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Semester System Slated for Sept.

Two Eighteen Week Semesters, Two Summer Sessions Planned

The trimester system will be abolished and the semester system will take its place, effective September, 1967, announced Professor Scalf.

The school year will consist of two eighteen-week sessions, each made up of 12 credit hours, and a two-week summer session in order to achieve the required 12 credit hours for graduation. Current students will have less than 12 credit hours to obtain during the summer. It will be their responsibility, however, to see that they have the necessary 84 hours for graduation.

The summer program is being revamped so as to offer the student a six credit hour program. The first such summer program will be instituted for the summer of 1967.

According to the proposed calendar for the 1967-68 school year, four vacations are scheduled: Thanksgiving, Christmas, semester break, and spring.

New courses are also proposed for the 1967-68 school year. These courses include Oral Advocacy, Appellate Advocacy, and Brief Writing. These courses will be offered in an attempt to give the student practical knowledge for the practice of law.

Contact dates obtained by co-curricular activities such as moot court, law review, legal aid participation and research assistants may still not exceed eight credit hours.

No Relationship by Proclamation

"You can't develop a relationship by proclamation," stated Dean Harris, vice president of academic affairs, Cleveland Marshall Law School of Baldwin-Wallace College.

The relationship of Cleveland Marshall and Baldwin-Wallace is basically grounded in three areas: traditional agreement, and interpersonal relationships.

Traditions are an important part of an institution. It often dictates what is identified as a tradition, how to solve a problem and what success is. In fact, Dean Harris pointed out, some problems come out of cherished traditions.

The agreement Dean Harris refers to is the document of affiliation joining the two schools.

Interpersonal relations are just that. They are an important part of any institution. And the Cleveland Marshall-Baldwin-Wallace relationship is good, Dean Harris asserted. The purpose of an educational institution is to seek and nourish good minds." He added.

Under the terms of the agreement, the faculty is a united one. The faculty coordinating council is staffed by three faculty members from each school. Several CM professors have given lectures at Baldwin-Wallace, Professor Kerr is presently preparing a course in church-state relations.

We're proud of our association which is continually maturing," Dean Harris stated.

Rush Functions Dominate Calendar;
Delta Theta Phi Initiates Three

Since the beginning of March, Ranney Senate of Delta Theta Phi has been especially active with their rush program. Three new men have been initiated and wives of Delta and rushes were given the opportunity to find out what fraternalism is all about.

On March 5, 1967, at a business meeting at the Cleveland City Club three new men were initiated into the ranks of Ranney Senate. The News Delta are Robert Frost, B. Bryan Materon, and James Massee.

On March 7, twenty guests and about thirty-five actives attended a Rush Social at the Cleveland City Club. Among the guests were Professors Ted Dyke and LeRoy Murad. The guest speaker at this affair was WKYC-TV newswoman Paul Sciria, a former CM student, who spoke on "A Newsman's View of the Law in the Light of the recent Shepard Decision."

Mr. Sciria pointed out that the news media was very concerned about how far that Supreme Court ruling would be extended and noted that in the recent murder case of Richard Richards when the jury went to view the scene of the crime approximately 30 miles from the court room, newsmen at the scene were not allowed to take pictures. This presents the problem of how much the interpretation of the Shepard ruling has already been extended.

You will recall that the Shepard ruling was concerned primarily with court room coverage and the decor in the court room and the instance Mr. Sciria cited actually extended the boundary of the court room 30 miles. Mr. Sciria concluded that a test case was inevitable to find out if this was actually the case.

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CM's Second Wives Award Scholarship
To Lawrence Grey

The Law Wives Third Annual Scholarship Awards Dinner Dance at Diamonds Party Center was a most successful event.

Following the dinner, Joy Ann Moore, President of the Law Wives, introduced Dean Stapleton. Dean Stapleton praised the Law Wives for their work throughout the school year and in particular for their successful efforts of awarding a scholarship to a married Cleveland Marshall student.

The $200.00 scholarship was awarded to Mr. Lawrence A. Grey of Cleveland, Ohio. In addition to his duties as an attorney, Mr. Grey is a second year student at the school.

The Law Wives congratulate Larry for his achievements during his first two years and wish him continuing success.

Many thanks to all the faculty, guests, students, and their wives.

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Funding Needed to Complete CM's Legal Aid Program

Plans for the Cleveland Marshall-Cleveland Legal Aid Society project have been determined. The only thing keeping the program from becoming a reality is funding. Plans have been made to increase the Office of Economic Opportunity. Cleveland Marshall is the first evening law school to apply for OEO funding for a legal aid program.

The program, as presently planned, will be divided into two segments: an academic credit program and a subject matter and a work experience practicum.

Summer Seminar

Students who plan to engage in any type of work experience (apprenticeship) program with the Legal Aid Society, must first take the seminar as a prerequisite to further participation in the apprenticeship phase of the program.

Pre-seminarily, the course will cover Income Production (support, child welfare, general welfare, garnishment, and bastardy prosecution), elder law, and relationships (bankruptcy, installment default), Family Law (divorce, adoption), Housing (eviction, tenancy laws, housing code and violations), Criminal Law (misdemeanors, juvenile actions).

Procrustaneously, the course will be directly under the control of a member of the Law School Faculty, but actual instruction will be conducted by approved Staff Attorneys of the Legal Aid Society, possibly to be considered as Teach- Fails or Lecturers. The seminar will use actual cases from files, as well as readings in journal articles.

The number of hours of class work is expected to follow the regular pattern of a two academic credit course, but no credit will be attached to this seminar.

Apprenticeship Phase

After satisfactory completion of the Seminar, participants will then enter the apprenticeship phase. Each will be assigned by the Coordinator from the Legal Aid Office to a Staff Attorney. The student's duties will be directed by the Staff Attorney. Apprentices will work on a one attorney-one apprentice basis, which will allow for the initial involvement of 35 students. During the second year of the program, each Staff Attorney will be able to accept one more apprentice each so that 70 student apprentices can participate.

During apprenticeship, each student will handle at least one case of each type mentioned previously in the course description, from intake, to investigation, to memo, and will further be involved in the preparation of trial briefs, and possible appellate briefs if the case goes to that level. Others will be assigned to legal research on State and local statutes for the purpose of legislative enactment or reform.

Time Expended

In order to make the program more effective, the time must be put in on a regular weekly basis, but not so much time that it will interfere with the students regular academic progress. At this time, a maximum of six hours per week would seem to be a good balance. Since the apprenticeship will run for the entire calendar year, the student will put in an estimated 300 clock hours per year. On a two year basis, the student will have a total of 600 apprenticeship hours.

Credit Hours

The entire course will be considered as a unit course. Students wishing to participate in the program will first take the Seminar for no credit, but as a prerequisite for further continuation in the program. The student will receive academic credit for the over-all apprenticeship program of four academic credits, each one of which will vest at the completion of each 150 clock hours, but no more than one credit per semester.

Registration for the first legal aid seminar class will also have authority to accept or refuse an individual for participation in the program, and the right to dismiss for cause.

At the end of each term, a written report on the progress of each Apprentice will be made by the Staff Attorney. Staff Attorneys will be selected from the faculty list of staff attorneys in the review of the men's (etc.), in order to evaluate student progress.

In addition to constant review by the chief supervisor, the Legal Aid Coordinator, and the Legal Aid Director, it is planned to have a representative of CM staff as a review board, responsible not only for self review, but to discuss the program in general, with a view towards constant program improvement.
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How About the Student?

Can you imagine 300 students traveling from the third floor to the basement in a span of 10 minutes? Well, this is just what is going to happen in September. The lounge on the third floor is to be transformed into classrooms, Room 1 to be converted to faculty use, and the lounge is being built in the basement.

Most CM students work all day. They do not have time to have dinner before class. That cup of coffee or sandwich at 7:30 is an important aid in getting through the second half of class. But come September, in order to get any sustenance, students will be required to wait at their various posts for an hour before the slow moving elevator or be forced to walk several flights of a narrow stairway. With traffic going both ways, this not only promises to be a nerve-wracking feat, but an impossible one to accomplish in the ten minutes allotted.

One possible solution would be to stagger the break. But this is not really a good solution as the hallways will be noisy and without the bell, breaks will run into each other.

The most practical solution would probably be to leave the lounge where it is, Room 1 as a classroom and build three faculty offices in the basement, where the lounge was supposed to have been built. It would certainly be easier for three professors to travel to the third floor than for 300 students to travel to the basement. It would also be less expensive.

Native of Ukraine Wins National Law Week Award

Yaroslav Horodysky, born in Lvov, Western Ukraine, who received his law degree from Baldwin-Wallace College, is the law school's first graduate of the Cleveland-Marshall National Law Week Award.

Horodysky, the law school's first located in the United States, Horodysky realized he could not wait for the chosen profession and was forced to accept any available job for his family. He worked as a bricklayer for nearly fifteen years, saving money so that he might return to the study of law. Now, at 55, Horodysky is the first student to matriculate from Cleveland-Marshall Law School and the beginning of a new page in the history of American law.

Horodysky and his wife lived at 4221 Forest Hills Blvd., Parma. They have two sons, Ihor, who is studying for his Master's degree at Ohio University and Zonaya, 20, a student at Community College.

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Law Review?

Kenn further stated that "Law Review" served as an unprecedented and useful vehicle for the study of law. He praised the work of the student editors and stated that "Law Review" was the only one of its kind in the country. The greatest single problem Ken faced as Editor-in-Chief was the need to find and select the right people for the position. The solutions to this problem were found by soliciting articles from the best in the field and by attracting the interest of good writers with the promise of a good salary. The work of the student editors was a great asset to the law graduate and the law school.

Law Wives Award Scholarship

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The award committee, consisting of the law students, will select the winners of the scholarship. The committee consists of two law students and one law professor.

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