

# PROF. HALL NA I.U.'s 'BEST TEACHER'

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## Wells Sums Up Grants For Founders' Day Crowd

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Dr. Jerome Hall, professor of law, was recognized as the "best teacher" at I.U., 2,500 honor students were congratulated by President Herman B Wells, and extensive I.U. programs and grants were revealed Wednesday as I.U. celebrated its 136th anniversary on Founders' Day.



**DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR**  
— Dr. Jerome Hall, professor of law, received the Frederic Bachman Lieber Memorial Award for distinguished teaching during Founder's Day ceremonies Wednesday afternoon. Dr. Hall is the third faculty member to receive the award.

Dr. Hall received the Frederic Bachman Lieber Memorial Award for Distinguished Teaching, a recognition award established in 1954 through a bequest by the late Mrs. Katie D. Bachman, of Indianapolis, in memory of her son. Last year, Dr. William R. Breneman, professor of zoology, received the coveted award.

### Students Honored.

Spectators at the Founders' Day ceremonies saw line after line of honor students, newly elected members of scholastic honoraries, and outstanding military graduates walk up to the stage and shake hands with President Wells.

The honor students were introduced by their respective deans. Each honor student received a certificate of achievement.

President Wells announced that I.U. received approximately 2 3/4 million dollars in gifts and grants last year. This will be used for research, fellowships, scholarships, and for the support of hospitals and clinics, he said.

## U.S. Contracts.

In addition, the University has received contracts totaling \$1,764,317 by the United States Co-operation Administration for public administration and education programs in Thailand, a medical program in Pakistan, and a language training program for the U.S. Air Force.

Special mention was also made of a grant of 250 thousand dollars to the I.U. School of Law from the Inland Foundation, Inc., to establish a laboratory course in legal techniques.

## Weimer Speaks.

Dean Arthur M. Weimer, of the School of Business, spoke on "Business Research and the Business Community." He paid tribute to research-minded American businessmen.

"The role of the School of Business is to help make current business techniques and managerial processes obsolete" he said. "Fortunately, the results of I.U. research are often translated into practice quite rapidly because of the intensity of competition between business firms and because of the progressive points held by many business managers," he continued.

During the program the Belles of Indiana sang several selections of popular music. Soft lights changed shades and gave light and shadow effects on the girls dressed in formals. The group was conducted by Eugene Bayless, of the School of Music.

## Birthday Cake.

A huge birthday cake in the Auditorium foyer symbolized the University's 136 years.

The afternoon's ceremonies began at 1 p.m. with a concert by the I.U. Symphony Band. After the last number, the crowd went to the Union Building for the Dean's Reception for honor students and their parents. Each student received a certificate commending him for his outstanding scholastic achievements.

After the reception, the caravan went by car to the grave of Andrew Wylie, first president of I.U., in Rose Hill Cemetery. President Wells gave a brief talk and a 7-man squad from Pershing Rifles, commanded by Gordon Kelley, senior, rendered a rifle-salute. After the ceremonies the group proceeded to Dr. Wylie's home at Second and Lincoln streets where President Wells summarized the history of the house, and students and parents toured the three-story mansion.