

XII. STUDENT ACTIVITIES

The University of Chicago Law Review, founded in 1933, is published by the School under the management of a Board of Editors composed of students. In the autumn of each year the fifteen members of the second-year classes who rank highest in scholarship are invited to become competitors for election to the staff of the *Review*. From this group the Board of Editors chooses the editorial and business staff of the *Review*.

Because the size of the student body has been drastically reduced by the war, the management of the *Review* for the period of the emergency has been assumed by the Faculty. Professor Ernst W. Puttkammer has been designated Editor-in-Chief and a staff of student editors has been organized to assist with the publication of the *Review*.

Student editors for 1943-44 were William J. Durka, Sylvester J. Petro, George B. Pletsch, and M. Virginia Spence.

The University of Chicago Law School Bar Association is an affiliated branch of the Illinois State Bar Association. Membership in the Association is open to any student in the Law School, and officers are chosen from the student body. A number of meetings are held each year, at which judges or distinguished members of the bar give informal talks upon matters of professional interest. In 1943 the Association established a scholarship to assist veterans of World War II to resume their studies in the School. The officers of the Bar Association for 1943-44 were Nancy Kay Goodman, president; William J. Durka, vice-president; and Maynard I. Wishner, secretary.

The Barristers' Club is a moot court club which was organized in 1938 to afford its members training in the preparation of briefs and argument of cases on appeal. The Club selects its members upon the basis of the record made in the moot court work of the School and in the annual examinations. The Club aids in the supervision of the moot court class, participates in inter-school and intraschool moot court appellate and trial court competition. The President of the Barristers' Club for 1943-44 was Richard M. Stout.

The University of Chicago Legal Aid Group provides legal aid service at the University of Chicago Settlement.

Four legal fraternities, Nu Beta Epsilon, Phi Alpha Delta, Phi Delta Phi, Wig and Robe, and one legal sorority, Kappa Beta Pi, maintain chapters in the School.