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THE LAW SCHOOL

The registration for the fall semester of the ninety-seventh session of the Law School of the University of North Carolina is 100, as compared with 119 for 1939-1940. There are 36 in the first year class, 31 in the second year class and 33 in the third year class. Two are special students. Sixty-eight have college degrees. Ninety-five are residents of North Carolina. Two are from New York, one is from Cuba, one from New Jersey, and one from Tennessee. Six are women.

Henry P. Brandis, Jr., who succeeded Donald W. Markham, resigned, in February, 1940, as Assistant Professor of Law in the University of North Carolina, is giving this fall the courses in Evidence and Taxation. In addition, during the spring term, he will have charge of the courses in Civil Procedure II and III. Mr. Brandis received the

A.B. degree from this University in 1928, and the LL.B. degree from Columbia University in 1931. After two years of law practice in New York City, he served for four years as Associate Director of the Institute of Government, Chapel Hill; for two years as Secretary of the North Carolina Tax Classification Commission; and for one year as Chief of the Research Division, North Carolina Department of Revenue.

The executives for 1940-1941 of the editorial staff of the North Carolina Law Review are: James K. Dorsett, Jr., editor-in-chief; William Owen Cooke, associate editor; and Alexander H. Graham, Jr., book review editor. They are likewise the recipients of the faculty research assistantships for the current year.

Because they stood among the highest ten per cent of their class in point of scholarship, Frank Thomas Miller, Jr., and Elizabeth Warren Shewmaké were elected last spring to membership in the honorary law school society of the Order of the Coif.

The faculty of the Law School has assumed for this year the administrative, library and instructional responsibilities for the new Law School of the North Carolina College for Negroes in Durham. Five students are enrolled. The school was originally opened in September, 1939, but, when only one qualified student registered, operation was postponed until the fall of 1940.

During the summer session of 1940 at the Law School of the University of North Carolina, the visiting professors were: Willard J. Graham, of the University of Chicago (Accounting in Law Practice); J. Douglass Poteat, of Duke University (Federal Jurisdiction); and James A. Spruill, Jr., of the University of Georgia (Quasi-Contracts).

For the summer session of 1941, the visiting faculty will consist of: Professor William E. Britton, of the University of Illinois (Sales); Judge Charles E. Clark, of the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals, Second Circuit (The Federal Rules of Civil Procedure); and Professor Edmund M. Morgan, of Harvard University (Evidence).