Pitfalls for Zealous Attorneys:

Fraud and Misrepresentation

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Lord Henry Brougham

The Trial of Queen Caroline (1820)

"An advocate by the sacred duty which he owes his client, knows, in the discharge of that office, but one person in the world, that client and none other. **To save that client by all expedient means … is the highest and most unquestioned of his duties**; and he must not regard the alarm—the suffering—the torment—the destruction—which he may bring upon any other."

David Hoffman,

Fifty Resolutions In Regard to Professional Deportment (1836)

Hoffman

"I will never permit professional zeal to carry me beyond the limits of sobriety and decorum, but bear in mind, with Sir Edward Coke, that 'if a river swell beyond its banks, it loseth its own channel.'"

Hoffman

"Should my client be disposed to insist on captious requisitions, or frivolous and vexatious defenses, they shall be neither enforced nor countenanced by me."

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