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The Law School

Professor Edwin R. Keedy, who had been serving as Acting Dean since July 1, 1940, was appointed Dean on March 17, 1941. John E. Mulder has been promoted to the rank of Professor of Law. The Law School lost by resignation the valuable services of Thomas K. Finletter of the New York Bar, who conducted for eleven years a course in Corporate Reorganization. Mr. Finletter is now in Washington as a special aid to the Secretary of State.

The emergency situation has caused a considerable reduction in the number of students, as a result of which the faculty has temporarily discontinued the practice of dividing the First Year Class into two sections. A course in Fiduciary Administration, taught by Professor W. Foster Reeve, III, has been added to the curriculum. Professor Paul W. Bruton and Professor Alfred G. Buehler, the latter of the Wharton School Faculty,

will conduct during the second term a joint seminar in Taxation and National Defense. Special attention will be given to the Excess Profits Tax and to the revision of the Federal tax system which is made necessary by the present defense expenditures. Professor John E. Mulder will give a seminar in Security Transactions. Dr. George M. Wunderlich will continue his seminar in Comparative Conflict of Laws.

The Bicentennial Celebration volume of the Law Review, consisting of eight numbers, contained articles by members of the faculty and other legal scholars. These articles have been reprinted and bound in one volume.

A Fellowship in Criminal Law and Its Administration, supported by a fund contributed during the Bicentennial Celebration of the University, will be available in the academic year 1942-43. This Fellowship will be open to competition by graduates of approved law schools.

The following table shows this year's enrollment with comparative figures for the past two years:

Class Enrollment

	1939-40	1940-41	1941-42
First Year	136	136	75
Second Year	115	86	78
Third Year	106	106	74
Four-Year Students	3	0	0
Graduates and Unclassified	12	10	8
	372	338	235

Class Admitted in 1941 According to Colleges

University of Pennsylvania:					
College	13	Gettysburg	1	University of N. H.	1
Wharton	10	Goucher	1	University of Pittsburgh	1
College for Women	2	Harvard	1	University of Scranton	2
	—25	Lafayette	3	Ursinus	1
Other Institutions:		Lincoln	1	Villanova	2
Albright	2	Princeton	1	Wiley	1
Bucknell	2	Roanoke	1	William & Mary	1
Coe	1	St. Joseph's	5	Williams	1
Cornell	1	Swarthmore	1	Wilson	1
Duke	1	Temple	7	Yale	2
Franklin & Marshall	4	Trinity	1	Yeshiva	1
Georgetown	1	University of Delaware	1		—
				Total	75

31 Colleges represented.

	1939-40	1940-41	1941-42
From University of Pennsylvania	19+	23+	33+
From Other Colleges	80+	76+	66+

Geographical Distribution

Philadelphia	26+	35+	37+
Pennsylvania (outside Philadelphia)	52+	49+	38+
Other States and Foreign	21+	15+	24+