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Policy, Justice, and Principle in the Choice-Of-Law Process

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Hutchins Hall, Room 120—Ann Arbor, Michigan
THOMAS M. COOLEY was one of the three members of the first faculty of The University of Michigan Law School, when it was organized in 1859. In 1864 he became a justice of the Supreme Court of Michigan, and held that office until 1885, continuing also as a member of the Law Faculty. In 1871 he became Dean of the Law School. In addition to his duties on the bench and in the classroom, he made many important contributions to legal literature. His treatises on "Constitutional Limitations" and on "Torts" were among the legal classics of his day and were known and read throughout the United States. At the time of his death in 1898, it may fairly be said that he was the most distinguished legal scholar that the State of Michigan had produced.

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