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Editorial

Season's Holiday Greetings Being on the threshold of the Holiday season the Review welcomes this opportunity to extend to all of its readers the happiest and best of the season's greetings. To the faculty the approaching holiday season means a rest period from the arduous task of imparting knowledge to the students. It gives to the individual instructor time in which to review the progress made by his students and determine upon new methods of presenting his subject for the better comprehension of the weaker students. To the students, of course the holiday season is of much greater importance. It is a breathing spell that enables them to make an inventory of their knowledge in different subjects. They will have time to rest a bit in order to offset the nervous strain that they have been handicapped with as law school students, who have had to attend classes after completing a full day's work. They will also have time in which to review the subject matter covered in their different courses up to the present and lay preparations for the closing weeks of the semester. This will be a period of grace enjoyed by the student body to a man whether they are succeeding in their subjects or on the dangerous border line. The vacation period will enable them to greatly improve their knowledge of the work that has been completed. Needless to say that all can benefit from the relaxation. To the officers and office

assistants the holiday season takes on a different appearance. They will be on duty as now, but will experience a great relief from the pressure placed upon them in keeping abreast of the many duties that devolve upon the business office of the College.

To all, officers, faculty and students, attendants of the Chicago Kent College of Law the Review wishes a very merry Christmas and a happier and more prosperous New Year.

Mid-Semester Notices Are Out Having passed the half way mile post in their work, those students whose work places them on the border line of passing can expect to receive warning notices from the faculty. These notices are sent to the different students upon the theory that it is to the students' advantage to know whether or not they are abreast of their classmates in the quality of their work. The receipt of a warning notice does not mean, necessarily, that a student is failing. Of course the purpose of a warning notice to each student has its own particular significance and if the student is doing work below a passing grade it means he is failing. If the student is not doing as well as he should, bringing his quality of work dangerously close to the failing mark, it means that he should apply himself more assiduously to his studies in order to insure his successful completion of that particular subject. Again if the professor feels that a student is not doing the quality of work he should be doing he may send the student a warning notice in order to call his attention to that fact expecting him to brush up on his back work and improve himself during the remaining of the semester so as to merit grades such as his known ability calls for. In any event if there is any doubt in the student's mind after receiving a warning notice it would be well for that student to consult with his instructor in that particular subject in which he has received the notice.