Comment by the Press

The cornerstone ceremony provided the occasion for editorials in The Chicago Tribune, The Chicago Daily News and the Chicago Sun-Times congratulating the University and the Law School. The Tribune spoke of the Law School as "among the best two or three in the country" and of the teaching methods, research and "eagerness to teach and to learn that have given the school its special flavor." The Daily News stated that Chancellor Kimpton deserved the thanks of the whole community for his "successful efforts to create this new law center. It will be a fitting home for a great institution." The Sun-Times, pointing out that "it takes more than a physical plant and a desirable location to make a law school great, as the U. of C. Law School is," stressed, among the "ingredients for success," "the sort of service that has been rendered by a topflight faculty of recognized legal scholars."

Report on the Class of 1933 After Twenty-Five Years

By WILLETT N. GORHAM, '33

Twenty-five years—a quarter of a century—is a long time. During these years most of us have learned and forgotten more law than we picked up in the three years at the University of Chicago. The mental training we received at the Law School, however, together with the know-how as to where to find the law, has stood us in good stead, whether or not we are now "rich-man, poor-man, beggar-man, thief—doctor, lawyer, merchant, chief," . . . or housewife. Free lunches at Frank's have gone, but the other refreshments are better even though the years have reduced our capacity for both.

The Great Depression is a dim memory, but inflation keeps most of us "poor-man." Many saw active service in World War II and all hope our sons and daughters and grandchildren will be spared from another.

We have scattered to the winds. Where are we and what do we do? Of 74 questionnaires sent out, 54 have replied. Of these, 32 live in Chicago or suburbs, three in downstate Illinois, and 19 in 12 other states, if you want to include Washington, D. C., in the Union. Next to Illinois, California leads with six—in spite of its rain and smog. We have a governor, a member of Congress, 32 practicing attorneys, eight industrialists, five bankers or trust officers, one insurance man, one court administrator, one housewife, a few miscellaneous . . . and one retired. Guess who? John Angus out in Las Vegas.

Without further ado, I list hereafter a short summary taken from the questionnaires.

ADLER, Charles F., resides at 7828 S. Kingston, Chicago. He is a partner in the firm of Adler & Adler, 201 N. Wells Street. With two sons, aged 18 and 14, "domestic tranquility is questionable." The elder attends Drake University and the younger is a high school freshman. Their father is an active leader in the Cub and Boy Scouts. His philosophy about the practice: "You can't get rich at it—but it's fun."

ANGUS, John, Jr., is our only retired alumnus (wonder if it's easier in Las Vegas) but he keeps busy with many activities. He has three children, John III, 16, Michael, 13, and Judith, 12, who live with their father at 1027 Wengert Avenue, Las Vegas. His "domestic tranquility started with a divorce in 1952." Four years of war service included two years in CAC and two in Ordnance, and received Army Commendation Ribbon. Wisconsin calls Johnny in the summer. Hope he will look up some of the old
pals on the way.

APPLEBAUM, Milton S., resides at 939 W. Ainslie Ave., Chicago. He is in practice for himself at 38 South Dearborn St., as a combination lawyer and Certified Public Accountant. This coming general election November 4 will see him as a candidate for Associate Judge of the Municipal Court of Chicago. Let's get out the vote!

BASILE, William B., is President of The Richardson Company at 27th & Lake Streets in Melrose Park—a big job for a big company. He and his wife Ruth have three children, Bette Claire, William, Jr., and Ralph, and live at 501 Monroe Avenue in Glencoe. Bette is a student at the University of Indiana.

BENDER, Isaac 1., is in practice for himself at 228 N. La Salle St., specializing in federal tax litigation. He is not married, which accounts for his complete domestic tranquility—with nothing to report on his questionnaire.

BOAND, Charles W., resides in Barrington at Route No. 1, Cuba Road. Since 1945 he's been a partner of Wilson & McIlvaine, 120 West Adams. He and his wife, Marion, who is a composer and President of Contemporary Concerts, Inc., have two children, Anthony, 10, and Barbara, 8. War activities kept him in the Pacific Theatre from 1942 through '45, and he received two bronze stars as a result of this service. Last August he received a Master's Degree of Business Administration from the University of Chicago. It is nice to have a few scholars.

BOGERT, David C. (remembered as David Bogolub), is a resident of San Francisco at 2261 Clay Street. He is a partner in the firm of Long & Levit at 605 Merchants Exchange, 465 California Street. He and his wife Helen have two children, William David, 5, and Barbara Helen, 3. Dave reminisces about the "Ponies" basketball team, which won the championship in 1932-33, and still has the team trophy decorating the mantel on top of his fireplace. He also relates this interesting incident: "A few years ago, a
number of younger University of Chicago law school alumni were looking for a place where they could lunch together. I invited them to my club, and have had a table for them there ever since. Professor Kenneth Sears discovered this group recently and has lunched with us several times. I would like it known that a U. of C. Law School group does have lunch every Wednesday at the Fraternity Club, 345 Bush Street, San Francisco. Alumni, former faculty members, etc., are always welcome to join this group whenever they are in town.”

BLACKMAN, Joseph K., Jr., resides at 307 Briargate in Hinsdale. He is Executive Vice President and attorney for Hinsdale Federal Savings & Loan. From all appearances, Joe is still a bachelor.

BRODSKY, Benjamin M., resides at 3453 Summit Avenue in Highland Park. Along with our own Stan Kaplan, Ben is a partner in the firm of Gottlieb & Schwartz, 231 S. La Salle Street. He and his wife Erike have three daughters, Elsa, Jean and Karen.

BRADLEY, Theodore V., is a resident of Murphysboro in downstate Illinois at 404 Walnut Street. He practices individually, as is the custom in that area, at 101 1/2 Walnut Street. He is so proud of his town that he extends an invitation to any and all who happen that way. His is the frame house across from the water tower. He’s also proud of his daughter Brenda, a high school senior, who was the winner of a Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow contest. He and his wife June have another daughter, of whom they are just as proud. An avid tennis player, Ted has played in the Cape Girardeau invitational, lost on two points in the third set. That’s pretty good when you’re 51!

CAHN, Bernard D., resides at 21 Highland Place, Great Neck, New York. His son has graduated from Swarthmore magna cum laude and is now doing predoctoral work; his daughter is a junior at that college. His law offices are at 30 Broad Street in New York City, where he specializes principally in SEC practice. During the War he served in Italy for more than two years, from Salerno north to the Italian Riviera. He must confess, however, that Hersey’s description of military government was more romantic than his experience would justify.

CHAMALES, Peter J., is in practice for himself at 208 S. La Salle Street, Chicago. He and his “adoring wife and two critical children,” John, 16, and Caroline, 14, live in Wilmette at 602 Washington Street. Highlights of interest in Pete’s career have been acquiring the trick of obtaining interest without having principal, and how to get principal without sacrificing one’s principles. His general comment can be summed up in Ecclesiastes 5:3.

CHAPMAN, John W., is a partner in the firm of

Peyser, Cartano, Botzer & Chapman at 1415 Joseph Vance Building, Seattle 1. He and his wife Lorna and son John, 15, live at 4782 East 178th Street in that city. Jack wishes to be remembered to Bob English, who is now Superior Court Judge here in Cook County. Why Bob is not included in our class, I don’t know. He should be good for a touch.

COHEN, Leonard M., resides with his wife and four children at 355 Brownsville Road, Highland Park. He practices law at 105 W. Madison Street with Melvin Cohen. With four children, you’d think he would have more to say for himself than he does.

COHN, Eugene L., is a partner in the firm of Cohn & Colby, One No. La Salle Street. Highlights in his career have been specializing in the representation of motor carriers before Federal and State regulatory commissions and in the courts; he has also contributed to articles on motor carrier regulations. He resides at 1725 East 53rd Street, Chicago. Another dull bachelor.

DANFORTH, William B., is a resident of Mason City, Iowa, at 276 Willowbrook Drive. He is a partner in the firm of Levinson & Danforth at 215 S. Federal Avenue in Mason City, where he has been engaged in general practice since 1953. He and his wife Genevieve have a son Robert, age 19, a sophomore at
Clark Street. One of his activities is that of chairman of Committee on Trust Law. He and his wife and child live at 723 Roger Avenue in Kenilworth.

FISHER, Lafayette, resides at 1035 Sheridan Road in Winnetka with his wife Muriel and three children, Kenneth, 16, Barry, 14, and Nancy Joy, 11. He practices by himself at One No. La Salle Street. A former “Pony” player, he just built a beautiful new house and is a “car-wash” king.

FRIED, Raymond K., is a partner in the firm of Feinberg & Fried at 38 S. Dearborn Street. He and his wife and daughter live at 227 East Walnut Place in Chicago. According to Ray, he has been leading a relatively normal life—really quite unexciting now that he is asked to look back and reminisce about the highlights. During the War he was in the Army signal corps, psychological warfare.

GORHAM, Willett N., is Second Vice President of The Northern Trust Company at 50 S. La Salle Street. Bud and his wife Lucie, who reside at 14 Country Lane, Northfield, just celebrated their silver anniversary. They have two children, Willett, Jr., 23, and a married daughter, Dale, 20, who now lives in Princeton, N. J. Editorial modesty forbids doing the subject justice.

GRACE, Elmer C., resides with his wife at 6736 S. Chappel Avenue in Chicago. He does not practice law, but is associated with the Decorators Supply Corporation, 2001 S. Peoria Street, as its Secretary. During the War he was a captain in the Air Force.

GRIFFITH, A. Russell, is another who no longer practices law—he is now Director, Vice President and Controller of Safeway Stores, Inc., 4th and Jackson Streets, Oakland 4. Sounds pretty important! He and his wife Roberta live at 856 Blair Avenue in that city with their two children, Barbara Jane and John Russell.

GRODSKY, Benjamin, is a field attorney for the U. S. Government’s National Labor Relations Board. His office is located at 111 W. 7th Street in Los Angeles. Ben and his “wife (1)” and his “sons (2)” reside at 1137 Point View Street in L. A. The older son, 19, is a sophomore at UCLA. Ben is obviously too old to try wife (2)!

HARDIN, John H., is partner of Sorling, Catron & Hardin, with offices at 1020 Illinois Building in Springfield. Domestic tranquility is maintained in the Hardin household by Mary, 16, Melinda, 12, Rebecca, 9, and Timothy, 9, who live with their parents in Springfield, at 46 Hazel Dell, Lake Springfield. Over and beyond the four children, highlights of interest in John’s career include, of all things, the night he walked in his sleep in Superior, Wisconsin. He feels “life is pleasant in a town the size of Springfield, and, despite my capacity for it, find nothing to really
grumble about. Also, the split infinitive seems to be more appropriate than one not divided.

HECKER, George L., is another now braving smog and rain in Los Angeles. He is a partner of Hecker & Dunford, 8907 Wilshire Blvd., Beverly Hills. He and his wife Janet (who is "quite a painter") have two sons, Ronald, UCLA '61, and Gerald, who is in high school. They reside at 151 S. Fuller Avenue, Los Angeles. During the War George served on General Eisenhower's staff and was a member of the first military commission to try German civilians for atrocities of war. Highlights of his career have been "extensive insurance, negligence and jury trial experience."

HIBBEN, George N., resides at 2326 Iroquois Road in Wilmette with his wife Helen and sons Thomas (married and flown the coup) and Stephen. Thomas is a graduate of the School of Architecture, Cornell U., and Stephen is a sophomore at Northwestern. George's office is located at 332 S. Michigan Avenue, Chicago, where he is a partner of Davis, Lindsey, Hibben & Noyes. Patent law is his field and involves practicing primarily in the Federal courts and before the U. S. Patent Office. George has encountered all types of legal questions, and "... the fine legal instruction I received at the Law School has proven indispensable in my practice." We have some serious classmates!

HUGHES, John N., is a partner in the law firm of Evans, Duncan, Jones, Hughes & Riley, 222 Equitable Building, Des Moines; also is a general attorney for Des Moines Union Railroad Company and the Iowa attorney for the Milwaukee Railroad. He and his wife Jeanne reside at 2116 44th Street with their two sons, John and James, both in high school. During the War he was on active duty in Judge Advocate General's Department and later served as Lt. Colonel with the Army in the Pacific Theatre.

KAPLAN, Stanley A., is a partner in the firm of Gottlieb & Schwartz, 331 S. La Salle Street, along with Ben Brodsky. Stan regrets the lack of highlights in his career and is filling the gap with extensive travel, and playing tennis and squash. He is not married and lives at 411 West Fullerton Parkway, Chicago. He should try his tennis against Ted Bradley.

No questionnaire from Marian Hamilton KEARE, but she is a housewife, golfer and mother of more children than most of us can claim. She and her husband Spencer live in Highland Park at 1270 Linden Avenue.

KENYON, David C., lives at 1226 W. Clarendon Road, Arlington Heights, with his wife Leonice and two daughters, Katherine, 17, and Jean, 8. He is a partner of Schultz, Krinsley, Voorheis & Hedberg at 38 S. Dearborn Street. During the War he served as navigation and communications officer on a refrigerated cargo ship, fleet supply, in the Pacific.

KRICHIVER, David M., is in practice for himself at 139 N. Clark Street. He lives at 906 Bob-O-Link Road in Highland Park with his wife and daughter, Judith, 14, and son, Donald, 10. Dave didn't loosen up much with his information.

KRULEY, Harold, is certainly a man with problems. His home life can scarcely be classified as tranquil, staying out of jail has been a highlight of his career, and he admits to a secret ambition of having always wanted to play first base for the New York Yankees! Along with all these revealing tidbits, we also learned of a more sedate side of Harold's life: He is an associate of Isidore and Herbert B. Fried, 111 W. Monroe Street; he resides at 736 S. Lombard Avenue in Oak Park with his wife and three children, ages 11, 6 and 3. During the war, as a U. S. Naval officer, he was aboard the Booker T. Washington, a merchant ship, and was the first officer to serve under a Negro skipper.

LENINGTON, Thales N., is not practicing law, but instead is Assistant General Manager of the North Central home office of The Prudential Insurance Company, 3701 Wayzata Blvd., Minneapolis. His wife Theo and their three children, Sarah, 16, Bill, 11, and
Kate, 9, reside at 1728 Logan Avenue South. During the War he was a corporal in the infantry.

McFADYEN, Donald P., has the distinction of being the only one of our class to have played professional hockey—which he did with the Blackhawks from 1930 to '36. He is now in business for himself at 33 S. Clark Street. With his wife and two sons, he resides at 9022 S. Damen Avenue. He was a navigator in the Navy during the War.

MING, William R., Jr., as salutatorian of our class, has steadily progressed in his field. Through the years he has been a Professor of Law at Howard University and the University of Chicago, Assistant General Counsel in the office of Price Administration, Special Assistant Attorney General of the Illinois Commerce Commission, and, since 1937, has been counsel in all major civil rights cases in the U. S. Supreme Court. He is now a partner of Moore, Ming, & Leighton of 123 West Madison Street. His community offices are many, and during the War from 1942 to '46 he served in the Army. He was discharged as captain. His wife, Irvena, and he live at 1037 East 49th Street in Chicago.

NOEL, Albert E., is engaged in the general practice of law and real estate, probate matters and domestic relations, and is associated with George V. Jerulis, general contractor, at 6101 West Archer Avenue. He and his wife, Adelaide, have two daughters, Carol, 17, a freshman at Rosary College who majors in music (voice), and Barbara, 13, who will start high school in September. The Noel family lives at 7729 Crandon Avenue. Al was a captain in the U. S. Army Air Force during the War.

O'BRIEN, Robert H., is Vice President, Treasurer, and a member of the Board of Directors of Loew's Incorporated, 1540 Broadway, in New York City. Bob and his wife and their 18-year old daughter reside at 1040 Park Avenue.

OMEARA, Arthur C., is associated with Swift & Company as its Assistant General Counsel, 4115 Packers Avenue. During the War he was Lt. Colonel in the Army in the European Theatre. For this service he received five battle stars, a purple heart, and a bronze star medal with oak leaf cluster. Art and his wife, Janet, live at 6900 Crandon Avenue with Arthur III, 21, a student in the Law School, and Georgeann, 17.

POMERANCE, Carl, has offices at 135 S. La Salle Street. Prior to practicing by himself he was associated with William O. Burns, Master of Chancery, U. S. District Court. Carl and his wife, their daughter, Kay, and a son, Robert, live at 1756 East 47th Street. He is quite active in civic affairs and with a Boy Scout committee.

QUINLAN, William A., had for many years been actively associated with the baking industry on various assignments. Presently practicing by himself, he is general counsel and Washington representative of the Associated Retail Bakers of America and serves also as a general or special counsel for several other national associations, with offices at 1317 F Street, N. W., in Washington, D. C. His wife, Grace, and he have three sons, William A., Jr., 20 (sophomore at the University of Notre Dame), John, 17, and Michael, 15 (students at Georgetown Preparatory School). Their home is at 4849 Broad Brook Drive, Bethesda, Maryland.

We're proud of this former classmate! Abraham A. RIBICOFF is Governor of the State of Connecticut, and at present, we understand, is hotly campaigning for re-election. He's been so busy, in fact, that only the barest of information was given us. He and his wife, Ruth, and their son, Peter, and daughter, Jane, reside at 990 Prospect Avenue in Hartford.

ROBERTSON, Annie Goheen, is just about the most colorful classmate yet! With her questionnaire she attached a copy of The Robertson Free Press (“All the News That's Fit to Print”), a “newspaper” she and her husband had written and sent to all their friends to tell them the exciting details of their trip around the world. Prior to their trip, she and her husband had lived in the Orient. Also enclosed was a map of their travels around this country after their Around-the-World-in-80-Days (more or less) jaunt. Whew! They have now settled down in Northfield, Vermont at 57 Central Street, trying to keep tabs on...
their three children and four grandchildren. After a busy career up to 1956, Annie is now "just a housewife."

SCHULHOFER, Sanford B., is president and general counsel for various corporations and partnerships engaged in tract housing, lending and general investments. His offices are at 241 S. Robertson Blvd., Beverly Hills, California. He and his wife, who are a silver anniversary couple this year, have a daughter, Carole, 20, a junior at UCLA, and a son, Sanford, Jr., 17, who is planning to attend an eastern college this fall. Their home is at 918 N. Whittier Drive.

SHAPIRO, Robert Lee, is practicing at 33 N. La Salle Street. He and his wife and two children live at 7411 Euclid Parkway. During 4% years of service in the War, he served as Lt. Colonel in the Tank Destroyer Branch. More recently, he has been active with lodges and other civic affairs.

SILVERSWEIG, David F., is practicing law at 100 N. La Salle Street. He has been active with the Decalogue Society of Lawyers and with other public activities. Dave is a bachelor and lives at 2217 West Highland Avenue.

SLUSER, Thomas H., Jr., resides at 21 West 529 Park Avenue in Lombard, with his wife and three children. They also have a foster child whom they plan to adopt. This household was described as "very tranquil." Tom is associated with Phoenix of London Group Insurance Companies with offices at 209 S. La Salle Street. He plans to accept a bid to the Chicago Council of Foreign Relations. He’s also helping with the University of Chicago Law School Alumni Fund. Cheers!

TESAyro, Dominic A., is another banker, this time with the Chicago Title & Trust Company, 111 West Washington Street. As for his family, they seem to be engrossed with Scout activities. There are Zoe, his wife (then mother and Brownie leader), George, 10, (a Cub Scout and little leaguer), Joan Mary, 9, (Brownie, also dramatic interests) and John, 5, (a kindergarten lawyer), who will probably follow in his father’s footsteps. Their home is at 1639 S. Hamilton Avenue, Chicago. He served in the Army for 5% years during the War in the European Theatre. His most exciting time was to be the first of the allied forces to reach the Island of Tremiti, off Italy’s Adriatic Coast.

TIEKEN, Theodore David, is general counsel and Secretary for Babson Bros. Company, 2843 West 19th Street. He lives at 1415 Astor Street. Such a minimum of information! (But your editor knows his beautiful wife and three children.)

TINKHAM, Joseph E., resides at 6236 Moraine Avenue in Hammond, Indiana, with his wife and daughter. He is partner in the firm of Travis, Tinkham & Singleton, 5305 Hohman Avenue, and is engaged in the general practice of law but spends most of his time in the defense of industrial accident and occupational disease cases for various insurance companies. Apparently there have been no particular highlights, except that "I pay my bills promptly and still live with my wife."

TOLMAN, Leland Locke, is Deputy Administrator for the courts of the First Judicial Department of New York State (Manhattan and The Bronx), with offices at 27 Madison Avenue, New York 10. During the War he served in the Pacific as Lt. Commander of the U.S. Naval Reserve. Lee and his wife, Sarah, live at 1035 Fifth Avenue with his two step-children.

TURNER, Frederick W., Jr., is a partner of Turner, Hunt & DeBolt, 134 S. La Salle Street. He also serves as special assistant to U. S. Attorney General, a post he has held since 1953. Recent highlights have been as President of both the Board of Trustees, Morgan Park Military Academy, and of the Chicago Athletic Association. Fred and his wife, Frances, and their children, Charles, 22 (senior, Brown U.), Fred, 20 (Denison U.), and Betsy, 16, live at 578 Sunset Ridge Road, Northfield.

WEISS, Julian D., is another who has deviated from the practice of law. As President of the First Investment Company, Inc., 6505 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles, he has had extensive writing and speaking experience on investments and economic subjects. Together with his wife, Shirley, and sons, David, 19, and Lawrence, 16, he is preparing to leave for a trip around the world. Their residence is at 1230 Stone Canyon Road. His wife has been devoting her time to a project for the rehabilitation of veterans and ex­mental patients.

YATES, Sidney R., is a member of the U. S. House of Representatives and has been since he was first elected to the 81st Congress. He has been re-elected to each of the following Congresses and is again a candidate for re-election. Around Chicago-town he is a partner of Yates & Holleb, 33 N. La Salle Street, or can be found at home with his wife, Adeline, and son, Stephen, 17, at 3500 Lake Shore Drive. Sid is proud of his successful fight for the promotion of Hyman G. Rickover from captain to rear admiral, after the Navy had twice passed him over. Rickover, the Navy’s outstanding atomic energy engineer, has been primarily responsible for the development of the first atomic submarine.

ZERR, G. Walter, is in general practice at 101 East Main Street in Morrison, Illinois, where he holds the office of City Attorney. He and his wife, Marjorie, live at 208 Olive Street.