

DISTRICT COURT

Hughes names 2 to fill vacant judgeships

Gov. Harry Hughes appointed Carol E. Smith and Roger W. Brown yesterday to fill two vacancies on the Baltimore District Court.

Ms. Smith, 39, has served as a special counsel to the Housing Authority of Baltimore and was a law clerk for the Legal Aid Bureau. She entered the Novitiate of the Sisters of Mercy in 1966, received a bachelor of arts degree from Notre Dame College in 1970 and a law degree from Catholic University law school in 1975.

Mr. Brown, 44, was an assistant state's attorney in Baltimore in 1974-1975 before leaving to enter private law practice. He is a graduate of Morgan State University and the University of Baltimore law school.

The two new judges will replace Neal M. Janey, who resigned, and Mabel H. Hubbard, who was elevated to the Circuit Court.