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The inaugural issue of the Brooklyn Journal of International Law contained an introduction by Dean Raymond E. Lisle. That introduction marked the beginning of three years of guidance and symbolized the constant advice and encouragement the Journal staff was to receive from Dean Lisle. The preceding pages have described the Dean's distinguished career in the Department of State and the enormous advances made by Brooklyn Law School under his leadership, including accreditation by the American Association of Law Schools. Those tributes, however, fail to describe many of his varied activities and achievements.

Dean Lisle received his bachelor's degree cum laude from the College of the City of New York and upon graduation was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. After earning a Master of Arts degree in history and political science from Columbia University, he was awarded a Juris Doctor degree from New York University Law School, where he served as Editor-in-Chief of the New York University Law Quarterly Review during his senior year. He received an LL.M. degree with great distinction from the George Washington University Law Center.

In 1930, Dean Lisle was appointed Instructor in History at City College, and later served as Chairman of the History Department at the Baruch School of Business. He entered the United States Navy in 1941, and was discharged in 1945 with the rank of Lieutenant Commander. He was later promoted to Captain in the Naval Reserve. He served as Vice President of the Foreign Bondholders Protective Council from 1970 to 1975, and has been Chairman of the Association of American Law Schools Section on International Law since 1975. He is a member of the American Bar Association, has served on its Committee on International Trade and Investment, and currently sits on its Committee on Transnational Judicial Procedure. He is also a member of the American Society of International Law and the Association of the Bar of the City of New York. Dean Lisle is a member of the New York Bar, and is admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court and other federal courts.

While the breadth of Dean Lisle's achievements are truly remarkable, it is his vast experience and knowledge of international law which have proved invaluable to the *Journal*. Many members of the *Journal* staff have received his excellent classroom instruction, and as many have had the opportunity to dis-

cuss international legal issues with him on an informal basis. His office has always been open to us.

It is therefore appropriate that we dedicate this issue of the *Journal* to Dean Lisle. His encouragement and assistance are sincerely appreciated.