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# TAYLOR TIMES

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## *Activities at George C. Taylor Law Center*

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**HAPPY  
BIRTHDAY,  
AMERICA**



### SEBERT IS ACTING DEAN

John A. Sebert, Jr. has been appointed Acting Dean of the College of Law effective August 1, 1986. In making the appointment, Provost George Wheeler stated that he "is counting on John to supply vigorous leadership to the College as we search for a new dean." The Dean's Search Committee will be announced soon. Dean Penegar has located a place to live in Dallas when he takes over as Dean of Southern Methodist University Law School in August. The faculty and staff are sponsoring a farewell dinner for him on July 18th.

### *Calendar*

- July 4 . . . Independence Day  
No Classes!
- July 17 . . . Summer Semester  
Classes End
- July 21-28 . . . Examinations
- July 30-31 . . . Tennessee State  
Bar examination
- August 25-26 . . . Registration &  
Orientation
- August 27 . . . Classes Begin
- August 29 . . . Commencement
- September 1 . . . Labor Day  
No Classes!
- September 5 . . . On Campus  
Interviews begin

### *The Library*



Please note the posted Summer Schedule for the Law Library. The library does not resume a regular schedule until Monday, August 18.

*You Should Know...*

## **DONATIONS OF BOOKS AND MAGAZINES FOR THE JAIL NOW BEING ACCEPTED**

Members of the University community are asked to donate used paperback and hardback books and magazines for use by Knox County Jail inmates. Persons who wish to donate may call Professor Don Finney at 524-0987 or 974-3421 or leave the books on the porch of 2215 Clinch Ave. This is a very worthwhile effort; please help.



## **KNOXVILLE BAR AUXILIARY ANNOUNCES 1986-87 EVENTS**

**MEMBERSHIP BRUNCH**  
Wednesday, September 3, 1986

The Knoxville Auxiliary to the Tennessee Bar Association invites current and prospective members to brunch at the Faculty Club from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**ANNUAL DINNER DANCE**  
Friday, April 3, 1987

Please mark your calendars and help support an organization which supports the Law College in so many ways. The Auxiliary recently added \$2,000 to their scholarship endowment fund here at GCT.

## **DESIGNATION OF SMOKING AREAS FOR LAW SCHOOL PROPOSED**

In accordance with the "Smoke-free" policy of the University, which went into effect on July 1, the College of Law must designate specific areas where smoking is permitted. Smoking is prohibited in all public areas not otherwise designated.

The following areas have been proposed as "smoking" areas within Taylor Law Center:

1. White Avenue lobby
2. Restrooms in White Ave. lobby
3. Staff Breakroom in the Public Law Institute (14C)
4. Student Meeting Room area on fourth floor

Smoking is permitted in one-person offices provided there is ample ventilation and no sensitive equipment (computers) in such offices.

We would appreciate your comments and suggestions about these or other possible "designated smoking areas". Please refer comments to Dean Hardin in room 14. Thank you!

## **COMPUTER REFERENCE MATERIALS AVAILABLE IN PLI**

Thinking of buying a PC or a printer? Need information comparing available printers, add-in boards, database software, or modems? You are welcome to browse through reference books available from Julie Hardin's office in the Public Law Institute.

## *Research and Service*

### **GRAYFRED GRAY ...**

... visited with Dr. Pietro Mercatali of the Institute for Legal Documentation, Florence, Italy, May 17-21 while Dr. Mercatali was here for research on legal drafting for artificial intelligence.

### **JULIE HARDIN ...**

... will give a presentation on the Missing Children Project to the North Knoxville Rotary Club on July 3.

### **PAT HARDIN ...**

... is writing an informal paper, Developments in Arbitration: Discipline for Poor Attendance, pending publication in Proceedings, 32nd Annual Labor Law Institute, Southwestern Legal Foundation (Matthew Bender, 1986).

### **JERRY PHILLIPS ...**

... will author an article for the University of Maryland Law Review.

### **DOUG WICKHAM ...**

... talked with the law faculty at the University of Louven in Belgium on May 30 about American bankruptcy law.

### **DICK WIRTZ ...**

... has been recommended for promotion to full professor.

### **FACULTY/STAFF NEWS**

Tom Eisele and his wife, Sandy, are expecting a baby girl from Korea in September.

Daisy Bolton is providing invaluable assistance in the Business Office. She is from the UT temporary pool. Thank you, Daisy.

Prof. Gary Anderson's 12-year-old son, Nathan, is a Putt-Putt golf champ. Nathan is dominating all putt-putt tournaments this year and hopes to join the Professional Putters Association.

Dean Sebert's wife, Suzanne, has been identified as a leader in our community by Leadership Knoxville. She is Director of Welfare and Institutions for Knox County.

### **MAY WE INTRODUCE...**

Mary Ann Bledsoe,  
Administrative Assistant  
Dean's Office

Mary Ann spends off hours with husband Mike, who is a tennis instructor, and John Henry and Jenny Lee, who are parakeets. She was born and raised in Maryville and her hobbies include crossword puzzles, cooking, and gardening.

Lisa Markle,  
Principal Secretary  
Legal Clinic

Lisa is New Jersey born and raised, but is now an adopted Southerner. She enjoys ice skating, waterskiing, swimming, knitting, and reading.

## Career Services

The College of Law's Career Services office has used computer-to-computer transmission to Graphic Arts for the 1986 "Lawyers of the Future." This capability facilitates the duplication process and allows for easier response if problems occur. Legal Placement Assistant Cheryl Mays deserves credit for this accomplishment and will be happy to answer questions. Good work, Cheryl!

1986 Graduates - 28% of those responding to the Employment and Salary Survey are located in Nashville, 22% in Knoxville, 18% in Chattanooga, and 8% in Memphis. So far 106 of the 149 graduates have responded. A preliminary report with this and more information is available to anyone requesting it from the Career Services office. Those who have not completed a survey form are requested to do so as soon as possible.

Fall On-Campus Interviewing - Second and third-year students can register with Career Services for the 1986-87 academic year and begin submitting resumes to the firms scheduled to come on campus in early August. The on-campus recruiting season will open Friday, September 5.

What is STAT? STAT stands for Student Temporary Assignment Team. Students who wish to perform clerking tasks on short notice for law firms can register to be on the STAT list. The Career Services office will refer students to employers for temporary work; the employer pays the student an agreed-upon hourly wage. For more information, contact Cheryl Mays in Career Services.



### WE'RE MAKING HISTORY

We have begun to build a respectable set of archival materials. Back issues of the Bulletin, seminar brochures, Lawyers of the Future, the alumni newsletter, photographs, newsclippings, and student newspapers comprise the bulk of our archives. Old photos are nostalgic, amusing, and valuable to our history, as well as newsclippings and pamphlets. We even have a copy of a law school budget totalling about \$400 (yes, it is a few years old). The archives are located just inside the entrance to the Public Law Institute, along the right-hand wall. You are invited to come by and reminisce and add to our collection!

## BACK FROM BONN!

With Professor Phillips serving as interpreter and guide, Professors Cohen, Rivkin, and Wirtz had a very successful two-week visit to the University of Bonn. Professor Cohen continued from there to Israel; Professor Wirtz visited such places as Bad Honnef, Luxembourg, and Paris; Professor Phillips enjoyed nightingales, learned more about Zen Buddhism, and spoke to the German-American Law Society which will publish an abstract of his speech in their newsletter; and Professor Rivkin met with faculty and students of the Tubingen Law School and consulted with the staff of the Nuclear Research Center at Karlsruhe about environmental issues. Welcome home and congratulations on a job well done to each of you!



## NASHVILLE ALUMNI BREAKFAST

The University of Tennessee College of Law had the largest alumni gathering for any of the law school breakfasts at the Tennessee Bar Convention in Nashville. Dean Penegar bid farewell to over 100 alumni and reported on accomplishments at GCT. Ben Boston, Class of 1985, was the most recent graduate attending, and Supreme Court Justice William Fones, Class of 1940, had the honor of representing the oldest class.

## MOOT COURT BOARD 1986-87

Chairperson . . . Susan Bartell  
Vice-Chairperson . . .  
Daniel Clayton  
Oral Hurst  
Edgar Snow  
Tricia Strzelecki  
Secretary . . . Robyn Ryan  
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Lynn Bergwerk      Kelly Hundley  
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Del Grissom         Lynn Taylor  
Kyle Hedrick        Crews Townsend

## Lost Your Class Ring?

A class ring for West High School class of 1975 was found in the law school parking lot. If it's yours, see Missy Richmond in Word Processing.

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