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Orientation Sparks Dynamic School Year

PRESIDENT GREETES LAW STUDENTS



Harold E. Enarson, President of The Cleveland State University.

It is a pleasure to welcome you who are the first students in CSU's first law classes to Cleveland State's new College of Law. Your future, like that of the University's, is filled with new hopes and opportunities. You sense as we do the need to get things done, to improve our community, to face up to problems, to provide solutions, to do things well. Now, with the great traditions of the Cleveland-Marshall Law School as guideposts, we shall provide you with high quality education so that upon completion of studies at this institution, you can rightfully take your place in the community's law leadership. Indeed there are some of you who will go on to attain marks of national distinction in law and public service. This new college is destined to rank among the great law schools of the nation. It will not be accomplished this year or next, but it will be done over the years through the high standards set by those of you in CSU's first law classes as pacesetters for others to follow.

Two hundred and forty new law students will receive their first exposure to law curricula and activities in late September, as the CSU Student Bar Association sponsors its annual Orientation Program. Orientation chairman, Rick Sherman, stated that the program "represents a new era in the history of the school, where these students will be the first to go through as CSU law students." Interested students have been working with SBA representatives in putting together an orientation package to be sent out to all entering law students. The package, comprised of introductory letters from administration, faculty, and students, study guides, and promotional material, is considered a "first" at the law school. The package will serve to inform the first year student of courses, services, and activities.

After an introduction of faculty members by Dean James K. Gaynor, Mr. Sherman will introduce students participating in the program, including Student Bar President Al Purola, national ABA Law Student Division representative Richard Cohen of Toledo, and representatives of the student activities represented at Cleveland-Marshall.

Because of the increased enrollment, half of the incoming students will attend the orientation program on Monday, September 29 and the other half will attend on Tuesday, September 30. Refreshments will be served and all law faculty and students are invited to attend.

CSU Well Represented at Bar Convention



ABA-LSD Rep. Avery Friedman and Arthur Goldberg discuss law student activities.

Administration, faculty, and students of the Cleveland State University College of Law were well represented at the 92nd annual American Bar Association Convention, held August 8th through 14th in Dallas, Texas. Dean

James K. Gaynor, assisted by Asst. Dean James Flaherty, appeared before the

Council of the Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar concerning the merger of Cleveland-Marshall and Cleveland State. The Council approved the continued accreditation of the College of Law, expressing praise for the arrangement. Dean and Mrs. Gaynor also attended the annual Judge Advocates Association dinner with Maj. Gen. Kenneth M. Hodson, the Judge Advocate General of the United States Army, and Mrs. Hodson. The Dean and his wife were also guests of Dean Louis A. Toepfer at the alumni reception of Case Western Reserve Law School.

Distinguished Professor Howard L. Oleck reported as Chairman of the ABA Special Committee on the proposed Standards of Legal Education, actively supported by such re-

nowned educators as Dean Erwin Griswold of the Harvard Law School, Dean William Lockhart of the University of Minnesota Law School and President of the Association of American Law Schools, and Dean William Zacharias of the Chicago-Kent Law School. He also delivered the Scribes Book-Award address to Harvard's Professor Paul A. Freund for his award winning book, *On Law and Justice*. Prof. Carroll Sierk of CSU was also in attendance at the dinner sponsored by Scribes, the national legal writing honorary society.

A resolution and separate motion regarding the ABA-Law Student Division's communications to the public were sponsored by John J. Lombardo and Avery S. Friedman, CSU Student Bar delegates. Both resolution and motion were passed by the ABA-LSD Board of Governors and House of Delegates. Along with supporting a number of resolutions regarding the law student in community development, about student unrest, and other matters, Mr. Lombardo and Mr. Friedman contributed to a number of student bar association conferences and SBA Presidents' meetings. In addition, Mr. Friedman, as the only law student in attendance at the Scribes award dinner, submitted a proposal to establish a law student auxiliary to the honorary writing society. The proposal was approved by the Executive Committee of the organization, and planning now will be carried on.



Cleveland-Marshall at the Scribes Book-Award Dinner.



SBA Rep. John J. Lombardo meets Chief Justice and Mrs. Warren Burger at ABA reception.



Ellen Connally



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"THE QUESTION OF LSD"

by AVERY S. FRIEDMAN

(Law Student Division Representative)

When a young man trips and boggles out of his adolescence into adulthood, he realizes there is more of a world out there than he had ever noticed before. He adjusts to the fact that he had better fit himself into the scheme of things and, if he's got a mind to do something about this society of ours, get headed in the right direction. Behold the Law Student Division, established two years ago by the American Bar Association with the intention of maintaining it as a recruiting organization. Yet, Papa ABA produced more than a subdivision, but an increasingly vocal, rebelling, compelling offspring.

In Dallas, on its third birthday this past August, the ABA-LSD grew up. Playing intra-organizational politics and pontificating ideals was fun during the ABA-LSD's adolescence, but student delegates came to the realization that political caucusing served to benefit nobody but the elected officers. This year law students from New York to California came with a purpose. Sure, the hard-core politicians were there, but they're always there. Conferences on such subjects as institutional racism, minority group enrollment, student-faculty relations, and legal aid and defender programs were never so well attended. Many delegates took advantage of their section memberships in the ABA and attended conferences of particular interest. The mainstream of discussion was on how these delegates could bring back to their fellow students a reason for maintaining their affiliation with the Law Student Division. Even the candidates ran on platforms of limiting politics early in the convention and of spending the bulk of the time in legal dialogue and conferences.

How did the ABA-LSD come of age? From an organizational viewpoint, it cut back on an unwieldy 33 national committees and limited the number to 13 functional and significant ones . . . professional responsibility, standards of legal education, students' rights, urban action. It let the stodgy Papa ABA know that the Law Student Division was not merely a membership recruiter, but the organ of student voices within the profession. For its proof of that fact, the ABA-LSD got voting or liaison seats on many ABA executive section councils. It innovated a "pool" through the national secretary's office, whereby all law schools can benefit in availing themselves of another's successful programs. The first real steps were taken to make the ABA-LSD really relevant to the individual law student.

St. Louis will be the site of the 1970 American Bar Association convention. This school year will serve to test the ABA-LSD's maturity and to set the mold of the law students' role at that convention. This writer will attempt to keep CSU law students abreast with ABA-LSD activities as well as the activities of the Student Bar Association. In that way, a student can decide for himself if the ABA's Law Student Division is indeed relevant or not and if it has or has not progressed.

Dean Presents Challenge

To the Students:

It is a pleasure to welcome the newly-enrolled students to the Cleveland-Marshall College of Law of The Cleveland State University, and to welcome under the Cleveland State banner those students who were enrolled in the Cleveland-Marshall Law School.

Very few undergraduate programs require the vast amount of study required in the successful pursuit of the law. After many years as a member of the Bar, I express my personal belief that I could not have chosen a career that would have been more rewarding to me.

As Dean, I have a personal interest in the progress of each student. To the extent that my time will permit, I shall continue the policy of being available to discuss problems relating to the study of law with any student who feels that I can be helpful.

I extend my very best wishes to each of you for success in the great adventure upon which you have embarked.



Dean Gaynor

JAMES K. GAYNOR
Dean

MOOT COURT NAMED

by KENNETH A. BOSSIN

The Moot Court team is an organization comprised of top students from the law school who represent the school in the National Moot Court competition.

Sometime during the summer a problem is sent to the participating law schools throughout the United States by the Young Lawyers Committee of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York.

Each school will prepare a written brief for the plaintiff and one for the defendant. These briefs will be submitted to the regional sponsor. The schools in each region will then compete in oral argument. The team that wins the regional argument will go to New York to compete in the National Competition.

The problem this year deals with five students who were expelled from a university and had their state scholarships taken away for a period of two years because they were found guilty of creating a public nuisance on school property.

The charge of creating a public nuisance originated when these students picketed the school chapel, handing out leaflets and causing a great deal of congestion. The students had previously requested that the requirement of attending chapel every Wednesday be eliminated for the members of their particular denomination. After repeated meetings with the President of the University concerning this matter, the students began picketing.

The students brought an action against the University in the District Court, asking that they be reinstated in school and their scholarships returned. The District Court refused and the Court of Appeals affirmed the District Court. The case is now set before the Supreme Court.

The members of the Moot Court Team this year are: Thomas Aries, Kenneth Bossin, Robert Fein, Sheila Kahoe, William Kohner, Michael Lorber, Irving Marks, Joseph Morris, Terry O'Donnell, William Plesec, Al Purola, Keith Savidge, David Sgro, David Sherriff, Vivian Solganik, Emil Sos, Leslie Spisak, Al Strobel, John Talbott, Russ Turell and Harvey Yasinow. The advisors for Moot Court are Professors Hyman Cohen and James Boskey.

As in past years, the Moot Court team will hold intra-team competitions to determine the top six students who will argue in the regional rounds. These arguments will be held in the Moot Court Room and all students are invited and encouraged to attend. Dates and times of the arguments will be posted on the bulletin boards.

NOTICE TO ALL STUDENTS

LAW STUDENTS SOUGHT FOR CSU STUDENT COMMITTEES

CSU Student Committees are many, and have substantial influence in the administration, curriculum, faculty committees, etc., of the university.

They urgently desire to have the valuable advice obtainable from Law Students, and to have at least one Law Student on each of the many committees.

Dean Wallenfeldt (Dean of Student Affairs), and Dist. Prof. Oleck (Chairman of the C-M Liaison Committee) also agree with this proposal.

Therefore, interested Law Students are invited to submit their names, and indication of what kinds of committee work interest them. Please give or send one copy of your note to the President of the Student Bar Assn. (Albert L. Purola, 4730 Highland Dr., Willoughby, Ohio, 44094), and one copy to Dist. Prof. Oleck, at his office in the Law College Building.

Choice of Law Students for respective committees will be made by the Law College Student Bar Assn., with the concurrence of Prof. Oleck (which will be routine except where special facts suggest otherwise).

ALBERT L. PUROLA, Pres.,
Cleveland-Marshall Student Bar Assn.

JUSTICE DEPT. PICKS C-M MAN

Assistant U.S. Attorney, Carl H. Miller, '62, has been picked to head a special federal strike force to aid in cracking Mafia activities in Ohio and Kentucky.

Miller is No. 2 man on a five-man team of lawyers who will work together with ten other agents of various federal law enforcement agencies, coordinating their operations with the FBI.

Miller has been a member of the U.S. Attorney's staff since 1967, a post from which he will resign before assuming his new duties with the Justice Department. Prior to joining the U.S. Attorney's forces, he spent four years with the Justice Department's internal security and tax divisions.

PLACEMENT OFFICE OFFERS OPPORTUNITIES

For the information of our first year classes, the College of Law maintains an active placement service for Cleveland-Marshall students, to provide them with positions in law-related areas.

Anyone interested in interviewing for part-time or full-time employment should register at the Placement Office, Room B-2, adjacent to the student lounge.

Employment opportunities will be posted on the two bulletin boards just outside the Placement Office and it is suggested that these boards be viewed frequently to keep you informed of the positions available to our students.

Mrs. Edwards, Placement Director, will counsel with students regarding employment in a law related area. The Placement Office is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and a definite appointment time can be arranged by phoning 781-6612, Ext. 60.

In line with successful recruitment procedures established by other law schools, the Cleveland State University School of Law has arranged for representatives of various government agencies to interview candidates from the June, 1970 graduating class.

On Thursday, October 16th, a recruiting officer from the Federal Trade Commission will be at the law college to discuss the opportunities available in that agency. A representative of the Atomic Energy Commission has scheduled recruitment interviews for that agency on Thursday, October 23rd.

Future interviews will be announced in early October. Students are advised to contact Mrs. Jane Edwards, Placement Director, for the time and place of these and other recruitment appointments.

Introducing New Faculty . . .

JAMES P. HUDDLESTON

James P. Huddleston, recently Assistant Dean of the University of Detroit College of Law, joined our full-time faculty last June, and has been working all summer at the law school. He holds the rank of Associate Professor and Assistant Dean.

He studied at Georgetown University, from which he left to go into the Army during World War II, and on his return completed his undergraduate work for a degree at the University of Detroit School of Law, in 1959. He also has taken a summer program workshop on law school administration at New York University, and is a member of the Bar of Michigan and of Washington, D.C.

At the University of Detroit he started as an instructor in 1963 and has had extensive experience both in teaching and in law school administration, after practicing law from 1960-62.

His public service includes work as a special assistant to the Attorney General of Michigan.

WILLIAM L. TABAC

William L. Tabac will be joining the faculty this fall as a full-time Assistant Professor of Law. He attended Miami University of Ohio and also Case-Western Reserve University, from the latter of which he received his undergraduate degree. He received his law degree from George Washington University Law School in 1966 and also attended the I.R.S. Institute on General Income Taxation in Washington, D.C.

He is a member of the Virginia Bar and was on the George Washington Law Review, and also served as law clerk for a federal judge in Cincinnati and as a Legislative Aide in the United States Senate.

He has been working with the court in Cincinnati during the past year.

JAMES T. BRENNAN

Among the new members of the full-time faculty of the College of Law this fall is Associate Professor James T. Brennan, who comes from New York University Institute of Judicial Administration, where he was a visiting professor from Syracuse University Law School, on which latter's faculty he was a regular member.

Interestingly, Professor Brennan taught at Cleveland-Marshall once before as an assistant professor, some years ago, after teaching at the University of North Dakota Law School; then he left Cleveland to join the Syracuse faculty. He also has been a visiting professor at the University of Erlangen in Germany.

He received his undergraduate degree from Yale and his law degree from Harvard in 1963, in which year he was admitted to practice in Connecticut.

JOHN P. BROWNE

John P. Browne has joined the full-time faculty as of this fall, and will serve as an Assistant Professor and also as Associate Librarian, working closely with Librarian Helen Garee.

He is a graduate of John Carroll University, where he took his undergraduate work; of the University of Detroit Law School, where he received his law degree in 1960, and of Case-Western Reserve University School of Library Sciences, where he received an M.S. in Library Sciences. He also attended the Judge Advocate General School in Charlottesville, Virginia, and did graduate work at Syracuse University and in Nigeria.

He is a member of the Bar of Ohio and of Michigan and has been in practice with a large law firm in Cleveland for several years.

"ALUMNI BRIEFS"

CHARLES E. MOSLEY, JR. '51, announced that his law firm, Mosley, Willis, Childs & Chandler has recently been appointed to handle personal injury trial work for Aetna Life & Casualty Co. . . . BERNARD B. DIRENFELD, '47, named national commander of the Jewish War Veterans. . . . JAMES M. BODFISH, '53, picked by United States Steel Corporation to head their midwest area tax department. . . . EDWARD T. MINOSKY, '58, of Republic Steel Corporation, now assistant to the manager of ore and limestone operations. . . . NED BUTTON, JOHN CORRIGAN & TOM KEANE, all 1969 grads, have joined forces in the practice of law.

CLARENCE JAMES ELECTED



CLARENCE L. JAMES, JR., 1969-70 Alumni President, receives gavel from outgoing president, PAUL S. SANISLO.

A 1962 graduate of Cleveland-Marshall Law School, Clarence L. James, Jr., has been elected President of the Alumni Association for the coming year.

While a student in the evening law school, James worked as an investigator for the Cuyahoga County Common Pleas Court, and upon his graduation was selected as a staff attorney for the Legal Aid Society. In 1968, he was appointed Chief Legal Counsel for the City of Cleveland and in June of that year became Law Director of Cleveland.

Attorney James and his wife, Patricia, have two children, Clarence II, aged 10, and Craig who is 7. They live at 13707 Drexmore Road.

Elected to the Board of Trustees by the alumni association were Theodore A. Gullia, Jr., '66, attorney with the firm of Ball, Kleinman & Gullia, and John T. Connick, '59, legal counsel for the Cleveland Transit System.

ACLU ENLISTS STUDENTS FOR COVENTRY, GLENVILLE

Terming it "a tremendous challenge," Max Wohl, Cleveland Chairman of the American Civil Liberties Union, expressed hope for strong support by CSU law students of ACLU's current projects. New projects to be undertaken include meetings with Cleveland Heights officials regarding the crack-down on hippies in the Coventry area, investigation of law enforcement standards in the Glenville area, and cases involving student rights.

Law students will have an opportunity to meet Richard Ennis, ACLU's first new National Chairman in nineteen years. Mr. Ennis will be in Cleveland on October 1. For further information students are requested to contact the local ACLU office.

ACLU, a national voluntary organization, has been particularly active in the Cleveland area with projects concerning free speech, due process, and police-community relations. Law students interested in participating may contact the ACLU of Greater Cleveland, Room 302, 1302 Ontario Street.

WHY NOT?

Within about one hundred yards of C-M there exists a Law Library that can greatly augment the facilities here at C-M. That library is the Cuyahoga County Law Library, on the fourth floor of the nearby County Court House. However, without paying the annual membership fee, law students are not permitted to make use of the materials therein. In light of the ever greater involvement of law students in the activities of the profession, and such programs as Work-Study and the Legal Intern program recently approved by the Supreme Court of Ohio, it would seem that some arrangements might be made for at least those students involved in such University-sponsored programs of research as Law Review, Moot Court, and Legal Writing. Dean Gaynor already has arranged for use of the C.C.L. Library by the law faculty. Could the law students be included—maybe—huh?

GAYNOR, DALHEIM RECEIVE ALUMNI AWARDS



Bruce Gaynor



Ted Dalheim
(Recent Picture)

Cleveland-Marshall Alumni Association scholarship awards went to two students for outstanding achievement during the 1969-70 school year.

Bruce Gaynor received the award for high average attained during his first year. Gaynor, a graduate of Bowling Green University, is employed by the Cleveland Board of Education as teacher coordinator and has also been an assistant in the law library.

Highest academic average for a third-year student went to Ted Dalheim, accountant at Fluid Controls, Mentor, Ohio. Dalheim was graduated from Cleveland State University.

The Alumni Association Awards, amounting to \$150.00 each, are given annually to the two highest scholastic averages attained at the law school.

GRADING SYSTEM STUDIED

A possible new grading system for Cleveland-Marshall College of Law is under consideration by the Academic Standards Committee. This committee, headed by Professor Leroy L. Murad, will study several alternate grading plans. One of the plans being carefully reviewed is the four point system now used by the CSU Division of Graduate Studies. This system allows only four grades—A, B, C and F.

Also being considered are a five point plan with grades of A, B, C, D and F and the Pass-Fail-Honors system.

STUDENT APPOINTMENT BOARD

Cleveland State University has made great strides towards ever greater student involvement in the administration of the University, by creation of the *Student Appointment Board*. The Board, consisting of a student representative from each of the Academic Centers of the University, has the duty of selecting some 120 students to serve as voting members of such formerly exclusive—sacred faculty and administration bodies as the University Curriculum Committee, Finance Committee, Faculty Senate, and various departmental committees.

Applicants for these positions were solicited from the general student body by means of a letter addressed to "Creative Students." During late August and early September, the Board started interviewing students, and by October 1st, will have made its final decision as to the newly appointed members of University and Faculty Committees.

This entirely student-organized-and-directed program of student involvement in University government is a great stride forward towards meeting the demands of the modern-urban University of the 1970's.

The law school now is being introduced into this system of student participation, by a Liaison Committee acting with Dean-of-Student-Activities E. C. Wallenfeldt. To head the committee for the law school, Dean Gaynor has appointed D. P. L. Howard L. Oleck; and other law faculty representatives will be appointed soon. The committee will work closely with the law school's Student Bar Association.

Fraternity News . . .

A "splash—smash" highlighted the summer's social activities for Delta Theta Phi. The event took place at Bruce Parrish's 500-acre estate and was considered the "finest social function in memory," according to Chapter Dean, Bill Plesec. The fraternity also sponsored a successful golf tournament at the Skyland Golf Course for all active brothers and alumni.

The local chapter of Delta Theta Phi proudly announces that Edward F. Meyers, a trustee of CSU College of Law and Executive Vice-President of the Union Commerce Bank, was unanimously elected National Chief Executive of the fraternity.

Phi Alpha Delta law fraternity will "get right back in the swing of things," according to Chapter Justice, Russ Turell, during orientation for first year students. Turell and other members of PAD will field questions about the fraternity at the orientation reception. Finalization of this year's plans and committee appointments will be on the agenda at PAD's business meeting for all members on October 2nd.

October 4th is the date of PAD's first social event, a cocktail party, for all members, their wives and dates, and non-affiliated invitees. Information on future events will be posted on the third floor fraternity bulletin board.

NOTICE . . .

Beginning Monday, October 1st, 1969:

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday through Friday
8:30 A.M. to 10:45 P.M.

Saturday
9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

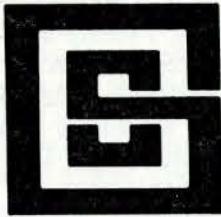
Sunday
12:00 Noon to 5:00 P.M.

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2. All overdue books are fined 50¢ per day.

HELEN GAREE
Librarian and
Assistant Professor



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