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WALTER ROGOSHESKE HONORED

Dean Peter McGovern and his wife, Kate, were among the guests at a reception and vesper service this past May honoring Walter Rogosheske, retired justice of the Minnesota Supreme Court. The purpose of the occasion was to recognize Justice Rogosheske's outstanding service to both church and state and to present him with the Distinguished Alumni Award from Valparaiso University's Alumni Association.

In addition to the McGoverns, over three hundred friends and fellow members of the Minnesota bar were in attendance at the wine and cheese reception which was held at the Sheraton-Ritz Hotel in Minneapolis. The Honorable John E. Simmonett, Associate Justice of the Minnesota Supreme Court, served as Master of Ceremonies. Dean McGovern participated in the program and made the award presentation.

Following the reception for members of the legal com-

munity, a special vesper service was conducted at Pilgrim Lutheran Church in St. Paul. Paul Schuessler, pastor at Pilgrim Lutheran, led the service of thanksgiving.

The success of the evening can be attributed to a strong committee which handled all the arrangements. Members of the committee included Tom Utter, '71, Kristi Hennig, and Michael Scherschligt, '74. Scherschligt began his legal career as a clerk to Justice Rogosheske and also participated in the program at the Sheraton-Ritz.

Justice Rogosheske did his undergraduate work at Valparaiso University and received his law degree from the University of Minnesota Law School. He is originally from Sauk Rapids, Minnesota, and served on the Minnesota Supreme Court from 1962-1980. He and his wife, Dorothy, are long-time members of Pilgrim Lutheran Church.



Judge Walter Rogosheske accepting the Distinguished Alumni Award, presented by Dean Peter McGovern.



Mrs. Kate McGovern, Justice Walter Rogosheske, and Dean Peter McGovern, at the reception honoring Justice Rogosheske.

Letter From the President:

Dear Alumni:

This year's Homecoming Law Alumni Banquet is scheduled for October 8, 1983. Once again, the banquet will be held at Strongbow Inn and will include cocktails and dinner. Details are being mailed under separate cover. I encourage you to attend, as this has proven to be a valuable opportunity to renew old acquaintances as well as make new acquaintances among alumni and faculty. In addition, the banquet will provide an excellent opportunity to meet our new Dean, Peter J. McGovern.

This is my last letter as president of the Alumni Association. A new president will be selected in October. It has been a rare privilege for me to serve as president these past two years, and I regard that opportunity as a great honor. I believe we have made significant progress in our service to the alumni, the students, and to the law school. I will not use this space to list those achievements since you have been advised of them in prior news bulletins as well as in this one. However, if we are to continue our programs of service and to expand them, we must have your support. This means more alumni must become dues-paying members of this Alumni Association. I urge each and every alumnus/alumna, if you have not done so already, to become a dues-paying member. Your support is needed. Please respond.

It has been my pleasure recently to meet with Dean Peter J. McGovern concerning his interest in the Alumni Association and some of his ideas relating to the Association and the Law School. I can assure you Dean McGovern is most supportive of and interested in the Association. The Law School indeed is fortunate to have Dean McGovern as its head, and our Alumni Association can expect nothing but the highest degree of support and cooperation from the Dean and the Law School.

Again, thanks for the pleasure of serving as president of your Alumni Association, and best personal regards.

Wesley W. Ratliff, Jr., President
Valparaiso University
School of Law Alumni Association

Dean's Letter

Dear Alumni:

This is my first opportunity to visit with you in the newsletter as the new dean of your law school. Valparaiso University School of Law has a distinguished heritage, but more important, it has an exciting future.

As you well know, we have an excellent faculty, a fine student body, and a dedicated staff. Those qualities, combined with adequate funding and a supportive alumni, are all the ingredients necessary to make the law school excel within the legal education community.

Within this newsletter you will find information on our entering students, the accomplishments of our faculty, our placement information, and news about your friends, colleagues and fellow alumni. You have a lot to be proud of.

Don Huiner and I had the opportunity to have lunch with your alumni president, Judge Ratliff, and with Al Zimmermann in Indianapolis a few weeks ago. As a new dean, I could not be more impressed with the strength and the dedication of the Alumni Association.

Now, as you know, the number one priority of the law school is the building of a new facility. Your support and your financial pledge to the new facility are needed and absolutely essential to insure the future quality and the strong Christian heritage of a Valparaiso legal education. There are 172 accredited law schools in the United States; but there is only one law school that has the personal traditions and strong Christian heritage that is Valparaiso's. The School must not hide its unique and special

qualities under a basket but must continue to take its rightful place within legal education. Your financial support is vital to providing a strong, quality legal education program by a faculty and staff and university community which is committed to a quality, caring Christian legal education in the Valparaiso tradition.

My wife, Kate, and I look forward to meeting you personally during Homecoming weekend. If you are not able to make Homecoming, then hopefully, within the course of coming years, I will have an opportunity to meet you individually in the course of law school travels.

Very truly yours,

Peter J. McGovern
Dean

Valparaiso University School of Law

JOX PORTRAIT UNVEILED

Pictured here are Mrs. Bessie Jox and Professor Louis F. Bartelt, Jr., at the unveiling of a portrait of Dr. Marshall J. Jox.

Dr. Jox was a member of the faculty of the School of Law from 1934 until 1969. During that period he also served the University in other roles. Wishing to commemorate his service to the School, a number of Dr. Jox' former colleagues and former students, led by Acting Dean Alfred W. Meyer, commissioned Ms. Wendy Brusick, an alumna of the University, to paint his portrait.

We are delighted with Ms. Brusick's extremely accurate and fine rendering. Those of us who now view the painting recall the feeling: "I hope that I am well enough prepared for class." Alumni who were his students will remember Dr. Jox as an excellent, dedicated and demanding teacher.



ADMISSIONS

The past year's recruitment and admissions' efforts netted over 780 applications from 287 different undergraduate institutions representing 37 states and three foreign countries. Planning on a first-year class of 150 students, the final tally at registration totalled 153 first-year students.

The class of 1986 represents 87 different undergraduate institutions, 18 different states and one foreign country — South Africa. Eighteen persons have graduate degrees. There are four Ph.D.'s, three M.B.A.'s, one LL.B., one D.D.S., and nine Masters degrees.

The age spread continues to widen. The ages of the class of 1986 range from 20 to 35. The median age is 23, and the average age is 25. Thirty-seven percent of the class is female.

Over 500 admission packets have already been requested and sent for next year's incoming class, and applications for the fall of 1984 have already been received. Two part-time recruiters have been added to the admissions staff to aid in our ever-expanding national recruitment. We are looking forward to a very prosperous admissions year.

FELLOWS

The first class of scholars who entered under our Fellowship Program are now beginning their second year of law school. Not surprisingly, their summer "vacations" included a great deal of legal and non-legal work and scholarship. Dr. Dorothy Smith has accepted the responsibility as Vice President of Admissions and Financial Aid for Valparaiso University. Although this post will consume a substantial amount of her time, she is planning to complete her legal education.

Law Fellows Dr. Michael Talbett and Dr. Mary Ann Link worked as legal interns for the Honorable Frederick Miller, an Administrative Law Judge with the Department of the Interior in Louisville, Kentucky. Judge Miller hears cases under the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 and the Lacey Act. Therefore, Talbett and Link did extensive research and writing related to surface mining and endangered species cases. Both Fellows agree that the experience provided valuable insights into both specific aspects of environmental law and a general knowledge of the scope of administrative law.

Fellow Russell Lewis clerked for the law firm of Marcus, Vanderploeg, Ruck, Mullalhy and Wells in Muskegon, Michigan. Members of the firm include Valparaiso Law graduates John C. Ruck ('67), David M. Wells ('76), and Roy J. Portenga ('81). Additionally, Dr. Lewis taught Anthropology at the Kendall School of Design in Grand Rapids, Michigan. In his spare time, he wrote an article entitled "Culture, Development and Law: A Search for Justice in Development" and delivered it before the XI International Congress of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences in Vancouver, B.C., Canada.



SEEGERS LECTURER NAMED

The Dean and the Faculty of Valparaiso University School of Law invite you to attend the second annual Edward A. Seegers Lectures. The guest lecturer will be Professor Harold J. Berman, and the topic will be "Law and Revolution."

Harold J. Berman is James Barr Ames Professor of Law at Harvard University where he has been teaching since 1948. His courses include Comparison of Soviet and American Law, The Law of International Trade, and The Western Legal Tradition.

Professor Berman is the author of eighteen books, including *Law and Revolution: The Formation of the Western Legal Tradition* (1983), *Justice in the U.S.S.R.* (revised edition, 1963), and *The Interaction of Law and Religion* (1974), and more than 200 articles.

He has lectured widely on Soviet affairs as well as on comparative law, legal history, and legal philosophy generally.

In 1956-57 Professor Berman spent a year in Geneva, Switzerland, at the Economic Commission for Europe, during which time he also gave a course of lectures at the Institut d'Hautes etudes internationales. In 1961-62 he spent a year in Moscow, U.S.S.R., studying at the Institute of State and Law of the U.S.S.R. Academy of Sciences and lecturing on American law at Moscow University. In the spring semester of 1982 he was again at Moscow State University as a Fulbright lecturer on American Law.

In 1979-80 Professor Berman was a Fellow of the National Humanities Center in Research Triangle Park, North Carolina. In the spring of 1983 he was a scholar-in-residence at Washington and Lee Law School in Lexington, Virginia.

Born in 1918 in Hartford, Connecticut, Professor Berman received the B.S. degree from Dartmouth College in 1938. He studied at the London School of Economics and Political Science in 1938-39, and at Yale Graduate School and Yale Law School. He received the M.A. (1942) and the LL.B. (1947) from Yale University. He taught law at Stanford University in 1947-48. He served in the United States Army in the European Theatre of Operations from 1942 to 1945 and received the Bronze Star Medal.

THE SCHEDULE OF LECTURES

"The Lutheran Reformation and German Law"

3:30 p.m., November 8, 1983

"The Puritan Revolution and English Law"

3:30 p.m., November 9, 1983

"The Enlightenment, The French Revolution, and the Napoleonic Codes"

3:30 p.m., November 10, 1983

All lectures will be given at Valparaiso University School of Law, Valparaiso, Indiana.

Professor Charles Ehren and Ann Bowmann'77 attending the Alumni Luncheon honoring the 1983 Law School graduates.

Faculty News & Notes

Professor Bruce Berner will speak to Indiana Judges at the Judicial Conference sponsored by the Indiana Judicial Center on September 14, 1983. His topic will be Criminal Procedure.

Professor Paul H. Brietzke received a summer research grant from the German Academic Exchange Service. He investigated antitrust and industrial policies in Germany and the Common Market, as a guest of the Max Planck Institut in Munich. On the way to Germany, he presented a paper entitled "Development as a Human Rite" to the Development and Human Rights Conference held in Windsor, England, on 6-8 June. This much-traveled paper was also presented to the Institut für Politik und Öffentliches Recht in Munich, and to the International Development Law Institute in Rome. Brietzke will present a paper at the Annual Conference of the Association of Lutheran College Faculties held October 7-8 at Thiel College, Greenville, PA. His "Die Schattenseite der Verfassungsvergleichung" has appeared in 16(1) *Verfassung und Recht in Übersee* 5 (1983).

Professor Bert Z. Goodwin has been awarded a Fulbright grant to teach next year at Hokkaido University, Sapporo, Japan. A graduate of the University of Chicago, Goodwin came to Valparaiso in 1979, after more than 20 years of public service, including a term as Chief Counsel of the Federal Aviation Administration. While in Japan, he will be teaching courses in administrative law, legislation, and legal history. This past year, Professor Goodwin was one of a dozen legal historians to be selected for advanced study by the National Endowment for the Humanities. He also remained active in aviation affairs, most recently serving with a Presidential Commission that examined the safety of the next generation of passenger transport aircraft. Accompanying Professor Goodwin to Japan will be his wife and colleague on the Valparaiso law faculty, Professor Linda L. Long, who will be studying Japanese methods of dispute settlement.

Professor Jack A. Hiller spent most of his summer editing a symposium issue, "Foreign Investment in Light of the New Economic Order," for *THIRD WORLD LEGAL STUDIES: 1983* and working on an international campaign (with the ABA Concerned Correspondent's Network, The Center for the Independence of Judges and Lawyers, as well as other groups) for the release of Kenyan lawyer John Khaminwa, who was detained by his government without charge, and Malawian lawyers Orton and Vera Chirwa, who were sentenced to death by their government without due process for alleged "treasonable" activities. He also completed for publication, *Lawyers, Alternative Lawyers, and Alternatives to Lawyers: Of Thomas Hobbes and Rumpelstiltskin*, a paper which he presented in March at a symposium in Canada entitled "Developing Legal Resources for Alternative Strategies of Development." Professor Hiller also wrote *An Assessment of the Symposium* to be included in the PROCEEDINGS. He has just published an article entitled *How Not to Write Answers to Law Examinations* in the Stetson Law Review symposium, "Maximizing The Law School Experience."

Librarian Sally Holterhoff attended the annual meeting of the American Association of Law Libraries in Houston in June. Sally is planning the Government Documents section program for the 1984 meeting in San Diego on the topic of on-line access to government information. She is also writing for *Jurisdocs*, the newsletter of the Documents section.

Chris Kirkwood, Acting Librarian, and **Tim Watts**, Reference and Serials Librarian, have jointly authored an article which will appear at 3 *Legal Reference Services Quarterly* No. 2 this fall. The article is entitled "Legal Reference Service: Duties vs. Liabilities" and examines the legal and ethical problems inherent in providing reference service to various types of patrons.

Rollin E. Krafft has accepted the position as Instructor for the first-year Legal Research and Writing program. Mr. Krafft, a native of Milwaukee, WI, graduated first in his class from Valparaiso Law School in 1981 and joined the Racine, WI, law firm of Copwell, Berthesen, Nolden & Casanova. His practice concentrated in areas of personal injury and products liability. Mr. Krafft is a member of the Wisconsin and Federal bars.

Professor Rosalie Levinson attended the AALS Conference on Teaching Constitutional Law in June. She also worked on the Seventh Circuit survey of Civil Liberties Decisions, 1982-1983 term, which is being co-authored with Professor Bodensteiner for the *Chicago-Kent Law Review*.

Professor Linda Long attended the American Arbitration Association training program in Divorce Mediation in June. She received a Fellowship in Japanese Legal Studies for use in the U.S. in 1983, and Japan in 1984. Professor Long attended the Institute on Japanese Law at the University of Washington Law School in Seattle, WA, from July 25 - August 5, 1983. She also attended the ABA Client Counseling Committee meeting in Denver, CO, in July.

Professor Alfred Meyer is spending the 1983-84 academic year as a visiting professor at New York Law School. While at NYLS he will be teaching Contracts and Commercial Law. At the same time, **Nancy Meyer ('76)** is pursuing an LL.M. in Communications Law at New York Law School.

Librarian Rich Mills attended the annual meeting of the American Association of Law Libraries in Houston in June. Rich has begun first-year law classes this fall.

Professor Stith gave a lecture entitled "Looking to the Left" at the National Right to Life Convention in Orlando, FL. In it he suggested "ways to encourage Left solidarity with our unborn sisters and brothers." During the summer he also finished revisions on his socialist critique of abortion rights, to be published in the October issue of *Democracy*. He has almost completed work on a set of teaching materials for his Jurisprudence course.

Tim Watts, Reference and Serial Librarian, co-authored an article which will appear at 3 *Legal Reference Services Quarterly* No. 2 sometime this fall. The article is entitled "Legal Reference Service: Duties v. Liabilities" and examines the problems inherent in providing reference service to various types of patrons. Mr. Watts also attended the One Minute Manager Seminar held at Valparaiso University on August 16, 1983. This seminar was intended as continuing education for management personnel.

CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION NOTICE:

As a service and commitment to its alumni and friends,
Valparaiso University School of Law will be undertaking,
on an experimental basis, a continuing legal education program.

The first program will be:

“Representing Farmers and Ranchers: Taxation and Estate Planning”

To be held in

**Las Vegas, Nevada,
on November 17, 18 and 19, 1983.**

This program will be held in conjunction with the University
of Iowa School of Law and several state bar associations.

The program is designed to be the first of a series of
possible future quality continuing legal education programs,
in an external setting from the University, which will provide
an informal gathering and educational experience for our
alumni and friends. Each of you should have received a
printed program by now.

Registration fee is \$300.

**Special room rates have been arranged
with the MGM Grand Hotel in Las Vegas.**

If you have any questions, please call the office of
the School of Law and speak with
Mrs. Gail Peshel. Phone: 219/464-5498.

Alumni News & Notes

- 1935 **Norman L. Kiesling** retired this year after serving 24 years as Judge of the Cass Circuit Court in Logansport, IN.
- 1949 **William A. Thorne**, listed in *The Best Lawyers in the USA*, was named best lawyer for bankruptcy and creditor rights in Elkhart, Indiana.
- 1950 **Judge Wesley W. Ratliff, Jr.** has written an article entitled "Warning - Multiple Representation Where the Public Interest is Involved May Be Hazardous to Your Professional Standing" which was published in the March, 1983 issue of *Res Gestae*, official publication of the Indiana State Bar Association.
- 1952 **John H. Krueckeberg** is doing estate planning and estate administration for people with dual residences in the Sunshine State since opening his office in Naples, FL, in 1980. He still maintains an active practice at the Krueckeberg office in Fort Wayne, Indiana.
- 1962 **Larry Evans** hosts an interview/talk show on Valparaiso's local cable channel every Tuesday and Thursday night at 6:30 p.m. This half-hour show is aptly titled: The Larry Evans Show.
- Donald C. Fellows** and associates announce their continuation in the practice of law as Kenney, Fellows, Himebauch and Piper in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
- 1964 **Ian McMillan** has moved his offices from Chicago and has formed a partnership in Oakbrook Terrace, IL.
- 1965 **James D. Hills** is now practicing law in Kalamazoo, Michigan.
- 1966 **Daniel Kozera** is now with Dero Liquid Transit Company in Grand Rapids, MI.
- Roger T. Moore, Sr.** has established a new practice as Attorney Roger T. Moore, Sr., P.C., in Portage, Indiana.
- 1967 **Daniel J. Kundert** was promoted Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of the Marine Trust Company, N.A., in Milwaukee, WI. He had previously held the position of Vice President and Manager of the Personal Trust Administration Division of the Marine Trust.
- 1968 **Robert P. Harper** and his wife, **Mary Rudasics-Harper**, ('75), have formed a partnership with **Larry W. Rogers**, ('76). The Valparaiso firm is now known as Harper, Rogers & Harper. **Shelly Wright-Johnson**, ('79), is an associate with the firm.
- 1971 **George J. Walsh III** remains a partner in the law firm of Gould & Wilkie of New York, NY. He and his wife, Anita, and their sons, Geoffrey and Matthew, live in a Westchester County suburb. Anita received her M.B.A. in Finance from the Joseph A. Martino Graduate School of Business at Fordham University in New York in September of 1982.
- 1972 **Nathan D. Herkamp** has transferred to General Electric Company's Syracuse, NY, office. He was formerly with the Schenectady, NY, office.
- 1973 **Glenn W. Hagen** is now associated with Zarlengo, Mott & Zarlengo in Denver, Colorado.

John Pleuss is an attorney with the Merit Systems Protection Board, a federal agency. He and his wife, Phyllis, live in Oak Park, IL, with their three daughters, Jennifer, age 7, Elizabeth, age 4, and Jessica, age 2.

- 1974 **Howard Ansoerge**, **John Pleuss**, ('73), and **Gary Tweet**, ('74), are now working with fellow alumnus **Martin Baumggertner**, ('69), with the Merit System Protection Board in Chicago.

James A. Johnson and his wife, **Shelli Wright Johnson** ('79), are pleased to announce the birth of Andrew James, born April 29, 1982.

Forrest Maki, of Superior, WI, was elected president of the Douglas County (Wisconsin) Bar Association.

John G. Manske is now associated with Howard & Howard, P.C. of Kalamazoo, Michigan.

- 1975 **John Bouman** is a supervisory attorney in the Englewood neighborhood office of Chicago Legal Assistance Foundation. His wife, Robin Schirmer, received her law degree from Chicago-Kent College of Law in June, 1982. She is currently a law clerk to Hon. Frank J. McGarr, Chief Judge of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois.

Robert H. Brinkley III continues to serve as Assistant City Attorney for the city of Suffolk, VA. He and Lucinda G. Ballenger, a graduate of Smith College and the University of North Carolina, were married on December 21, 1982. They live on a 50-acre farm near Suffolk in a house that was built in 1903.

Catherine (Hamann) Gillogly joined the Federal Service Publications staff of The Lawyers Co-Operative Publishing Co. as an Associate Editor in April. She and her husband, Charles, live in Rochester, NY.

Katherine Grebe Gunderson is currently an "attorney at home" raising three law-abiding children, Elaine, age 4½, Alan, age 2½, and Dan, six months. Her husband, Paul, is practicing pediatrics, handily enough.

Michael Cork is now with Boehringer Mannheim in Indianapolis, Indiana.

- 1976 **William Cunningham** is now with the Milwaukee Company in Milwaukee, WI.

Marie A. Failing earned her LL.M. degree at Yale University and is teaching at Hamline University School of Law in St. Paul, MN.

Ronald Kuker and his wife, Linda, are the proud parents of a boy, Samuel Paul Kuker, born February 4, 1983.

Toni McAlhany is in private practice in Ft. Wayne, IN.

Christopher A. Nuechterlein and his wife, Clare, have moved from Goshen, IN, and are now living in Rockville, MD. Chris is now working for the Justice Department in Washington, DC.

- 1977 **Anna M. Bush** and her husband, Robert, are proud to announce the birth of a son, Scott Markley, born on October 2, 1982. Ms. Bush is a partner of Bush & Heise located in Barrington, IL.

Brian Heise and his wife, Patricia, are the proud parents of a daughter, Alison Nichole, born March 31, 1983. Alison joins sister, Amanda, age 4. Brian is a partner with Bush & Heise in Barrington, IL.

Gregory R. Lyman became a partner in the firm of Singleton, Levy, Crist & Johnson in Highland, IN, this past January.

Deborah Ann Thomas is a new addition to the Southeastern Michigan Transportation Authority (SEMTA) legal staff. She is responsible for labor arbitration and litigation.

1978 Gale L. Garriott recently accepted a position as a Tax Hearing Officer after two years as a Staff Attorney for the Arizona Court of Appeals.

Terry L. Miller is now employed with Garrett Corporation in Phoenix, AZ, and was recently promoted to Senior Patent Attorney with primary responsibility for a corporate division.

Loretta A. Sheridan opened her own office in New York City in July of 1982. She and her husband, Dr. Jacob Sperber, are active in anti-nuclear activities, now concentrating on opposing the opening of the LILCO plant at Shoreham, NY, in eastern rural Long Island.

Robert B. Selund, Jr. is Assistant City Attorney for Gary, IN. He and his wife, Judy, are the proud parents of a daughter, Kristin Lynn, born November 26, 1982. Judy teaches elementary physical education in Portage, IN.

John J. Tasker has moved from Chicago to southern California and is now an associate with a firm in Tustin, CA.

1979 Donna L. Campbell was promoted to Vice President and Trust Officer of the Lake County Trust Company, Crown Point, IN. She is currently President of the South Lake Co. Bar Association and a member of the House of Delegates of the Indiana State Bar Association.

Nora E. Herndon is now in private practice in Merrillville, IN.

Shelli Wright Johnson and her husband, **James A. Johnson** ('74), have a new baby boy, Andrew James, born April 29, 1982.

Jim Myers is associated with Leonard M. Ring and Associates in Chicago, IL.

Paul D. Stanko opened an office in Griffith in August of last year. In September he married the former Heide Flotz of Calumet City. Earlier this year, Paul ran unopposed for Hammond City Court Judge in the Republican primary.

Gary Sundell accepted a position with the UAW Legal Services for General Motors in Flint, MI.

David V. Sweigart is a senior consultant at New England Life, working in their Boston, MA, office. He was formerly with CNA Insurance in Chicago.

Duncan J. Wainwright was transferred with the F.B.I. from Chicago to the Hickory, NC, office.

1980 James Bass is now an associate with the firm of Jacob, Goleash and Misch in Bloomington, IL.

Mark S. Fraundorfer is a part-time public defender and in his third year of private practice. He and his wife, Diane, are proud to announce the birth of a baby girl, Laurie Michelle, born August 23.

Ann Frigyesi Garriott is now an Assistant Attorney General for Maricopa County in Arizona after spending two years as a Public Defender.

William L. Hoehner wed Linda Waumans Meersma April 4, 1983.

James H. Koning is now associated with the law firm of Richard L. Halpert, P.C. in Kalamazoo, MI.

Karen L. Krodel has been appointed as trust officer and head of the trust department of the German American Bank in Dubois County, IN. She will be responsible for the management, supervision and direction of the department which has \$22 million in assets.

Robert Shafis recently accepted the position of Associate Planned Giving Counselor with the Department of Stewardship and Financial Support for the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod Foundation. He and his wife, the former Evangeline Degner, are making their home in University City, MO.

Andrew Tanzillo is now practicing with the Hammond, IN law firm of Sachs and Hess.

Thomas A. Thanas has served as Assistant Corporation Counsel of the City of Joliet, IL. He married the former Theodora Coulis on May 29, 1983.

T. Edward Ummel is a partner in the law firm of Sowinski, Easterday & Ummel in Plymouth, IN. He and his wife, Brenda, now have two children, Phillip and Tracy.

1981 Joanne Muhr Green is an Appeals Referee II working for the Indiana Employment Security Division. She lives with her two children, Stacy, age 16, and Ken, age 15, in Marion, IN.

Joseph S. Irak recently went into private practice in Merrillville, IN.

Jacqueline A. Leimer is now practicing law with Welsh and Katz in Chicago, IL. She had previously been associated with Sidley & Austin of Chicago, IL.

Mark E. Schmidtke joined the Hammond, IN, law firm of McHie, Myers & McHie as an associate in August of 1983. He and his wife welcomed Sarah Elaine on March 26. She joins her sister, Kristin, age 2½.

Patrick A. Schuster and **Melanie Sterba** ('83) have opened their own law firm for the general practice of law in Merrillville, IN, as of 9/1/83.

Steven L. Skahn is now associated with Baxter & Hammond in Grand Rapids, MI.

1982 **Marta C. Bukata** announces the formation of her law firm, Bukata & Gonzalez, with offices in Chicago, IL, and Merrillville, IN.

Rober L. Burrus is in private practice with his father, **Otis C. Burrus**, ('52), in Zionsville, IN. Roger married Danielle Baepler on July 2, 1983.

David Cerven has joined the law firm of Thomas, Burke, Dyerly & Cuppy in Merrillville, IN.

Brett H. Gardner is now working for Legal Services of Eastern Michigan in Midland, MI.

Colleen D. Gunder is now associated with the law firm of Hayes and Hayes in Fort Wayne, IN.

Ed Matz and **David Pavuk** have formed their own law firm in Whiting, IN.

Dennis D. Meyer is the Legal Counsel and Corporate Secretary of Doane-Western Co., a real estate corporation in Denver, CO.

Robert E. Nielsen is affiliated with the new law firm of Wiley, Johnson & Rein, which is composed of approximately 35 attorneys who will be leaving the Washington, DC, office of Kirkland & Ellis.

Eileen Newhouse has relocated to Minneapolis/St. Paul, MN. She has accepted a position with Investors Diversified Services, Inc. of Minneapolis. She was previously associated with Mayer, Brown & Platt of Chicago, IL.

David Shippert has joined the U.S. Coast Guard JAGC.

Mary M. Squyres is Special Assistant to the Corporate General Counsel for Sears Roebuck & Co.

Kjell Widmark has published an article entitled "Law Capital Formation and Development" in the *Scandinavian Journal of Development Alternatives*.

1983 **Jon C. Abernathy** is clerking for Judge Ratliff of the Indiana Court of Appeals in Indianapolis, IN.

Steve Affeldt is associated with the law office of George R. Affeldt in Milwaukee, WI.

Sally Ankony is an associate with Sweeney, Winski, Dabagia, Donoghue & Thorne in Michigan City, IN.

Daniel Avila has accepted a position with Massachusetts Citizens for Life in Boston, MA.

Barbara R. Blade is working for Gary Legal Services in Gary, IN.

Kenneth R. Bruce is clerking for Judge Joseph Weis, Jr. of the Third Circuit Court of Appeals in Pittsburgh, PA.

Leane English Cerven is associated with Mayer, Brown & Platt in Chicago, IL.

Michael Clark is associated with Iverson, Yoakum, Papiano & Hatch in Los Angeles, CA.

Michael Cloyd is clerking for Judge William G. Conover of the Indiana Court of Appeals in Indianapolis, IN.

Stephen J. DeHaan is associated with Price, Henweld, Huizenga & Cooper in Grand Rapids, MI.

Thomas M. Dogan is associated with Matthew Dogan, Attorney at Law, in Merrillville, IN.

Mark P. Dvorscak is with the law office of Abrahamson, Reed & Tanasijevich in Hammond, IN.

Thomas L. Eisele has accepted the position of Chief Counsel and Corporate Secretary with NIBCO, Inc. of Elkhart, IN.

Nasrin Farahmand is associated with Attorney George Livarchik in Chesterton, IN.

Daniel Granquist has opened a law office in Valparaiso, IN.

Frances C. Gull is working as a clerk in the Allen Superior Court in Ft. Wayne, IN.

Thomas R. Hamilton is associated with Dunnick, Wyrick, McShurley & Brinkman in Muncie, IN.

Patrick K. Harrington is a Deputy Prosecutor for Lake County, IN, in Crown Point, IN.

Joseph Helm is now with McLario Law Offices in Menomonee Falls, WI.

Jack M. Hires is an Assistant Professor of Business Environment for the Valparaiso University College of Business Administration.

Carol Colby Kaesebier is associated with Barnes & Thornberg in South Bend, IN.

James W. Kolbus is practicing law with Hartzog, Barker, Hepler & Saunders in Goshen, IN.

Paul G. Krentz is associated with Reid, Ochsenschlayer, Murphy & Hupp in Aurora, IL.

Stephen J. Krigbaum is now with Haskell & Perrin in Chicago, IL.

Bruce A. Lambka is associated with Hamacher & Hamacher in Crown Point, IN.

Frank Lattal is clerking for the New Jersey Superior Court in Trenton, NJ.

William R. McMaster is working for College/University Corporation in Indianapolis, IN.

Brett J. Miller is with the Internal Revenue Service in Indianapolis, IN.

Thomas Munro is working for the Western Missouri Legal Services in Kansas City, MO.

Ellen Neubauer is associated with Chudom & Meyer in Schererville, IN.

Keith Peterson is clerking for Judge Hoffman of the Indiana Court of Appeals in Indianapolis, IN.

Joy L. Phillips is with Florida Legal Services in Bartow, FL.

Steven K. Raquet is associated with Noel, Noel & Williams in Kokomo, IN.

Lynn M. Richards is affiliated with Legal Services of Big Rapids, MI.

Perry C. Rocco is associated with McKenna, Storer, Rowe, White & Farrag in Chicago, IL.

Sally F. Rogers is associated with Schiff, Hardin & Waite in Chicago, IL.

Jane M. Ryan is working for the Justice Department -Honors Program Department of the Civil Rights Division in Washington, DC.

Sharon Sowa is a Deputy Prosecutor for Porter County in Valparaiso, IN.

Peggy Stamper has accepted the position of Account Representative for Westlaw. Her territory includes northern Indiana and Chicago.

Melanie Sterba and **Patrick Schuster** ('81) have opened their law office for the general practice of law in Merrillville, IN, as of 9/1/83.

Heather Gilchrist T'Kindt is associated with Sidley & Austin in Chicago, IL.

Douglas E. Ulmer is clerking for the Allen Superior Court in Fort Wayne, IN.

Heidi L. Ulrich is associated with Dennison & Dennison in Brookville, PA.

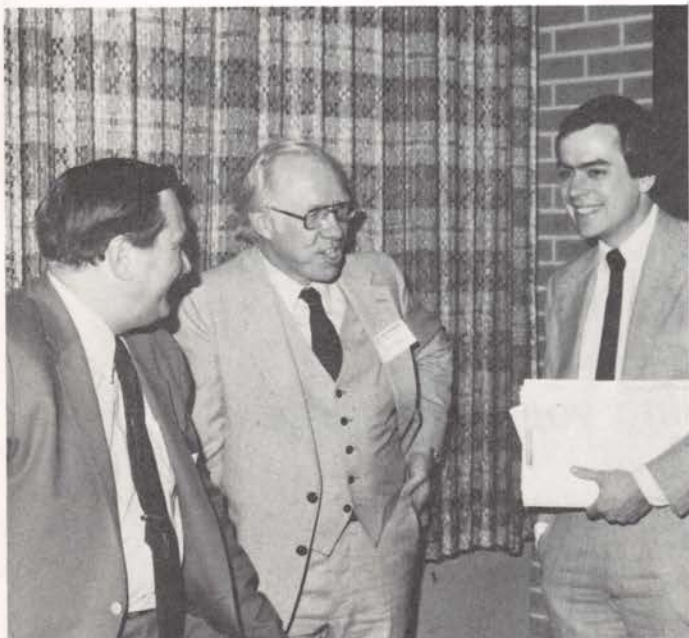
Karen S. Walker is now associated with the law firm of Grotrian & Boxberger in Fort Wayne, IN.

Necrology

1924 John R. Scott, Senior Federal District Judge in the Middle District of Florida, died May 12, 1983. He lived in Jacksonville, FL.

1960 Bruce E. Bloom, attorney from Fort Wayne, passed away June 25, 1983.

1960 Richard F. James, age 53, of Dyer, IN, was killed when an ultralight aircraft he was piloting crashed at the Porter County Airport.



(l-r) Lowell Enslen '52, Professor Jack Hiller, and George Carberry '77 at the 1983 Graduates Luncheon.



Peter Krentz '56 (Left) and Victor Fitz '83 at the Alumni Luncheon for the Class of 1983.

ANNUAL LAW ALUMNI BANQUET

This year's Homecoming Law Alumni Banquet
will be held at

**Strongbow Inn
Saturday, October 8, 1983.**

Refreshments and a cash bar will be available
beginning at 6:30 p.m., with dinner following at 7:30 p.m.

Reservations are \$15.00 per person
and should be made as soon as possible.

The formal invitation/registration form, along with
the 1983 official Board of Directors Ballot,
have been sent to all Alumni.

If you have not yet received your invitation
and ballot, or if you have any questions, please contact
Gail Peshel at the School of Law.

We look forward to seeing you on the 8th!

PLACEMENT REPORT

ON-CAMPUS PLACEMENT INTERVIEWS SCHEDULED 1983-84

9/13/83 Singleton, Levy, Christ & Johnson - Highland, IN
 9/14/83 Church, Warrick, Weaver, Boyn & Nillson - Elkhart, IN
 9/15/83 Hodges, Davis, Gruenberg, Compton & Sayers - Merrillville, IN
 9/20/83 Eichhorn, Eichhorn & Link - Hammond, IN
 9/22/83 Reginald Heber Smith Community Lawyer Fellowship Program
 9/27/83 Army JAG Corp
 9/30/83 Rothberg, Gallmeyer, Fruechtenicht & Logan - Fort Wayne, IN
 10/6/83 Internal Revenue Service
 10/7/83 Brady, McQueen, Martin, Collins & Jensen - Elgin, IL

10/17/83 Leydig, Voit, Osann, Mayer & Holt - Chicago, IL
 10/18/83 Barnes & Thornburg - Indianapolis, Elkhart, South Bend, Washington, DC.
 11/2/83 Army JAG Corp
 11/14/83 Marine Corp
 11/15/83 Marine Corp

In addition to inviting firms to interview on campus and posting employment opportunities received via mail, we utilize the Collect and Direct Systems for firms unable to come to campus. Under the Collect System, firms submit their resumes and a statement of their hiring needs for students to review. A student may, if interested in the firm, place his or her resume in that file. All student resumes submitted are mailed by the Placement Office to the firm, which then contacts the students they would like to interview at their office.

The Direct System seeks resumes from firms and a statement of their hiring needs so that students can respond directly to the firms. A total of 103 employers from 19 states and 34 cities have requested either the Collect or Direct Systems so far this fall.

PLACEMENT

Anticipated opening for third (), second (), and/or first () year law students, or experienced attorney ().

Date position(s) available: _____

Employer's name and address: _____

Person to contact: _____

Requirements/comments: _____

() I would be willing to serve as a resource or contact person in my area for law school students.

() I would like to be placed on the mailing list for the monthly Placement Bulletin.

Submitted by: _____ Class of: _____

WE'RE INTERESTED!

We're interested in news of career advancement or change, professional accomplishments or activities, awards, marriages, births, change of address, or any other news item you would like to share with us.

Date _____

Name _____
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Different address from mailing label? Yes No

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