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EDITORIAL NOTES

THE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY LAW QUARTERLY

The LAW QUARTERLY Annual Banquet was held on April 9th. The principal speaker was Professor Ralph F. Fuchs to whom the LAW QUARTERLY is deeply indebted for invaluable services rendered during the past years. The following were appointed
to the Board of Editors for the editorial year of 1937-1938: Editor-in-chief, Fred L. Kuhlmann; Associate Editor, Morris J. Garden; Note Editor, Willard Myers; Comment Editor, Sigmund Barack; Business Manager, Bertram W. Tremayne; Circulation Manager, Marion Bennett; and Advertising Manager, Earl Fishgall. The following received appointments to the Staff of the Law Quarterly: Walter Hilgendorf, George Mueller, Lackland Bloom, Carrol Donohue, Willard Ethridge, Frank Kennedy, Joseph Kutten, and Adolph K. Schwartz.

To the outgoing executives of the Washington University Law Quarterly, the new Board of Editors is deeply indebted. In the first year of its publication, the Law Quarterly has enjoyed a degree of success which is most promising for the future. Through the efforts of the outgoing Editor, Walter Freedman, and the Associate Editor, James L. Anding, the quality of the contributions to the Law Quarterly has been greatly improved, and the size of the publication has been made twice that of the old St. Louis Law Review. The retiring Business Manager, William Edgar, has notably contributed to the progress made this year by the management of a subscription campaign which has more than trebled the list of subscribers. In the gains made this year there is encouragement for the further progress of the Law Quarterly.

The members of the Law Quarterly Staff take this opportunity to congratulate Walter Freedman, its retiring editor, who was awarded a $1000 Graduate Fellowship to Harvard Law School for the year of 1937-1938.

THE SCHOOL OF LAW

Professor Ralph F. Fuchs will be on leave of absence for 1937-38, and will spend the year at the Columbia University School of Law which has granted him a special fellowship for the purpose of research and writing in the field of Administrative Law. Professor Fuchs will teach courses in Legal Processes and Labor Law at the Summer School of the Iowa State University Law School.

Assistant Professor E. S. Stimson, who has been at the Harvard University School of Law on a leave of absence for the purpose of research and writing in the field of Conflicts of Laws, has been granted an extended leave of absence for 1937-38.

Mr. Harry W. Jones, who has completed his second year of teaching in the School of Law, has been promoted from the rank of instructor to that of Assistant Professor of Law.
Dean McClain will teach the Course on Damages in the summer session at Tulane U. School of Law, New Orleans.

Beginning June 18 and extending through July 30 the School of Law will offer summer work in law for the first time in several years. The following courses will be offered: Sources of the Common Law, by Mr. Williams; Equity II, by Mr. Treiman; Municipal Corporations, by Mr. Cullen; Constitutional Law, by Mr. Loeb; and Administrative Law, by Mr. Jones. It will be possible to obtain a maximum of six semester hours of credit in the summer session.

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PRIZES

At the Alumni-Senior Convocation the following Law School prizes were announced: The Alumni Prize, to the senior student having the highest scholarship average for the three years, Walter Freedman; the Hitchcock Thesis Prize, to the senior submitting the best thesis of the year, John L. Freeze; the Richard Wagner Brown Prize, awarded to the student best exemplifying scholarship, leadership and character, Walter Freedman; the Breckinridge Moot Court Prize based upon preparation of briefs, mastery of subject matter, and presentation of oral arguments in practice court trials, James L. Anding and Wilbert C. Schade, first prize, and Walter Freedman and Davis Biggs, second prize. The Samuel Breckinridge Prizes, awarded to the students having the highest and second highest averages in their respective classes, Walter Freedman, first, and Davis Biggs, second, for the senior class 1936-1937; Walter Freedman, first, and James L. Anding, second, for the second year class, 1935-1936; Gerald K. Presberg and Fred L. Kuhlmann tied for first prize in the first year class, 1935-1936. Final honors were awarded to Walter Freedman, James L. Anding, John L. Freeze, and Vaughn C. Ball. The Breckinridge Law Review Editorial Prize was awarded to Fred L. Kuhlmann and the Breckinridge Law Review Managerial Prize was awarded to Bertram W. Tremayne for the year ending June 30, 1937.