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DeFunnis still Lives in Calif.

by John Johnson

The constitutionality of special admissions programs in law schools by California's nine professional schools of law was at the center of hot debate in that state's supreme court.

Attorney John DeBakey, a 36-year-old NASA engineer, filed suit two years ago to challenge a ruling by the court for alleging that the rejection of his application by the University of California Law School was not based on his test scores but was due to his alleged membership in the Ku Klux Klan.

The case was argued in the California supreme court on Monday.

The court found that the test scores did not help to determine whether or not a person would be accepted into law school, but that instead the applicant's race was a determining factor.

According to one expert, the decision could have significant implications for admissions policies at colleges and universities across the country.

Justice Clark to Dedicate Addition

Friday, October 6, 1983

Eureka, California

Justice Clark will dedicate an addition to the Eureka Law School on Friday.

The dedication will take place at a convocation to honor the late Justice Clark, who passed away last year.

The addition will provide space for the law school's expanding faculty and student body.

The dedication ceremony will include speeches by former colleagues of Justice Clark, as well as a performance by the school's choir.

The addition is a significant milestone for the Eureka Law School, which was founded by Justice Clark in 1945.

It is fitting that Justice Clark's legacy should be commemorated in such a fitting manner.

The dedication will be a fitting tribute to the memory of Justice Clark. He will be greatly missed by his colleagues and friends, as well as by the students and faculty of the Eureka Law School.
HELP

The editors and staff of THE FORUM invite interested students, especially first year students to contact us if you have an interest in working for the paper.

Our goal is to spread the word as thinly as possible so that no one is forced to read more than one page on the paper. We can only do this with your help. By typing, editing, layout and simply conjuring up story ideas are all part of the work ethic. In particular, we desperately need your help immediately. Any help you can give will be appreciated.

The Governor's Summer Report

by John Lev

The Seventh Circuit Fall Roundtable, open to all law students, will be held Monday, September 9 at Valparaiso University School of Law.

Current activities of the Law Student Division, such as grant programs and resolutions, will be discussed as well as common problems. The morning and afternoon program should appeal to the L.S.D. representatives, R.B.A. officers, newspaper editors and any other interested L.S.D. members.

In Atlantic, the ABA LED Administration will conduct a business meeting for the consideration of resolutions and election of national officers. Various speakers such as Edward Levi, Elliot Richardson, W. Warren Burger, will also be among interesting speakers to the delegates.

The people from our circuit who attended included: Art Boos, Ray Dall, Kay Lucchi, Barbara Quiggle; Richard Davis, John Marshall; David Eppenstein, John Marshall; Bob Hoffman, Valparaiso; Kathy Janzen, Loyola; Lansana Johnson, Southern Illinois; Kathleen Kinsey, John Marshall; Dorian Lagine, John Marshall; Sue Marva Linton, Valparaiso; Jill Olson, Valparaiso; Robert Ruiz, Valparaiso; Bill Schramm, John Marshall; and David Wilson, Southern Illinois.

National officers elected by the delegates in Atlantic took office immediately and are presently working for the development in many of our current programs. These national officers are: David Rupp, President; University of Missouri-Kansas City; John Hadeway, Vice President, Suffolk University; Christopher Oozowski, Secretary, University of Denver; Steven Charon, Division Delegate; and Howard H. Brown, Delaware Law School.

Wine and Beer Law Seminar to be Held

The third annual Wine and Beer Law Seminar will be held Friday and Saturday, October 8th and 9th, at The Mirage Hotel.

The seminar is sponsored by The Women's Lawyers Association of Michigan, the Michigan Trial Lawyers Association, and Detroit Bar Association. Martha Griffiths is the honorary chairperson. There will be members of the faculty, attorneys, judges and law professors present.

The conference will include a series of workshops exploring topics like: The Law of Employment Discrimination, Civil Procedure, Bankruptcy, Successions, Tax Problems of Professional Women, Catherine Rorabach, a trip to a brewery to see where our beer goes, and a tour of the Detroit Wine & Spirits Auction. The conference, which has spanned three decades, will deliver Friday's keynote address.

As it stands now, students have little voice and at times in the past have deserved better than what they received. Only cooperation between faculty and students can improve Valparaiso Law School. Indeed, should not that be the goal of everyone? For it can only be achieved if students have the opportunity to participate in the decision making process. Students have the right to be a part of the process in proper disposition of trash and everything else. Smoking is also discouraged.

The SBA Tape

Tom Hoffman, SBA President

Welcome back—somewhat belated, but the entire student body and all new applicants will be welcomed by the SBA. For our returning members, we have a series of resolutions, the following is an explanation of the SBA and some of its functions.

Upon entering law school, every student automatically becomes a member of the Student Bar Association. The SBA operates much like a student organdy, though not a general fee to the university. Students have an interest. Students will have an interest in the SBA and of some of its functions. The SBA is to broaden and facilitate the interest of the law student both professional and social, within and outside of the academic year.

Elections

The S.B.A. Executive Board is comprised of three representatives from each class, a student representative from each of the second and third year classes, and four officers. To comment and criticism is invited. The election will be held on Wednesday, September 15, between the hours of 9:00-3:00. The process is as follows:

- to become a candidate, one must be a registered student and have fulfilled the requirements of the S.B.A. and one must be in the SBA by 5:00 P.M., September 13. Any student may sign up for one position. On the other hand, if you do not sign up during; chapter, there will be a first-year convocation in the convocation, the best teacher presenting the candidates. The election will be held on Wednesday, September 15, between the hours of 9:00-3:00. The process is as follows:

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Committees—Persons wishing to participate in the SBA by means permitted in the bylaws should consult the SBA bulletin board in the lobby and ask to be appointed to some Standing Committees on which they have an interest. Student participation and input are highly encouraged and appreciated.

Social Notes—The SBA-sponsored Pig Roast will be held on Saturday, September 2, The location and directions will be posted on the bulletin board. The SBA is planning the pork and probably hot dogs for the barbecue. All members, current students, faculty, students and staff are invited. Everyone is welcome. Also, a board game will be held.

Our Community action program will initially consist of creating a board game that will teach students of the law school by providing in-sight and information to interested law students. We invite our friends and all those interested to join us in this new forward looking program.
Christian Legal Society Plans Active Year

by Steve Purcell

At its first meeting on August 31, the Valparaiso University School of Law Chapter of the Christian Legal Society made plans for an active year.

A picnic was planned for September 6. Plans were to be made to hold a Bible study every other Tuesday evening. The first one will be held on September 14 from 6:30 to 7:30 in the seminar room. In addition, the chapter hopes to bring in several speakers who will speak to and answer questions from the entire law school community. The Christian Legal Society welcomes attendance at any of its other functions as well.

Since its founding in 1961, as a professional organization of Christian lawyers, judges and law students, the Christian Legal Society has provided Christian witnesses within the legal profession. The Valparaiso chapter is a member of the National Christian Legal Society.

Women’s Caucus Greets First Year Women

On Wednesday, September 1, Women’s Caucus sponsored its first annual get acquainted party in honor of all new women law students.

The wine and cheese party, organized by second and third year law student women, was attended by approximately forty women who kept the wine and cheese flowing. Second and third year veterans were overhead answering a variety of questions, ranging from where to get free coffee, to the best place to buy legal books. Also present were several speakers who were able to answer questions from the new women.

Onward and upward.

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by Brian Lee

Lite (Miller)
Little Kings
Lowenbrau
Michelob

Mickey’s Malt Miller
Molson’s Ale
Molson’s Beer
Old Chicago
Old Milwaukee
Old Style
Olympia

Pabst
Planter Urquell
Roebling Rock
Schafer
Schnitz
Schnitz Sattler
Schlitz
Other

Prefer: Pints Bottles
Male Female
Class: 1 2 3
**Soccer Team Needs Recruits**

It is the duty of this newspaper to seek the truth. Therefore, THE FORUM Sports Page must lend credence to the prevalent rumor that certain denizens of the VU School of Law are forming a soccer squad to do battle during the coming season.

Unfortunately, Coach Ray Berger has found that Weseman Hall is hardly a hotbed of true "foot" ball enthusiasm. Coach Berger has, however, constructed a solid core consisting of John "The Toe" Scotty "Boom-Boom" Lanning, Geoff Vida and impressive line. Battling in the autumn ritual of touch football. It will ride the arm of Mike Cook and Greg Bobcock at the corners and speedy Steve "Scatback" Spencer at free safety. "Scatback" led BARD in interceptions last year and figures to do the same in '76. All three will also see action as offensive backs as the season progresses.

All in all, it is a much improved BARD that will take the field this week, and if in the same league with JLJ, will be looking forward to a show-down with the contend- ers.

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**Tennis Tournament Being Organized**

by Dave Myers

Hard to believe though it may be, it is once again time for the Third Annual Never to Be Repeated (But Soon to Be Forgotten) Valparaiso Law School Tennis Tournament. Director Kent Schnack has yet to set a date, but indicates that the "gala event" will take place on a weekend in the end near future and prior to the annual fall monsoons.

Heading the list of competitors, which was incomplete at press time, are Steve Myers who goes by "Lame Duck" Meyer, who doubles as Dean when not hanging around the courts. The Dean is recovering from an ankle injury sustained by his year. He figures to go far in the tournament if he can draw first year contract students for opponents.

Other top competitors include the entertaining Steve Sproull and the Pride of the Fighting Irish, Mike "ND" Bush. For those fans with an inclination to root for that underdog, follow Scott "The Stroke" Rokely. The remainder of the field, the pairings of which will be determined by the luck of the draw include Dean Zakrop, Scott Byerly, Steve Smith, Jeff Schlesinger, Scott Wolfram, Jack DeForest, R. Furse, Bob Frisbee, Dennis Mozolewski, Bill Maake- sted, Les Allison, and Jim Stan. Sadly lacking in the early en- tries are female members of the Law School. As we go to press only first year student Jan Trehub is carrying the femininity banner. Billy Jean would not be proud, ladies.

**Memories (Nightmares) of Things Past**

**COURSES**

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For those of you second third year students who want to compare your grades to those of your best friends (who wouldn't tell you their numbers but at whose number you accidentally撞上有 purpose looked or for whose number you resorted to breaking and enlisting with or without felonious intent) and for you first year students eager to learn about CHANCE at Valparaiso Law School, THE FORUM offers the following grades and statistics as a representative sample:

Not included in the class where almost half of the students did not break 70 (a "satisfactory" grade according to the catalogue) or the summerschool grades where virtually everyone got better than 70. We have a few classes that tend to support the notion of the bell-shaped curve.

Do the first time-s-a bit more info line will be the hard hitting Cork and impressive line. Battling in the autumn ritual of touch football. It will ride the arm of Mike Cook and Greg Bobcock at the corners and speedy Steve "Scatback" Spencer at free safety. "Scatback" led BARD in interceptions last year and figures to do the same in '76. All three will also see action as offensive backs as the season progresses.

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**SOCCER**

by Dave Meyers

As the leaves of the flora of northern Indiana turn to brown and gold and the leaves of Mc- Cormick on Evidence remain unfurmed, certain members of the VU Law School Community turn from their academic pursuits to engage in the autumn ritual of touch football.

This year is no exception as the legal scholars turned savage have formed two squads to carry the banner of Jurisprudence into the Valpo Intramural leagues. The more veteran of the two clubs will be the Justice League of America. Squad. Composed of the remnants of the old Learned Hands and the Incredible Hall, both of which compiled 7-1 marks last year, the JLA figures to be the top contender in their circuit.

Under the leadership of Bob Travers and Mike Cork, the "League" will ride the arm of Scott Breznau and the legs of such speedy receivers as Jay Lauer, Tim Schiffers, and the ever campaign- ing, Rob "Vote for Doe" Bowen. Anchoring the veteran (aging?) defense will be the hard hitting Cork and Mike Bush (providing Mike quite calling Bob "Ara"). Other squad members include Mike Hall, Boz Sarkisian, Roy Moutaw, Chuck Bender, Steve Sproull, Bob Seidel, Raul Garcia, Tom Hoff- man, and Jess Chism, which gives the JLA a deep bench, if nothing else.

The second of the attorney- squads will be cited as BARD (that's Beyond A Reasonable Doubt for you first year guys). The BARD will carry only one third year student, receiver Warn- en Simonson, but several Law II returnees give the club experience. Heading the list will be the hardy and strong (and it shows) Chris Hunt, whose quick mind and sheer intelligence of the game makes up for a dish rag arm. Sharing duties at QB will be Joe "The Polish Rifle" Rynianki, a new- comer who devoted last year to the study of law.

Anchoring the receiver corps will be big Geo Wiggins who led BARD in receptions in '75. Other newcomers who have looked impressive in early drills include Stan- ley "Crazy Legs" Stekl, which leaves him only five players short for the coming eight game sched- ule.

Holding on is super star Larry "Big D" Denlaw, who claims academic burdens but then Vida Blue was going to sell plumbing when Charlley O. wouldn't come across with the loot. Big D is probably after more free beer and a new pair of used PF Flyers. Whatever the case, anyone interested should contact Ray as soon as possible. Talent is not a requirement at this point.