law from the George Washington University Law School, and was admitted to the Bar of this Court in 1935. He was appointed a Deputy Clerk in 1941. He has spent some 28 years in the service of the Court performing his duties with marked ability.

"We are confident that Mr. Willey will continue to serve efficiently with courtesy to the Bar and the litigants before this Court; that he will be a worthy successor to the 10 other gentlemen who have preceded him in this position of honor and trust."

An order approving Mr. Willey's bond was entered on October 13, 1952, and he took the oath of office on the same day.

*For order of appointment entered October 9, 1952, see *post*, p. 801.

