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THE SOUTH CAROLINA LAW QUARTERLY

EDITORIAL SECTION

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The Law School shows an increased enrollment for the Spring semester with a total of 315 students. Of these 152 are in the Freshman class (including those who entered in September, 1948); 67 are enrolled in the Junior class and there are 95 in the Senior class. Two special students are also enrolled. The class that entered in February, 1949, will probably be the last February-entrance class.

Two new additions to the faculty are noteworthy: One is Mr. James DuPre Sumner, Jr., a native of Spartanburg and a graduate of Wofford College and the University of Virginia Law School. Mr. Sumner completed his legal education after serving six years in the Army where he rose from the rank of Second Lieutenant to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in infantry. He is married and has one child.

Another addition, to join the faculty in June, 1949, is Mr. Cecil E. White, who is a native of Clinton, S. C. Mr. White graduated in law at the University of South Carolina in June of 1948 and taught here in the Law School last summer. He is at present working toward a LL.M. at Columbia University and is a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

Progress is being made in the construction of the new Law School for the University of South Carolina. According to Mr. J. Carroll Johnson, supervising architect, it is hoped that the building will be completed in September, 1949. Simons and Lapham of Charleston are the architects and George A. Creed and Sons are the contractors. To add a legal touch, Blackstone (W. O.) is plumbing contractor.

We were honored by the recent visit to our Law School of Dr. Elliott E. Cheatham of Columbia University School of Law. Dr. Cheatham, an eminent authority on international

private law, had just returned from Istanbul, Turkey, where he had delivered a series of lectures.

The Law Federation continues its effective work as the organized student body of the Law School. The officers elected for the Spring semester are as follows: Julius H. Baggett of Florence, President; Hugh Simrill of Columbia, Vice-President; Charles J. Baker of Charleston, Secretary-Treasurer; and Ogden A. Rankin of Loris, Sergeant-at-Arms. Students elected to serve as committee chairmen for this semester are the following:

Program Committee.....	Ben Peeples
Library Committee.....	Thomas Littlejohn
Publicity Committee.....	Jesse Martin
Professional Integration Committee.....	Charles F Dawes
Social Committee.....	Hubert Miller
Publications Committee.....	H. Grady Kirven
Building Committee.....	Sidney McDaniels

The Law Federation has been fortunate in having two able and enjoyable speakers thus far in the semester. Mr. Henry C. Bishop, head of the South Carolina Research, Planning and Development Board, spoke on the importance of the personal touch in attracting industry to the State. Judge Lanneau D. Lide, of Marion, spoke on some unique features of South Carolina Law.

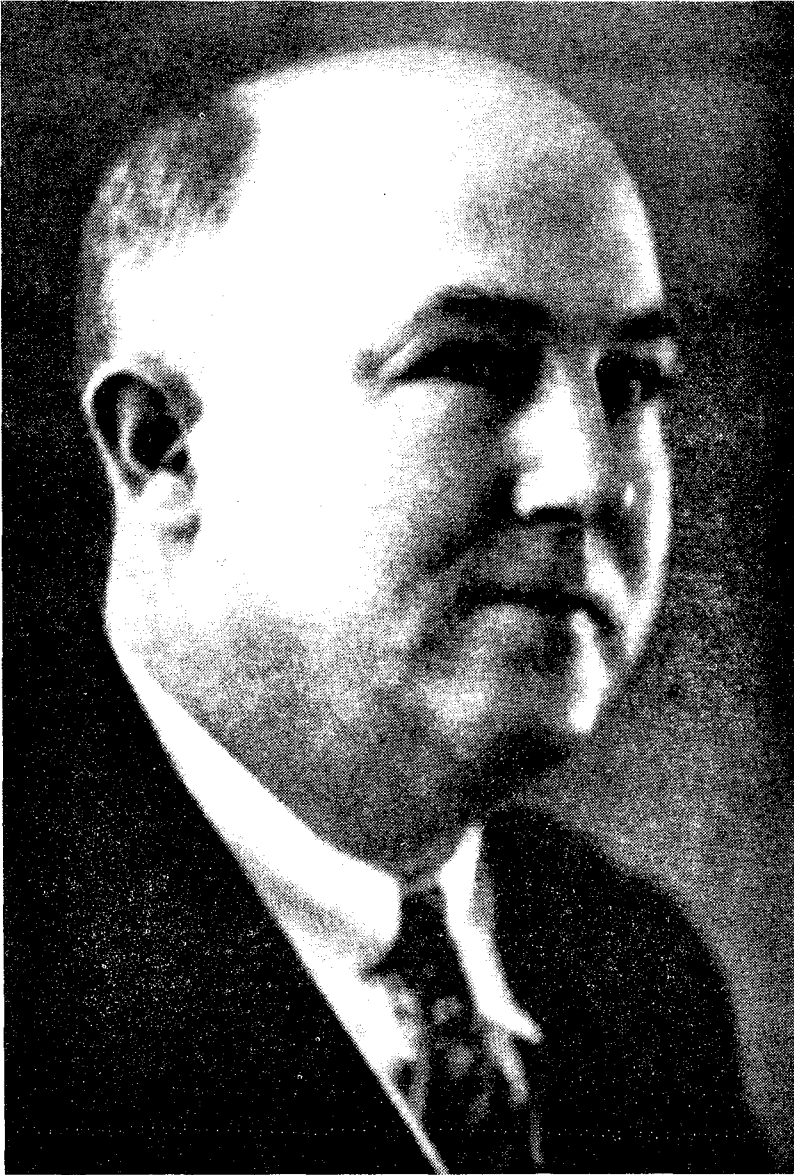
Other interesting speakers are tentatively scheduled for later in the semester. They include O. H. Doyle of Anderson, District Attorney of the Western District of South Carolina; Thomas Boulware of Allendale, an Equity and Property authority; J. Means McFadden, an attorney of Chester; Judge Bond Almand, Judge of the Superior Court of Fulton County, Georgia; James H. Hammond, attorney of Columbia; and Christie Benet, Columbia attorney and trustee of the University of South Carolina.

THE BAR ASSOCIATION

The American Bar Association has announced details of an essay contest open to all association members in good standing. Entries must be submitted by the newly-extended date of September 1, 1949. The subject is the State Administrative Law of the contestant's state (both legislative and as evidenced by judicial decisions). Entries should be sub-

mitted to: Secretary of Administrative Law Section, Miss Patricia H. Collins, Assistant Solicitor General's Office, Department of Justice, Washington 25, D. C. Essays submitted must be restricted to four thousand words or less and the award for the winning entry will be \$1,000. Inquiries concerning the contest may be addressed to Mr. Omar C. Spencer, Yeon Building, Portland 4, Oregon; or to Samuel L. Prince, Dean of Law School, University of South Carolina, Columbia, S. C.

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