School of Law

The founding date of 1842 makes ours the oldest state law school west of the Alleghenies. Judge David McDonald and Judge William T. Otto constituted the administrative and teaching staff in the early years and led four young barristers to a successful graduation two years after the founding of the school.

These must have been enthusiastic supporters of the institution for the Law School's enrollment grew to such proportions that its graduates outnumbered those of the Liberal Arts School for several Commencements after 1870. Pecuniary difficulties arose in 1877 and the school was suspended until 1899. It was sufficiently subsidized then, however, and is now one of the foremost in the middle west.

Dean Hepburn came to the university as Professor of Law in 1903 and became Dean of the School in 1918. His books on torts and civil procedure are recognized as authoritative by the legal profession.

Dean Charles M. Hepburn
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*Indianapolis*  
LL. B.  
Kappa Kappa Gamma  
Pi Iaides  
Garrick Club  
President, W. A. A.  
Treasurer, Sophomore  
Class  
Secretary, Senior Law  
Class

COBURN THOMAS SCHOLL  
*Indianapolis*  
LL. B.  
Kappa Sigma  
Phi Delta Phi

ROBERT D. SMALLEY  
*Lafayette*  
LL. B.

WILBUR ELLIS COOK  
*Huntington*  
LL. B.  
Kappa Sigma  
Phi Delta Phi  
Aeons  
Sphinx Club  
Chairman, Junior Prom, 1924

ROY CAMERON FENTERS  
*Attica*  
LL. B.  
Kappa Sigma  
Phi Delta Phi

EDWARD P. FILLION  
*Indianapolis*  
LL. B.  
Sigma Chi  
Phi Delta Phi  
President, Indiana Union  
Varsity Track  
President, Freshman Class  
Aeons  
Assistant Director, Memorial Drive, 1923  
Sphinx Club

JOHN D. BOLD  
*Columbus, Ohio*  
LL. B.  
Beta Xi  
Gamma Eta Gamma

W. LON MOORE  
*Rushville*  
LL. B.  
Acacia  
Gamma Eta Gamma  
Scribner and Blade  
Senior Manager, Football  
Aeons  
Boosters Club

JESSE W. McATEE  
*Hartford City*  
LL. B.  
Acacia  
Phi Delta Phi  
Tau Kappa Alpha  
Euclidean Circle  
Travelers Club  
Varsity Debating Team, 1922, '23

JAMES ANDERSON HENDERSON  
*Versailles*  
LL. B.  
Gamma Eta Gamma  
Boosters Club
LOWELL C. HELD
Williamsport
LL. B.
Gamma Eta Gamma

WILLIAM N. COOKERLY
South Milford
LL. B.

OTIS MILLER
Logansport
LL. B.
Phi Delta Theta
Sphinx Club
Varsity Baseball, 1924

CONWAY E. Yockey
Angola
LL. B.
Delta Tau Delta
Gamma Eta Gamma
President, Pan-Hellenic Council
President, State Inter-Fraternity Association

JOHN RAYMOND TRINKLE
Sandhorn
LL. B.
Gamma Eta Gamma
Scabbard and Blade
Captain, R. O. T. C.
Varsity Track Team, 1921

WILLIAM OLI PHANT WILSON
Mt. Vernon
LL. B.
Gamma Eta Gamma

GLEN RAYMOND HILLIS
Kokomo
LL. B.
Lambda Chi Alpha
Phi Delta Phi
Delta Sigma Rho
President, Senior Law Class
Aeons
Debating Team, 1912, '13

EDWIN RANDALL THOMAS
Pt. Wayne
LL. B.
Phi Kappa Psi
Phi Delta Phi
Skull and Crescent
Varsity Track, 1924

FAY W. LEAS
Hudson
LL. B.
Lambda Chi Alpha
Gamma Eta Gamma
Tau Kappa Alpha
Debating Team, 1921, '22

FLOYD R. MANNON
Greenfield
LL. B.
Sigma Nu
Gamma Eta Gamma
Sphinx Club
Boosters Club
WARREN J. ROMMES  
Kendallville  
L.L. B.  
Beta Theta Pi  
Phi Delta Phi  
Aeons  
President, Indiana Union

SAMUEL DAIRD BRILL  
Indianapolis  
L.L. B.

WALTER EDWARD HELMKE  
Ft. Wayne  
L.L. B.  
Phi Kappa Psi  
Phi Delta Phi  
Tau Kappa Alpha  
Varsity Debating Team, 1921-22, '22-'23  
Debating Manager, 1923-24, '24-'25

ROSA BARBARA NONN  
Harrisburg, Pa.  
L.L. B.  
Theta Phi Alpha

VIRGIL LEROY COFFEL  
Monon  
L.L. B.  
Lambda Chi Alpha  
Gamma Eta Gamma

CHARLES EDWIN DARE  
Columbia City  
L.L. B.  
Indiana Club  
Gamma Eta Gamma

PARK H. CAMPBELL  
Williamsport  
L.L. B.

ROY EMANUEL SAPPENFIELD  
Bloomington  
L.L. B.  
Sigma Nu  
Phi Delta Phi  
Phi Beta Kappa  
Varsity Golf Captain, 1923  
University Golf Champion, 1921-22

HOWARD P. ROBINSON  
Franklin  
L.L. B.  
Phi Delta Theta  
Phi Delta Phi  
Sigma Delta Chi, President  
Vice-President, Senior Law Class  
Sports Editor, Daily Student
After a frantic training spree that lasted almost a week, the Laws and the Medics, neighbors, and proverbial enemies, brought their bickerings to high tension and played at another football game, October 25th.

Battling furiously, fumbles and errors even, the warriors were halted with the score standing 0-0 in favor of neither. We agree that officials were indeed wise in calling a halt to the contest, since neither school was in a position to gloat and the players were more than willing to call it a day.
To be the oldest legal fraternity is no mean distinction—ask any member. Phi Delta Phi began at Michigan in 1869 and the Indiana chapter appeared in 1900, being known by the strictly legal title of "Foster Inn". It is called an Inn because the boys want to see how it feels to hang out before they try it on their shingles. (That was wet but the write-up man is tired and the editor refused his good-night kiss until this effusion is finished.)

All in all, though, it has to be kicked to Phi Delta Phi. Requirements for membership include a semester's residence in the Law School and a faculty recommendation on scholarship. Indeed, this latter point is stressed so forcefully that a lowering of the scholastic standards by any member is apt to endanger his continued membership. Strange enough to hear an Indiana student worrying for fear that his grades will be so low that he will be thrown out of, not the school, but Phi Delta Phi.

First Column—Jesse McAtee, Roy Fenters, Wilbur Cook.
Second Column—Coburn Scholl, Theodore Sedwick, Roy Sappenfield, Carleton Dargusch.
Third Column—Edward Fillion, Edwin Thomas, Paul Tombaugh.
Fourth Column—Glen Hillis, Warren Rommes, Howard Robinson, Glenn Miller.
Fifth Column—Walter Helmke, J. Hughes Smith, Edwin Neff.

Roy Sappenfield, President
Since 1911, Gamma Eta Gamma, the lawyers' delight, has been with us. But it is only since 1923 that it has usurped one of the choicest rooms in school, namely the large, capacious one in the front basement of Maxwell Hall. This particularly gripes the 1925 Arbutus. Said Arbutus had fastened a covetous eye on that precise room to displace the present editorial sanctum in Assembly Hall. But the barristers must have talked louder and longer (and, barely possibly, more to the point) for the law won.

Like its good friend, Phi Delta Phi, this organization takes only men of "sterling character and 'proved' merit". If we may believe the current stories in the Administration Building, however, these virtues are inherent in all the Maxwellites. It must be very satisfactory to have such a fine field of eligibles to draw from.


Third Column—Ross Myers, Virchow Kessinger, Conway Yockey, Park Campbell, Philip McCarthy.

Fourth Column—Everett Bloom, Samuel Davis, Ernest Myers, Lynn Thompson, E. N. Scales.

Fifth Column—James Henderson, William O. Wilson, J. D. Bold, Fay Leas, William Dare.

Sixth Column—Lon Moore, Floyd Manning, Bruce Sillery, Virgil Coffel, Donald Shinn.

James Henderson, President