

SCHOOL AND ALUMNI NOTES.

Albert Sproull Wheeler, for the past twenty-eight years Professor of Roman Law in the Yale Law School, died in New Haven, Monday, January 30th. Resolutions adopted by the Faculty of the School will be found elsewhere. Announcement is made of the appointment of Charles Phineas Sherman, B. A., Yale, 1896, D. C. L., 1899, as instructor of Roman Law to succeed him. By the will of Professor Wheeler, his valuable collection of works on Roman Law is given to the Law School Library, together with a fund for its maintenance.

The officers of the Kent Club for the present term are: President, Lon K. Wisheart, 1905; Vice-President, Morris D. Saxe, 1906; Secretary, F. P. McEvoy, 1907; Critic, D. E. Lavigne, 1905.

The following changes in the Law School curriculum are announced, most of them to go into effect at the commencement of the year 1905-6: The course in Agency, formerly under Prof. Baldwin, will be in charge of Assistant Professor Corbin, occupying two hours a week in the second half year. Domestic Relations and Personal Property, heretofore elective, are transferred to the regular course, the Study of Cases, under Mr. Hunt, being optional. Notes and Bills has been transferred from the first to the second year work, and the courses in Criminal Procedure and Estates, formerly in the second year, are changed to the third year and made electives. Principles of Contracts, will no longer be compulsory. Many of the courses now running one hour a week through the year will be given two hours a week during one half year.

Announcement is made of the following changes and additions in textbooks: Huffcut on Agency; Kenny's Outlines of Criminal Law, Webb's Edition, in place of Clark's Criminal Law, after 1904-5; Tiedeman on Real Property instead of Washburn, after 1905-6; Vance on Insurance in place of Richards after 1904-5.

'79—Henry Roberts was inaugurated as Governor of Connecticut on January 4th.

'92—Robert Treat Platt of Portland, Oregon, was elected secretary of the Oregon State Bar Association at its recent annual meeting.

'93 and '99—Leslie W. Newberry, '93, and Richard J. Goodman, '99, have formed a partnership for the practice of law under the firm name of Newberry & Goodman, with offices in the First National Bank Building, Hartford, Conn.

'93—James Kingsley Blake recently resigned his position as clerk of the Probate Court for the District of New Haven, and will practice law at his offices in the First National Bank Building, New Haven.

'96—Charles B. Waller is a member of the Connecticut General Assembly.

'97 M. L.—Thaddeus M. Talcott is a member of the Indiana State Senate.

'98 M. L.—John Morris Sheppard has been re-elected Representative in Congress from the First Congressional District of Texas.

'98—Edward W. Beattie, Jr., has been appointed city solicitor of Springfield, Mass.

'99—Jacob B. Ullman recently received the appointment of Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of New Haven County.

'99—Charles W. Bireley has recently become associated with the law firm of Chase & Woodruff of New Haven.

'99—Miss Edna Rogers Mason and Harry Roston Sherwood were married December 14th at Miss Mason's home, 59 Danforth St., Jersey City, N. J.

1900—Thomas C. Coughlin has opened law offices at 925 Main St., Bridgeport, Conn. Mr. Coughlin has just finished a term as Judge of Probate for the District of Bridgeport.

1900 and 1901 M. L.—Miss Anna Louisa Hier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Sperry Hier of Syracuse, N. Y., and George Zahm, Assistant Professor at the Yale Law School, were married Wednesday evening, January 4th, at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. George P. Hier, 603 James St., Syracuse, by the Rev. James R. Day, Chancellor of Syracuse University. Harry Waterman Hawley, '95 L. S., was best man.

1901—William L. Barnett has opened an office for the practice of law at 272 Main St., Derby, Conn.

1901—Miss Anna Wallace Elliott, daughter of the late George Elliott, and Charles Luther Burnham were married Wednesday, November 9th, at the home of the bride's mother, 47 East 57th St., New York City.

1901—Cornelius P. Kitchel was appointed, February 1st, chief attorney and counsel of the Legal Aid Society of New York City.

1901—Wilfred C. Lane was recently appointed deputy clerk and commissioner of the United States Circuit and District Courts at Augusta, Ga. Mr. Lane is also a member of the faculty of law of Mercer College.

1901—William T. Rawlins of Honolulu has been appointed deputy high sheriff of the Territory of Hawaii, his duties including the prosecution of Criminal Actions in the District Court of Hawaii.

1902—William C. Abercrombie is practicing law in New York, with offices at 320 Broadway.

1903—George W. Crawford has been appointed clerk of the Probate Court of New Haven.

1903—Miss Lotta Frost Baldwin, daughter of Mr. Roger Sherman Baldwin, and Omar W. Platt were married Thursday afternoon, November 17th, at Milford, Conn. John L. Gilson, 1902 L. S., was best man.

1903—George H. Bartholomew, who has been practicing law at Ridgefield, Conn., has entered the offices of Baldwin & White, 27 Pine St., New York City.

1903—Clarence W. Bronson has been appointed assistant clerk of the Probate Court of New Haven.

1903—Howard J. Bloomer is in the legal department of the Travellers Insurance Co. His address is 171 Warrenton Ave., Hartford, Conn.

1903 M. L.—T. Sutton Boyd has located for the practice of law at Morgantown, W. Va.

1903—George D. Graves has formed a partnership with Albert B. Oviatt for the practice of law, under the firm name of Oviatt & Graves, with offices at 25 Broad St., New York City.

1904—William J. Wynn and Joseph H. Walker, have opened offices in the Jefferson County Savings Bank Building, Birmingham, Alabama, for the general practice of law, under the firm name of Wynn & Walker.

1904—Joseph S. Flynn has opened offices for the general practice of law at 44 Market St., Johnsonburg, Pa.

1904—Israel Nelson is located with the law firm of Swanstrom & Keyes, 20 Nassau St., New York City.

1904—Lloyd S. Ackerman is practicing law at 222 Swansome St., San Francisco, Cal.

1904 M. L.—John A. McKenzie is located in the Nebraska National Bank Building, Omaha, Nebraska, for the general practice of law.

1904—Charles W. Cramer, who is practicing law in Portland, Conn., was recently elected judge of the Probate Court for the District of Chatham.

1904—G. P. Hambrecht has formed a law partnership with H. C. Wipperman, with offices in the Wood Block, Grand Rapids, Mich.

1904—Miss Bessie Gilbert Mix, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Mix, of New Haven, and William Sumner Pritchard of Brockton, Mass., were married November 24th, in Brooklyn, N. Y., by the Rev. Bertram M. Tipples.