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## The Law School

The absence of Professor Francis H. Bohlen for reasons of health is a matter of great regret shared by all, and it is hoped that his leave of absence will not need to be extended beyond the first term.

The faculty has been strengthened by making permanent the appointment of James H. Chadbourn as Assistant Professor of Law after a year as Visiting Assistant Professor, and by the addition on visiting appointments of Associate Professor Paul W. Bruton and Assistant Professor John E. Mulder, who have made possible an important expansion of the curriculum.

Paul W. Bruton, A.B. and LL.B. (California), J.S.D. (Yale), comes as Visiting Associate Professor of Law. He was Sterling Fellow at Yale in 1929-30 and taught in the Yale Law School the two following years. He then became Associate Professor of Law at Duke University. While there he served also as Assistant to the General Counsel of the Agricultural Adjustment Bureau and for the past two years he has been in the office of Chief Counsel for the Bureau of Internal Revenue, Washington, engaged in tax work.

Professor Bruton has extended the course in Taxation over two terms. The first term will be devoted to the administration of the Federal Income and Estate taxes; the second term mainly to State taxation, including the purpose, jurisdiction and subjects of taxation. He also introduces a one term course in

Trade Regulations, which will deal with the numerous problems centering around industrial competition and regulation under recent legislation.

John E. Mulder, A.B. (Iowa), LL.B. (Wisconsin), LL.M. (Columbia), comes as Visiting Assistant Professor of Law. He practised law with the firm of Root, Clark, Buckner and Ballantine, New York City. He first taught at the University of Wisconsin and then at the University of North Carolina. Professor Mulder takes over a full year course entitled Bankruptcy and Receiverships, though the content is considerably broader, as it deals with all forms of settlement and administration of insolvent debtors' estates. The course will not cover corporate reorganizations under the Bankruptcy Act, which continues as part of Business Associations under Thomas K. Finletter, Esq., of the New York Bar, as Associate in Law. Professor Mulder also revives the Second Year course in the important subject of Quasi Contracts.

The absence of Professor Bohlen necessitated a readjustment of his courses. One section of Torts will be taught by Laurence H. Eldredge, Esq., of the Philadelphia Bar, as Associate in Law, Adviser in Torts for the American Law Institute. Evidence will be taught by Assistant Professor James H. Chadbourn, who is also in charge of the related subject of Civil Procedure.

Professor Edwin R. Keedy will offer a Third Year Seminar in Penology.

Total enrollment shows an increase of fourteen over last year. The increase in the First Year class is seventeen. College degrees held by the entering class come from forty-seven different institutions, as compared with forty-two last year. A detailed table of registration follows:

*Class Enrollment*

	1935-36	1936-37	1937-38
First Year	145	145	162
Second Year	121	103	103
Third Year	118	100	99
Four-year Students	7	14	12
Graduates, unclassified and hearers	12	9	9
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*Class Admitted in 1937 According to Colleges*

University of Pennsylvania:					
College	29	Gettysburg	1	Swarthmore	5
Wharton	15	Hamilton	2	Temple	7
Miscellaneous	1	Harvard	6	University of Delaware	1
	— 45	Haverford	2	University of Florida	1
Other Institutions:					
Allegheny	2	Holy Cross	1	University of Maryland	1
Amherst	1	Lafayette	7	University of Michigan	1
Brown	1	LaSalle	2	University of North Carolina	1
Bryn Mawr	1	Lehigh	4	University of Pittsburgh	1
Bucknell	2	Muhlenberg	5	Ursinus	1
Connecticut College	1	Notre Dame	1	Villanova	1
Cornell	1	Pennsylvania Military	2	Washington & Jefferson	3
Dartmouth	1	Pennsylvania State	8	Wesleyan	1
DePauw	1	Princeton	9	William and Mary	1
Duke	3	Rensselaer	1	Wooster	1
Duquesne	1	Rutgers	3	Yale	4
Franklin & Marshall	7	St. Joseph's	8		
Georgetown	1	St. Thomas	1		
		Susquehanna	1		
				Total	<hr/> 162
				1935-36	1936-37
From University of Pennsylvania	23+	23+	27+	23+	27+
From Other Colleges	76+	76+	72+	76+	72+
<i>Geographical Distribution</i>					
Philadelphia	36+	27+	34+	36+	34+
Pennsylvania (outside Philadelphia)	47+	60+	51+	47+	51+
Other States and Foreign Countries	16+	11+	13+	16+	13+

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