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### THE CORNELL LAW SCHOOL

The Honorable Leonard C. Crouch, formerly Associate Judge of the New York Court of Appeals, is again Visiting Professor of Law for the first term. He is giving a problem course in Appellate Practice and Presentation.

On July 1, 1942, Kenneth Bibber Lane was appointed Assistant Professor of Law and Secretary of the Law School for a year. Professor Lane obtained his A.B. and LL.B. degrees from Cornell in 1936 and 1938 respectively; the latter with distinction. While a student in the Law School he was elected to the Board of Editors of the *CORNELL LAW QUARTERLY* and to the Order of the Coif. Following his graduation he became associated in practice with the firm of Wilcox & Van Allen of Buffalo, N. Y., and remained with them until his appointment to the Faculty. Professor Lane is giving courses in Business Associations, Personal Property and Taxation.

Dean Stevens is still in Washington as Chief Legal Consultant of the Office for Emergency Management. He also holds the titles of Assistant General Counsel of Lend-Lease and Attorney for the Russian Section of Lend-Lease. Professor Washington, also a member of the Office for Emergency Management staff, has been sent to Asia Minor on a special mission. Professor Morse continues as a Captain in the Judge Advocate General's Department and is in charge of the Department's libraries.

On November 13, the Honorable F. Walter Bliss, Justice of the New York Supreme Court, Appellate Division, Third Department, delivered a lecture at the School on Administrative Law and Procedure.

Registration in the Law School for the fall term was as follows:

First Year	33
Second Year	16
Third Year	18
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Total	67

Of these eight are women. Two of the men have been called into the armed forces since the beginning of the term. The student body is one-third its normal size. Statistics received from other law schools, including Colum-

bia, Harvard, Pennsylvania and Yale, show that they have suffered equal or greater losses.

The LL.B. was awarded to eight candidates on September 12, 1942. They began the study of law in September 1940, and by attending the Summer Sessions offered in 1941 and 1942, completed their course in two calendar years. Of this group Samuel Michael Schatz was graduated with distinction and elected to the Order of the Coif. Douglas Stuart Moore, a candidate for the LL.B. degree in January 1943, was also elected to this Society. During the calendar year 1942, the Law School has graduated 68 students; 65 men and 3 women. Of the men, 35 are in the Army, 5 in the Navy, one in the Marine Corps, and one in the F.B.I.

Owing to the greater amount of time which students now taking Advanced Military Science are required to devote to that subject, the Law School Faculty has voted to allow six hours' credit toward the LL.B. degree for successful completion of the course. This does not diminish the amount of law study below that which must be required by an approved law school in the State of New York. Thus far only a few of the students taking Advanced Military Science have elected to take less than the 80 hours of law normally prerequisite to graduation. Most of these are men who find it necessary to earn part of their expenses and who therefore could not enroll in Advanced Military Science if they were required to carry a law program consisting of the usual number of hours.

In addition to the five rooms in Myron Taylor Hall which the Navy took over during the summer, it now is using part of the stack space for the issue, return and storage of 30,000 books needed by its trainees. Foster M. Coffin, who serves as Civilian Pilot Training Coordinator at Cornell, has his office in Myron Taylor Hall, and his staff is giving instruction to the student pilots in two of the class-rooms during the evenings.