THE
AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION
COMES TO THE
MIDWAY
Special Events for the ABA Meeting

During last August’s annual meeting of the American Bar Association, the School was host at a number of special events honoring groups gathered in Chicago for the occasion.

On Saturday, August 14, the members of the Conference of Chief Justices, and their wives, and the Commissioners on Uniform State Laws, and their wives, were guests of The Law School at a Quadrangle Club cocktail party and luncheon. About one hundred and seventy guests heard a brief welcome from Dean Levi and, after lunch, proceeded to The Law School to view the special exhibit arranged for the ABA meeting, and then to the Ion Accelerator Building for a tour of the University’s cyclotron and betatron. The following evening The Law School held a reception and dinner for members of other law faculties and their wives who were in attendance at the ABA meeting. About one hundred and fifty law teachers attended the dinner, which was held on the lawn between The Law School and Beecher Hall, The Law School Dormitory.

The largest affair of the week was the Alumni Luncheon, which took place immediately before the dedication of the Bar Center. More than five hundred and fifty alumni and their wives gathered on the lawn, in The Law School-Beecher Hall Quadrangle, for a buffet luncheon. The Chief Justice of the United States; the late Mr. Justice Jackson; Mr. William Jameson, president of the American Bar Association, and Mr.


Registration at the luncheon given by the School for members of the Conference of Chief Justices and of the Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws and their wives.

Dwight P. Green, '12, George B. McKibbin, '13, Judge Harold R. Medina, Judge Elmer Schnackenberg, '12.

Loyd Wright, president-elect; Sir David Maxwell Fyfe, then Home Secretary of Great Britain and now Lord High Chancellor; Chief Justice Walter V. Schaefer, '28, of the Illinois Supreme Court; Mr. Karl Williams, president of the Illinois State Bar Association; Mr. Richard Bentley, president of the Chicago Bar Association; Judge Florence Allen, '12, of the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit; Judge Elmer J. Schnackenberg, '12, of the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit; Mr. John A. McAuley, president of the Canadian Bar Association; and Mr. Simon Sobeloff, Solicitor-General of the United States, were among the distinguished guests. Mr. Jameson, speaking on behalf of the American Bar Association, expressed the pleasure of the Association at its new location, its gratitude to the University, and its hopes for future accomplishment. Mr. Glen A. Lloyd, president of The Law School Alumni Association, welcomed the alumni and guests and discussed the development of the program of the School. Mr. Dwight P. Green, '12,
More than 550 alumni and guests at the luncheon preceding the Bar Center dedication.

general chairman of the 1953-54 Alumni Fund Campaign, reported on the results of the campaign and thanked the large number of alumni whose work and contributions had caused it to be a success.

Following the dedication ceremonies, Mr. Edward Ryerson, chairman of the Board of Trustees of the University, and Mrs. Ryerson, were hosts to those who had participated in the ceremonies, the Board of Governors of the American Bar Association, the Faculty of the Law School, the Visiting Committee and the Alumni Board of the Law School, at a reception in the garden of the Chancellor's residence.

Clockwise, from left foreground: Mrs. Morris E. Feiwel, University Trustee Henry F. Tenney, '15, Mrs. Henry F. Tenney, University Vice-President R. Wendell Harrison, Mrs. R. Wendell Harrison, the late George Maurice Morris, '15, Morris E. Feiwel, '15, Mrs. George Maurice Morris.

During the Alumni Luncheon: Chief Justice Earl Warren, Dean Edward Levi, Sir David Maxwell Fyfe, and Alumni Association President Glen Lloyd.

Throughout the week there was on display in the Law Building a special exhibit honoring the Association meeting. The exhibit included a collection of pictures on subjects related to the law loaned by the Art Institute of Chicago, and a large selection of rare lawbooks and legal documents drawn from the resources of the University Libraries and loaned by, or through the efforts of, Louis H. Silver, JD '28. The exhibit featured, as well, materials relating to the research projects now in progress at The Law School, together with items illustrating past contributions of the School to the practice of law, research in law, and legal education.

The late Justice Robert H. Jackson with Illinois Chief Justice Schaefer and other guests at the Alumni Luncheon.
Clockwise: Loyd Wright, Mrs. Loyd Wright, Mrs. Richard Bentley, Richard Bentley, Mrs. Karl Williams, Karl Williams, Mrs. Laird Bell, Laird Bell, '07.

Professor Lon Fuller, Professor Soia Mentschikoff, Professor Wilber G. Katz, Mrs. Maurice Merrill, Professor Maurice Merrill, Mrs. Wilber Katz, Dean F. D. G. Ribble.

Chief Justice Walter Schaefer, '28, and Professor Bernard Meltzer, '37, with guests at the Chief Justices and Commissioners Luncheon.

Vice-President Emeritus of the University Frederick Woodward, Chairman Harold Reeve of the Committee on Dedication Arrangements, Mrs. Harold Reeve, University Vice-President W. B. Harrell, Mrs. W. B. Harrell, Mrs. Edward H. Levi.

Mrs. Dwight P. Green and Mrs. Harold R. Medina

Andrew J. Dallstream, '17, Mrs. Morris E. Feiwell, and Morris E. Feiwell, '15.
A view of the Reading Room of the Law Library, showing some of the display cases set up for the special exhibit during the ABA Meeting in August.

A replica of a carved-stone version of the Code of Hammurabi, loaned to The Law School by the Oriental Institute of the University of Chicago for the ABA special exhibit.

A portion of the special display, "The Law in Art," arranged and loaned by the Art Institute of Chicago and exhibited in the Law Building during the ABA Meeting.