SCHOOL AND ALUMNI NOTES

Hereafter positions on the LAW JOURNAL will be allotted by the Faculty according to their judgment of the qualifications of the different men in the School. The Alumni Weekly states that these positions will be given to honor men. It is proper to remark that no such unqualified rule has been promulgated. The Secretary of the Law School has informed us that the exact decision of the Faculty was that their selections would be based chiefly on scholarship and literary capacity. Evidently the new method will tend both to better work in the School and on the part of members of the board in their productions for the JOURNAL.

'66 LL.D.—Rome G. Brown, Chairman of the Bar Association Committee to Oppose Judicial Recall, has ordered copies of "The Judiciary and The People," by the Hon. Frederick N. Judson, '66, LL.D., published by the Yale University Press, to be sent to each member of his committee. In ordering them, he said of the book: "The author has covered the subject historically, and leads up inevitably to the conclusion that Judicial Recall is a dangerous fallacy repugnant to our system of government. It is the most illuminating discussion which I have read. Mr. Judson's logic is unanswerable. He writes with perspicuity and handles the question so ably from the viewpoint of both the lawyer and the layman, that his conclusive argument will be read understandably and sympathetically by every intelligent reader."

'82—John Bliss Porter died in Elgin, Ill., on October 30. He was born in St. Augustine, Fla., on September 27, 1857, the son of Dr. John Bliss Porter, a graduate of the Pittsfield (Mass.) Medical College, and Mary Smith (Merriam) Holden Porter. In college he was a member of Kappa Sigma Epsilon, Delta Kappa Epsilon, Linonia and Quidlibet, and was one of the Class Day historians. He received the degree of LL.B. from the Yale Law School in 1882. He had lived most of the time since then in Chicago, Ill., where for several years he was engaged in the real estate business. Since 1892 he had been connected with the department of electricity of that city, and for many years had acted as its secretary. He was married, on April 12, 1898, to Miss Harriet Mary Winefride Bloxsin of Chicago, Ill., who died on April 12, 1904. They had one daughter.

'92—S. Cristy Mead, secretary of the New York Merchants' Association, was elected president of the American Association of Commercial Executives at St. Paul on September 27.

'92—Howard C. Joyce may be addressed at 69 South Swan Street, Albany, N. Y.
'94—Harold R. Durant has changed his address to 15 West Eighty-fourth Street, New York City.

'95—Edwin S. Thomas, who has been executive secretary to Governor Baldwin since November, 1910, has received an appointment as judge in the United States District Court of Connecticut.

'95—A dinner was given by members of the Class of '95 L., on the evening of December 1, at the Allyn House in Hartford, Conn., in honor of Edwin S. Thomas, recently appointed judge of the United States District Court of Connecticut. About twenty members of the class attended the dinner, at which Judge Samuel J. Bryant acted as toastmaster.

'97—The present residence address of Hugh T. Halbert and Clarence W. Halbert is 506 Summit Avenue, St. Paul, Minn.

'04—George P. Hambrecht has recently been appointed a member of the Board of Visitors of the University of Wisconsin. This is the governing board of the institution.

'07—Albert F. Judd read a paper before the Men's Club of St. Andrew, at Honolulu, on November 7. It has been published under the title "Needs of Honolulu Discussed in Plain Terms," as a reprint from the P. C. Advertiser of November 8.

'09—A son, Edward Jerome, Jr., was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jerome Quinlan of Norwalk, Conn., on November 18.

'09—R. Hunter McQuistion has been elected to the New York State Assembly from the first assembly district of Kings County. His plurality was 938 in a district nominally Democratic against a Democratic nominee and also a Progressive nominee.

'10 and '11—Clarence R. Hall and John T. L. Hubbard have formed a partnership for the general practice of law with offices at 710 and 711 Security Building, Bridgeport, Conn.

'10—John D. MacKay has removed from International Falls, Minn., to Tucson, Ariz., where he has opened an office for the practice of law at 87 Court Street.

'10—On November 7, Eldon L. Hilditch resigned as town clerk of Enfield, Conn., a position which he has held since 1911, and left Thompsonville to enter business in Los Angeles, Cal. His address will be 1947 Taft Avenue, that city.
Kenneth Wynne has been appointed executive secretary to Governor Baldwin of Connecticut, succeeding Edwin S. Thomas, '95 L.

Arthur T. Keefe is an attorney-at-law with John C. Seary, in New London, Conn., where he has his office at 125 State Street.

The marriage of Ella G., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Wolfe, and Frank J. McKay took place in Holyoke, Mass., on October 7. They are living at 206 Sargeant Street, Holyoke, Mass.

A son, Robert Franklin, was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. Robert Dexter at their home, 118 Park Place, Venice, Cal., on August 18.

A son, Richard Laughlin, was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. Nelson Tillotson of Chicago, Ill., on October 21.

Joseph B. Stevens has opened an office for the general practice of law in Rooms 1205-7-8, Mahoning Bank Building, Youngstown, Ohio.

Marshall R. Diggs has been with the law firm of Miller, Gorham & Wales, with offices at 1018-1022 New York Life Building, Chicago, Ill., since August 1.

J. Joseph MacCarthy is now in the offices of Taft & Stobbs, counsellors-at-law, 708 Slater Building, Worcester, Mass.

Thomas C. Flood is judge of probate for the town of Portland, Conn.

Leon H. Semonoff has opened an office as attorney and counsellor-at-law at 901-904 Union Trust Building, Providence, R. I.

Cornelius J. Sullivan is practicing law with the firm of Eidritz & Hulse at 31 Nassau Street, New York City.

Patrick B. O'Sullivan has been appointed corporation counsel for the town of Derby, Conn.