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SUMMER SCHOOL.

Chicago Kent's first semester of summer law school proved a signal success. Approximately 60 students attended the various classes, which were held from June 9th to August 8th. Professor Wood taught the class in contracts, Professor Baker the class in agency, and Professor Higgins personal property, domestic relations and bailments, together with lectures on legal sources.

AND SUMMER ENDETH.

Now that the jolly days of vacation time are over it behooves us to look about and see what the future has in store for us.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Whereas it has been decided to make the presidents of the six undergraduate classes members of the Student Council for the current semester, provided they are promptly chosen by their several classes; and

Whereas it is essential to the successful functioning of the Council that its members be determined at an early date;

It is the recommendation and request of the College that class elections in the several classes be held upon the following dates:

Class of February 1925—September 25th.

Class of June 1925—September 26th.

Class of February 1926—September 29th.

Class of June 1926—September 30th.

Class of February 1927—October 1st.

Class of June 1927—October 2nd.

(The editor of the Review requests that a class editor be elected or chosen in each class to act as an assistant editor of the Review, and to assist as much as possible in its preparation.)

Commencement Day

The Thirty-sixth Annual Commencement of Chicago Kent College of Law was held at the Eighth Street Theatre, Thursday, June 5th, at eight-thirty, P. M., where one hundred nine graduates received the degree of Bachelor of Laws, and the degree of Master of Laws was conferred upon the ten members of the post-graduate class.

The exercises began with the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner," followed by the invocation by Rev. Clyde Lemont Hay, after which the Imperial Quartette rendered a number of selections.

Hon. William H. Sexton, President of the Chicago Bar Association, gave the commencement address. He spoke at length of the men who founded Chicago-Kent, and of the benefits which he derived from their teachings and examples. The theme of his address was the duty of the lawyer to the community in which

he lived and practiced and the reward to be gained in a sense of having discharged this duty well, rather than a narrow-minded view of the financial or political gains to be derived from the profession. In conclusion he spoke of the work which is being done by the Grievance Committee of the Chicago Bar Association in the matter of unprofessional conduct on the part of members of the Chicago bar, and impressed upon the graduates the importance of reading and adhering to the Canons of Ethics of the American Bar Association.

Mr. Sexton was followed by Dean Burke who made a short talk preparatory to the conferring of degrees. After this, Secretary Guernsey announced the honors won during the past year, and dismissed the assembly.

Following is a list of those who received degrees:

Charles F. Anderson
John Milton Arney
Ben Aronin
Louis I. Ascher
Henry Schrader Bale
Constantine J. Bisesi
E. Stanley Brim
George W. H. Britt
Clarence LeRoy Brown
Elmer E. Burge
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George F. Callaghan
Aloysius B. Cawley, A. M.
Marion Clohesy
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James A. Daley
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Louis Dennen
Joseph S. Depka
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Roy E. Dyckman
Hermena Belle Deiches
Hilmer Ottis Ekberg
Louis Kenneth Ekstrand
Sigmund Albert Fink
R. J. Frankenstein, Jr.
Maurice Paul Golden
Norman R. Goldstein
Jacob Goodman
Louis R. Goodman
Wilbur A. Gorman
Sam J. Graff
John R. Hackett
Alexander Hartenstein

William Campton Head
John Charles Hemmerle
James Richard Hennessey
Edward Hershenson
Harry Hill
Mary F. Hilton
Paul J. Hirschfield
Edward Hamilton Hoffman
Sol A. Hoffman
John P. Horn, Jr.
Abraham Albert Horwich
C. Rapelye Howell
Walter Clay Hughes
J. Lyle Hyatt
Jerome Leo Kelly
James Melvin Kennedy
Robert H. Klett
Arlyn Ramon Kuckok
Adolph W. Lakemeyer, Jr.
Harold Robert Langer
Joseph S. Langer
Edmond J. Leeney
Frank J. Lexa
Arthur A. Lieberman
Marcus Maffit
Charles Elliott McGuire
Samuel McMullan
Robert M. Meggitt
Charles F. Meroni
Harry Bernard Meurlin
William O. Nelson
Bronis E. Nowogrodzki
Alvin Verne Nygren
Edward F. Obrzut
F. Irving Peregrine
J. Edwin Petersen
Alfred V. Piquerney

Elric McClean Polly
Byron Selby Powell
Charles Edwin Ramsey
Clyde C. Randolph
Frank McMahon Richards
Sameul David Rothman
Alexander Rothman
Sidney Ruben
Minna M. Schmidt
Louis J. Schrachta
Henry Segerman
Byron Beatty Servies
Amos Birdsie Shepard
Cecilia M. Skrentny
Julius T. Skrzydlewski
Albert J. Smith
Anna Sorna, M. D.
David Alfred Steel
Frank W. Steel
Joseph G. Straus, Jr.
Thomas Jarvis Taylor
Howard J. Tobin
Carleton Myron Tower
Roy B. Trelstad
Wendell M. Tuohy
Paul H. Vandenberg
Edwin B. Walker
Everett W. Walker
Harold D. Wallace
Elmer M. Walsh
Henry Forrest Warren
Sidney E. Warshawsky
Reuben Wasserman
Cyril L. L. Weston
Isadore Wolf

The Senior Banquet

It was the evening of June the second, and a goodly crowd was anxiously awaiting the welcome boom of the dinner gong. Little groups formed in the broad reception room of the Auditorium Hotel chatting merrily about this, that and t'other thing, and at the same time kept one eye open for the general entrance of the notables of the evening.

A whisper in one corner of the room suddenly swelled to a roar. The door to the dining hall had opened and the exodus thereto commenced. The groups combined to form a procession of hungry mortals going toward the lighted banquet room. At last we were seated and the fun began. The meal was one that would have delighted an epicure. Olives, radishes and celery, a consomme, (why did Pete begin to sing when the soup was placed before him?) then a delicious bit of fish, which was followed by the piece de resistance, viz., fried chicken, tender and cooked so that it almost melted in one's mouth, lettuce with thousand island dressing, and individual ice cream containers with cake, coffee and a tasty bit of cheese and crackers. Al thru the dinner we were entertained by the gang at Pete's table who gave us several good imitations of various songs. However, the singing ceased when some one suggested that Shepard oblige us with several verses of Ma'mselle.

As soon as the food was down, most of those present settled back in their chairs to listen to President Hoffman announce the first number on the program, selections by the orchestra. This was followed by a clever number by Miss Berenice Brin, E. Stanley's young sister, who obliged with two songs, 'Mindin' My Bus'ness'

which she interpolated with a whistling accompaniment and 'Hula Lou.' Miss Brin also gave an exhibition of Tap dancing which most of the audience missed, due to the fact that no raised platform was provided, and if the verdict of those in the front who saw her work is to be believed, then they certainly missed something. Miss Brin was followed by Everett 'Jumbo' Walker, entertaining with his song and dance stunts, and if the actions of those present are to act as a guide, Ev will be able to make a living in this way should the law business die out. Jumbo was followed by a group of Hawaiians, who held the stage for half an hour with their songs and dances. This was followed by the speech of our President, Ed Hoffman, who reviewed the work of the past year and thanked all members of the Senior class for their able support and welcome assistance. Then came a few words from Judge Wells M. Cook who gave us a general talk on procedure. His Honor was followed by the Editor-in-Chief of the 1924 TRANSCRIPT, Roy Trelstad who dedicated the book to the new Kent College of Law Building. Roy was followed by Professor George Meyer, who accepted the dedication, and then gave a talk on what we may expect in the actual practice of the law. Ed Hoffman read a letter to those assembled from Dean Burke, expressing his sorrow on not being able to be with us on our night of nights. Judge Higgins then told us what we, as lawyers, have before us in the profession.

So interesting was the entertainment and the entertainers, the speakers and the speeches, that it was eleven-forty P. M., Central Daylight Savings Time before the gavel fell

Students' Building Fund Campaign

The final report of the campaign committee shows the freshman class of June, '26, at the top with a per capita pledge of \$13.94, the seniors a close second with \$13.51.

In determining the standing of the various classes, only those pledges of which 20% had been paid on or before May 19th were included, and the total of such pledges divided by the number in the class to arrive at the per capita subscription.

Delta Theta Phi, with an average pledge of \$43.75, captured the fraternity pennant, and, together with

Phi Alpha Delta, Delta Chi and Alpha Sigma Iota, became entitled to a stone in the bronze endowment fund plaque.

The campaign committee wishes to thank all of those who aided in the campaign, and particularly those who assisted in the task of the actual campaigning itself. In spite of the handicaps incident to our moving, the goal of \$25,000 was nearly reached, and the freshman class of June, '26, may feel especially proud of occupying first place in our new building.

The final results were as follows:

STUDENTS' BUILDING FUND CAMPAIGN Final Report, May 19, 1924

Class	Total Pledged	Amount Available for Campaign		Number in Class	Per Capita Pledge
		Total	Total		
Freshman, June '26.....	\$ 6,325	\$ 3,805		273	\$13.94
Senior, June '24.....	3,240	1,635		121	13.51
Freshman, Feb. '27.....	4,518	2,253		175	12.87
Junior, June '25.....	3,767	1,827		172	10.32
Senior, Feb. '25.....	490	175		37	4.73
Junior, Feb. '26.....	245	150		35	4.28
Specials,	250	250			
Total Amount Pledged.....	\$18,835	\$10,095			

The amounts shown in the second column are those upon which the per capita pledges are based, i. e., those subscriptions upon which one-fifth was paid during the campaign.

Respectfully submitted,

CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

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for the last time on the class meetings of the June 1924 Seniors.

One who has been with you for

three years desires to extend his best wishes to each of you for the future in the profession you have chosen.

THE BARRISTER.

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July Bar Examination

A goodly number of Kent alumni history of Illinois bar examinations. passed the July bar examination, which, according to various state-ments, was not the easiest one in the The following members of the class of '24 were successful:

Charles F. Anderson
Constantine Jerome Bisesi
Elmer Elwood Burge
Geo. Wm. Hughes Britt
Peter Joseph Burke
George William Colberg
Vincent Thomas Connor
James A. Daley
Louis Dennen
Sigmund Albert Fink
Richard J. Frankenstein, Jr.
Maurice P. Golden
Norman R. Goldstein
John Charles Hemmerle

James Richard Hennessey
Edward H. Hoffman
John P. Horn, Jr.
Clarence Repelye Howell
Walter Clay Hughes
James M. Kennedy
Adolph W. Lakemeyer, Jr.
Harold Robert Langer
Frank J. Lexa
Philip A. Lozowick
Charles Elliott McGuire
Bronis E. Nowogrodzki
Alvin Verne Nygren
F. Irving Peregrine

John Edwin Petersen
Alfred Vernon Piquerney
Frank McMahon Richards
Samuel David Rothman
Sidney Rubenstein
Lawrence Graff Shender
Cecelia M. Skrentay
Julius T. Skrzydlewski
Albert J. Smith
David Alfred Steel
Frank William Steel
Carleton Myron Tower
Elmer M. Walsh
Isadore Wolf

The Fraternity Cup

The fraternity cup, which has been in the Phi Alpha Delta camp since mid-winter, is now perched in the Delta Chi rooms, and will there remain for a semester or two if their resolutions do not fail. The cup is awarded each semester to the fraternity having the best scholastic standing for that semester, and is then held by the winning fraternity until the next reckoning.

The standing of the various fraternities for the second semester of the 1923-24 terms is given below:

Delta Chi.....	1.8827
Nu Beta Epsilon.....	1.8249
Phi Delta Phi.....	1.779
Phi Alpha Delta.....	1.752
Delta Theta Phi.....	1.4659
Alpha Sigma Iota.....	1.200
* Bench and Bar.	
* Iota Alpha Epsilon.	
* Phi Delta Sigma.	

* Indicates fraternities who did not supply sufficient data to determine their scholastic standing.

WANTED.

The Review is in need of an advertising manager and solicitor, inasmuch as a good deal of advertising copy is to be had in the vicinity of

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Awards for 1923-4

We publish herewith a list of those who during the past school year were recipients of honors in class work, athletics, or debating, together with the hearty congratulations of the Review.

Mid-Year Commencement February Graduating Class 2-12-24

Callaghan Prize—\$50.00 in law books

1st prize for highest scholarship—
Allen E. Hoban.

Honorable mention—Frederick A. Smith, and Julius H. Gross.

Three copies of Illinois Statutes for the three best theses to Fred Schroeder, Jr., Julius H. Gross and Frederick A. Smith.

SENIOR CLASS, JUNE, 1924.

Moran Prize—1st prize for highest scholarship — Byron B. Servies (\$100).

Scholarship prize—Graduate scholarship to 2nd highest—Howard J. Tobin.

Honorable mention—George W. H. Britt.

American Law Book Company prizes.—Sets of Corpus—Juris-Cyc. to the three members of the class who during the year acquired the highest degree of proficiency in the law finding course, was awarded to George W. H. Britt, Cyril L. L. Weston, and Charles F. Meroni.

JUNIOR CLASS.

1st prize—Moran prize—to Wendell H. Shanner.

2nd prize—Scholarship—\$75 to Robert Klenha.

Honorable mention—3rd place—E. A. Wagner; 4th place—Eugene E. Murphy.

FRESHMAN CLASS.

1st prize—Moran prize—to Lawrence J. West.

2nd prize—Scholarship — \$75 to Irwin B. Clorfene.

Honorable mention—3rd place to Bernard Hoban; 4th place to Thomas Figue, Jr.

Fraternity Cup—1st semester to Phi Alpha Delta; 2nd semester to Delta Chi.

DEBATING.

Senior Class:

Allen E. Hoban	1st Place
S. D. Rothman	2nd place
Louis Dennen	3rd place

Junior Class:

Leo Rice	1st place
Helmer Hansen	2nd place
L. E. Terry	3rd place

Freshman Class:

Eli Langert	1st place
Harry Stripe	2nd place
Harold T. Huber	3rd place

BASEBALL.

A. Frankenstein
A. Marovitz
D. H. Neuman
T. J. Jacoby
W. L. Kargman
A. Cawley
J. F. Hartman
Wm. Q. Quinn
H. Ballantyne
E. Markham
W. B. Gubbins
Paul Kaiser

Sweaters and letters were awarded to the students listed above, they having filled the school requirements in that respect.

The list of awards shown above is an indication of the substantial monetary award for good work, not to mention the benefits derived from a better knowledge of the law. The Review again congratulates the winners.

Chicago-Kent Junior College

The Junior College, which will open on September 15th, is another one of the "big things" at Kent this year. It will give prospective law students an opportunity to qualify under Supreme Court Rule No. 39, and will give those who wish certain courses only an opportunity to attend afternoon or evening classes.

The courses of study have been outlined, as far as possible, so as to be most useful to those who intend to

study law, and in preparing them numerous teachers and lawyers were consulted.

An excellent corps of instructors has been chosen from among the professors at Northwestern University and the University of Chicago.

The new catalog gives more detailed information as to the courses and instructors, and students who are interested should apply at the college office for one.

Co-operation

The Review is in need of the co-operation of all students. It is a student enterprise, and without the support of the students it cannot function and cannot exist. Everyone likes to read the news of his school and his class in his school paper, and yet very few pass on any news items for this purpose. If you know of any interesting event relating to Kent alumni or students, pass it on to your class editor, or leave at the college

office addressed to the Review. If you have an idea to advance, or a grievance to air, pass it on to the Review. Perhaps you have some observations relating to the administration of justice in Cook County which might prove helpful and entertaining to others. At any rate, do not forget that the Review is one of your enterprises, and that it is entitled to your support.

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ALPHA SIGMA IOTA.

Two noteworthy events marked the last semester, one, the occupation of Kent's new home and the other, the announcement of the new fraternity, Alpha Sigma Iota.

Taking seed last semester in the Junior class with eight charter members and enlarging to its present carefully selected membership of forty-two, comprised solely of Kent men from the Freshmen, Junior, and Senior classes. According to Chancellor Ben Joseph, the success of this new fraternity may be attributed to the unceasing efforts of the original eight brothers who were imbued with a spirit that would assure the success of any undertaking. The many obstacles that stand in the way of any new organization were not absent in the early existence of this one but they were dealt with in the way that has become peculiarly significant of the methods of the organization. Kent has witnessed the organization, suc-

cess and disappearance of many fraternities of which comparatively few remain today, many of these have been successes for only a short while, others had a somewhat longer existence and still others are still alive and going strong; in this last classification is where the Alpha Sigma Iota members hope to keep their fraternity, and if objects, purposes, laws, and bonds determine the classification, then their hopes are assured of realization.

The eight charter members are:

Ben Joseph
George A. Gordon
Lewis Bennett
Carl Aplon
Morris Goldberg
A. Gerchikov
Abe Cohn
James Berenson

The Alpha Sigma Iota has taken deep root and its influences are beginning to be felt in many quarters, its continued existence will prove beneficial to future Kent.

TO ALUMNI:

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