



JĀNIS ANKRAVS

(Born in 1892, Sarkaņi parish; died in 1963, Riga)

**Deputy of the Chief Prosecutor of the Senate (1936),
Senator of the Criminal Cassation Department (1937–1940)**

Education: Riga Theological Seminary, Economics Department of the Moscow Commercial Institute, Law Department of the University of Latvia.

Before the Senate: Teacher and school administrator in Russia; Trainee in the Court Chamber; Prosecutor; Judge and Deputy of the Chair of the Riga Regional Court.

After the Senate: Judge and Deputy of the Chair of the Riga Regional Court during the German occupation. 1952-1956 deported to Yaroslavl region prison camps.

“ You do not have to lose your freedom to stay true to yourself. ”

Jānis Ankravs

/From a letter to his wife while in exile. 1956. Family archives/

LATVIAN SENATE
1918–1940