DEAN'S DESK

Monday, October 4, 1971

Host for the pre-game brunch Saturday, October 2: the Notre Dame Lawyer and the S.B.A.; 10:30 a.m. - 12 noon.

Hoynes Forum for October 7 (11:15 a.m., Room 101) will be a new film, on the "Chicago Seven" trial, which uses courtroom drawings and live sound recordings.

Mr. John Delafons of our London faculty has been appointed Undersecretary in the British Department of Environment.... Professor Rice spoke in the Alumni Seminar, "Who shall live, and Who Decides," September 30 on campus; he has been re-appointed to the Indiana Constitutional Revision Commission.

Fred Martone was awarded the second-year prize for academic excellence and notable contribution to the Law School community.

Bill Maledon of our third-year class has been named law clerk for 1972-73 to Mr. Justice Brennan.... Mr. Justice Stewart will preside over our Moot Court finals February 5, 1972.

Law School Open House for St. Mary's - Notre Dame students and other area students will be all day Saturday, October 9.

Professor Emeritus (of Philosophy) William F. Roemer, who died last week, was the father of four Notre Dame lawyers - William F., Jr. '50L, Tom and Jim '55L and Chuck '58L. Paul Kusbach '65L was his son-in-law. Tom, Jim, Chuck and Paul practice in South Bend. Our sympathy to the Roemer family.

Our sympathies to Lester Goo and Ronald Cimala, whose fathers died recently.

The Faculty will meet at 3:25 p.m., today (Monday, October 4), in Room 104. The Faculty is currently considering a wide range of proposed changes in our grading and examinations system -- including the institution of a A-B-C-D-F system, the revival of ranking, optional pass/fail courses, and re-examination in failed courses. Messrs. Hartzer and Hauptley presented their views to the full faculty on September 27.

Word from Arizona: One hundred per cent on the bar examination for 1971 (four students).
Tom Harvey, '66L, is pursuing work on an LL.M. at the University of London and is in touch with the Bloomsbury Square Notre Dame campus.

Dean Harold G. Reuschlein, dean at the Villanova University Law School, formerly on the faculty here, has retired from the deanship after building that law school from 70 to 600 students.

Former Dean Lawless and I have been appointed to the National Advisory Council of the Earl Warren Legal Training Program, an ambitious, foundation-funded program for training black lawyers. I was also appointed to the Committee on Defenses of Indigents of the Seventh Circuit Bar Association.

Twenty-seven firms, from all over the United States, will interview students here in October (this total as of 9/28). Many are mainly or exclusively interested in second-year students and some want to talk to first-year students.

John S. Rakitan, '71L, 1969-70 London program student, has been appointed legal counsel for C.T.S. Corporation in Elkhart.

Mr. Parmann is back, from a tortuous month in the Alps, to rescue us from bedlam in the faculty minutes.

I spoke on trust creation at the Trust Code Institute in Indianapolis September 23, and will try again October 7 in Gary.

Assistant Dean Foschio is representing us in a series of meetings on the establishment of a training program for Indiana trial judges. Professor Link has been our negotiator on a challenging new venture in programming computers for search of legal authorities.

A calendar of Law School events for October is attached.

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(Host: Lawyer) Pre-game party- 
Law Lounge  
12:50 p.m.  
Notre Dame v. Michigan State |
| October 7 (Thursday)| Gary Trust Code Institute  
Indiana Continuing Education  
Forum Topic: Creation of 
Trusts  
Speaker: T.L. Shaffer  
Hoynes Forum: Movie, "Chicago 
Seven" trial, 11:15 a.m., Rm. 101 |
| October 9 (Saturday)| Practice Court  
U.S. District Ct.: Grant  
Superior Ct.: Kopec  
Open House  
N.D. - St. Mary's Students  
(Law School) |
| October 11 (Monday) | Columbus Day (Classes Meet)                                                                                                                   |
| October 13 (Wednesday)| Mid-semester break begins (after classes)                                                                                                       |
| October 14 (Thursday)| Lecture by Dr. P. Dagtoglou;  
Sponsor: International Law Society  
Memorial Library Auditorium, 7 p.m. |
| October 15 (Friday) | 7:30 p.m. Law Wives-Faculty Party                                                                                                                |
| October 16 (Saturday)| 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Pre-game party-Law Lounge (Host: International Programs)  
LSAT EXAM  
1:30 p.m. Notre Dame v. No. Carolina |
| October 18 (Monday) | Classes Resume (8 a.m.)                                                                                                                         |
| October 21 (Thursday)| 11:15 a.m. Hoynes Forum: Meeting with students interested in practicing in the West - Dean Shaffer; Professor McIntire  
6:30 p.m. Cass County Bar Assoc. - Shaffer |
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Hosts for the October 16th Alumni Pre-Game Brunch (10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.): The International Law Society. Law Alumni are also invited to post-game cocktail parties in the A.C.C. There is now a Law School "cluster" at those affairs.

Professor Link led a discussion on video-tape at an invitational conference sponsored by the National Bureau of Standards, on the use of audio-visual equipment in the courts, October 14-15... He also addressed a conference of representatives from federal chief-counsel offices October 15, on the use of computers in government organizations.

Tom DiGrazia, '70L, a Robert F. Kennedy Fellow serving Indian clients in Rapid City, South Dakota, has been elected a Trustee of the Kennedy Memorial.

Book Report: Professor Osakwe's new book, *The Participation of the Soviet Union in International Organizations: A Legal Analysis* will be published this winter by Sijthoff, The Netherlands... *Computers and the Law*, a textbook of which Professor Link is co-author, is now in its second edition, second printing. Professor Link is Chairman of the Standing Committee on Law and Technology of the American Bar Association... Professor Murphy's *Studies in Contract Law* is now in use in 30 American law schools.

The International Law Society hosted three speakers here last week -- Professor Heinrich Kronstein, Professor Emeritus of Law at Georgetown, on Monday; Professor Doctor Prodromos Dagtoglou on Thursday; and Robert Cox, '62L, of Baker and McKenzie, New York, on Friday, Professor Dr. Louis I. deWinter, Dean of the Faculty of Law, University of Amsterdam, will be here on October 25; Mr. Francesco Vendrell, Assistant Director of UNITAR, United Nations, on October 28; and Hugh Fitzgerald, '34, of Coudert Brothers, New York, on November 11.

Alumni notes: Two New Jersey alumni have recently assumed the bench -- Judge Clarkson S. Fisher, '50L, United States District Court; and Judge Edward J. Van Tassell, '51L, Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court, Bergen County.
Professor McIntire participated last weekend in a conference on use of effluent charges and taxes for air and water pollution control, sponsored by the Council on Law Related Studies, in Washington, D.C. ... Professor Rice spoke on medical malpractice at a general practice seminar at Edmonton General Hospital, in Alberta, October 15; he addressed the annual meeting of St. Mary's Hospital, in Evansville, October 7.

Dick Shafner and Mike Murphy are supplementing their legal studies by serving as interns in the Counseling Center; Dwight Murphy is a counselor in the Freshman Year Office.

Bar examination results: One failure (of seven taking the exam) in Illinois; one hundred % passed in Oklahoma (one student), Wisconsin (three students), and Minnesota (three students).

Department of Involvement: Some forty of our students produced a 64-page booklet, outlining St. Joseph County Community Services, entitled "Where It's At." The S.B.A. paid for and distributed 2,000 copies to people in the South Bend Model Cities area. As Denis Hauptly, third-year president, says, "the project is an instance of our students helping the community as human beings rather than strictly as lawyers" .... The Legal Aid and Defender Association, under the direction of Patricia Campbell, will open an office to assist Spanish-speaking residents, at El Centro headquarters in South Bend. The project includes a lay advocacy program in Spanish.

Second-year Moot Court arguments will be October 19-20 and November 22-23, in the Law School.

With confessions of fickleness, I have decided to teach Property III next spring after all. Professor Campfield will teach Estate Planning. John L. Hoffer, '61L, Trust Officer at the First Bank, has kindly agreed to fill in the Property III classes I will have to miss.

Professor Campfield will represent us November 11-12 at the Mid-Continent Trust Conference in Dallas. He and Mrs. Campfield will be guests of the Indiana Bankers Association.

Hoynes Forum, October 21, Law Lounge: Professor McIntire and I will discuss preparation for law practice in the West. On October 28, Dennis Powell, '63L, of California Rural Legal Assistance, will discuss politics and poverty law.

Peter J. Loughlin, '69L (New Hampshire Legal Assistance, Portsmouth), reports his election as president of the N.D.L.A. in New Hampshire. James E. Carroll, '64L (Concord), is secretary; Arthur Hoover, '65L (Somerworth), is vice president.
The Faculty will meet October 25 to further consider issues presented by the student-faculty grading committee.

The London Irish Times' inaugural addition arrived from our campus in the mother country Thursday, full of news about our innocents abroad....Dooley's Dictum, number 2, was also out last week....The first issue of the Lawyer will be along any day; the new volume is dedicated to the memory of Professor Emeritus William Rollison, who taught here for 33 years and who died last winter in Alabama.

I will be spending Thursday evening with the Cass County Bar Association; topic: "What's Happening to Legal Education?"

Speedy recovery wishes to Mrs. Edward J. Murphy, and to Mrs. Parmann.

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