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David J. Sargent

Professor David J. Sargent, a member of the Law School faculty since 1955, has been appointed Dean of the Law School. His appointment follows Judge Francis J. Larkin’s decision to retain his seat as judge of the Milford Court.

Judge Larkin informed the Law School Committee of his decision at their July 25th meeting and it was agreed to cancel his appointment. He will continue his relationship with the University as Director of a new Institute of Judicial Relationship.

The time strictures imposed by the impending A.B.A. reaccreditation examination plus the obviously outstanding background of Professor Sargent prompted the Board of Trustees to forego formation of a new search committee and offer the position to Professor Sargent. Professor Sargent has accepted the Deanship and his appointment was effective July 27th.

A nationally recognized lecturer, Professor Sargent served as acting dean following the retirement of Dean Donald Simpson in 1972. Graduated first in his class from Suffolk Law School in 1954, Professor Sargent received the Juris Doctor degree magna cum laude.

Professor Sargent did his undergraduate work at the University of New Hampshire and has been professor of law since 1962. He has taught courses in Torts, Trusts, Appellate Court, Wills and Legal Method.

A member of the Massachusetts Bar Association and the New Hampshire Bar Association, Professor Sargent is also an honorary member of the Minnesota Bar Association. In the past nine years he has lectured to over 400 bar associations throughout the United States and Canada. He has also addressed numerous insurance, consumer protection and law student groups.

Author of numerous articles for legal, insurance and law school publications, Professor Sargent has been cited by the American Trial Lawyers Association for service to the bar and the public.

In addition to writing and lecturing, Professor Sargent has testified before the legislative committees of more than 30 states and was a member of the

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Associate Deans Named for Law School

Professors Malcolm M. Donahue and John E. Fenton Jr. have been appointed associate deans of the Law School. The Board of Trustees voted the appointments at their June meeting.

Deans Fenton and Donahue are long time professors at Suffolk. Professor Donahue became a member of the law faculty in 1956 and Professor Fenton joined the faculty in 1957.

Professor Donahue received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Harvard College in 1955 and his Juris Doctor from Boston University Law School in 1950. A former assistant attorney general for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, he is currently chairman of the Westwood Board of Appeals, a member of the Massachusetts Bar Association, the Norfolk County Bar Association, the Boston Bar Association and the American Bar Association.

Professor Donahue was a first lieutenant in the U.S. Army Field Artillery during World War II and served in the Philippines.

At Suffolk, he teaches Administrative Law, Municipal Corporation and Conflict of Laws. He has taught courses in Personal Property, Legal Methods, Legal Research and Senior Seminar. He is also chairman of the Curriculum Committee, the Admissions Committee, and the Scholarship Committee.

A cum laude graduate of Holy Cross College in 1951, Professor Fenton received his Juris Doctor degree from Boston College Law School in 1954 and received a Master of Laws degree from Harvard Law School in 1955.

At Suffolk, he is chairman of the Faculty Law Review Committee and faculty advisor to the Law Review; chairman of the Faculty Committee on Graduate and Continuing Legal Studies; faculty advisor to the Moot Court Program and a member of the Committees on Curriculum and Faculty Appointments and a chairman of the Faculty Loan Committee.

Professor Fenton teaches courses in the day and evening division in Evidence and Civil Procedure. He has also taught courses in Equity, Legal Methods, Senior Seminar, Professional Responsibility, Federal Jurisdiction, Land Court Jurisdiction and Practice, and Conveyancing.

A member of the Massachusetts bar since 1954, he is admitted to practice in the U.S. District Court, U.S. Court of Appeals, U.S. Court of Military Appeals and the U.S. Supreme Court. He also served as first lieutenant in the Judge Advocate General's Corps of the U.S. Army for 27 months.

Attention
Graduates of all programs in EDUCATION

Please see important announcement on the enclosed yellow form — the Education Department urgently needs your help in compiling data for program approval by the Massachusetts Department of Education.

Please complete the enclosed form and return it before you leave for summer vacation.

Annual Appeal - Updated Total

Annual Alumni giving has slowed somewhat due to the summer months and vacation time. The totals, however, represent 62 percent participation of our goal of 15 percent of the alumni body and the dollar amount is 56 percent of our goal of $50,000. Participation is up 41 percent over last year’s final count of total donors and dollars given to date exceed last year’s total by 27 percent. Below are the current totals by amount of gift. It’s not too late to help— if you have not contributed to the appeal, please send your gift to: Miss Dorothy McNamara, Annual Alumni Appeal, Suffolk University, Beacon Hill, Massachusetts 02114.

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Class of '23 - Fiftieth Reunion

One of the most active classes to have graduated from Suffolk is the Class of 1923. This spring they held their 50th reunion luncheon, and 17 of the 19 known members attended. Originally, there were 98 graduates of the Law School in 1923, and thanks to the efforts of Mr. Frank Daniels and other members of the class they have had reunions for the past twenty years. Mr. Daniels, a specialist in transportation law, has played an important role in keeping the members of the class in touch with one another.

The class is a unique one. Out of it came seven judges:
- Thomas Fitzpatrick, Charlestown Municipal Court*
- Daniel Gillen, Boston Municipal Court
- Eugene Hudson, Superior Court*
- Frankland W.L. Miles, Circuit Judge, Roxbury District Court
- Vincent Mottola, Boston Municipal Court
- James A. Mulhall, Quincy District Court
- Edward Viola, Cambridge District Court*

*deceased

Several members of the class have become outstanding lawyers and the class also boasts more members of the Century Club than any other class.

A high point of the luncheon was when Mr. Frank Daniels, class president, presented to President Fulham a check in the amount of $1,000 as a class gift. This is the first time such a gift has been presented to the University and the hope was stated that other classes would follow suit.

Those attending, other than the members of the class and their families were President and Mrs. Fulham, Judges Fenton and Donahue, Mr. and Mrs. James Matthew and Mr. Leo A. Wyman, a Law School professor who taught the class of 1923.

Members of the class attending were:

- Thomas Bresnahan
- George S. Drew
- Timothy J. Driscoll
- Charles T. Sexton
- John F. Smith
- Daniel Gillen
- Max Goldstein
- Walter F. Costello
- Frank Daniels
- Lawrence E. Hanson
- Frankland W.L. Miles
- Vincent Mottola
- James A. Mulhall
- Sebastian Ruggiero
- James M. McElroy
- Bernard Titlebaum
- Sidney S. von Loesecke

Judge James A. Mulhall was elected class president and plans are to continue these reunions.

Alumni News would like to congratulate the class of 1923 on their 50th reunion and hope that they have several more.
Suffolk Receives Two Grants

Two grants totaling $10,400 have been awarded to the University. The Jessie Smith Noyes Foundation, Inc., of New York awarded $8,400 to the Department of Chemistry for the program in Clinical Chemistry; and, the S & H Foundation awarded $2,000 to the Sociology Department for a lecture series.

The funds from the Jessie Smith Noyes Foundation will be used for students in their senior year of the program in Clinical Chemistry. The program is one of the few undergraduate sequences in the field in the country and the rigorous demands of practicum work at Beth Israel Hospital and academic work at the University make scholarship aid most important.

A lecture series entitled Prison Reform: The Agony of Change, will be made possible by the grant from the S & H Foundation. Structured by the Sociology Department, the series will focus on one of the most important social issues today.

Both grant proposals were prepared in conjunction with the Department of University Development.

DIRECTORS (Continued from page 1)

William J. Crowley, Jr., LLB '55, of Jamaica Plain
1963-1972
Joseph B. Shanahan, Jr., AB '72, of Chelmsford
Robert F. Ryan, BSBA '68, of Lynn
Thomas H. Fallon, JD '70, of Malden

A meeting of the full Board of Directors was held on July 17 at which time officers for the upcoming year were elected. Dr. George N. Torrey, BSBA '56, MA '57, former vice president of the Alumni Association, was elected president. Dr. Torrey is a college professor and educational writer. Elected to the office of Vice President was Thomas J. Casey, BSJ '68, JD '72. Mr. Casey is a practicing attorney, Clerk of the association is Mary Ann Gilleece, JD '72. Ms. Gilleece is an Assistant Attorney General in the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division.

Other members of the Board who are completing their terms in office are:

1906-1942
Frank Daniels, JD '23
Michael J. Rano, JD '29
George Goldstein, JD '37
John J. Bohan, JD '39
Charles Inman, JD '41
J. Chester Webb, JD '42
1943-1962
Claire M. Driscoll, AB '43
F. Edward Nicolas, AB '50
Edward V. Cogliao, BSBA '49
Gilbert Beers, BSBA '50
John J. Beades, AB '44, JD '48
Gilbert B. Ronk, JD '51
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John J. Norton, BS '55
Patricia McGovern, AB '62, JD '66
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John D. McCarthy, BSBA '62, MBA '69
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J. F. Scieszka, BS '63, MSBA '66
Frank A. Sablone, BSBA '70, M.Ed. '71

The full Board of Directors will meet in September to discuss plans for the academic year and to outline activities in all areas of alumni interest.

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advisory committee of the Keeton-O'Connell basic auto protection plan. He also served on a special commission on insurance appointed by Florida's Governor Ruben Askew.

Recipient of the Suffolk University Student Bar Association Award in 1967 and the Dean Frederick A. McDermott Award at Suffolk in 1968, Professor Sargent becomes the first Suffolk alumnus to serve as Dean of the Law School.

Alumni News would like to congratulate Professor Sargent on his appointment.

Alumni Fellows Nominations

Last year, three outstanding alumni were presented with the University's first Alumni Fellows Awards. Doctor Paul C. Buchanan, BSBA '50, M.Ed. '51, Judge Edward T. Martin, LLB '36 and Mr. George A. Strait, LLB '49 were each presented awards which cited them for their leadership, service and achievement.

Again this year, the awards will be presented at Homecoming. In preparation for the selection of Alumni Fellows you are asked to submit your nominations. Enclosed you will find a nominating form. Enclosed you will find a nominating form. Nominees must be graduates of the University and must have demonstrated distinguished service either through a professional career or social community involvement. He or she need not be a public figure but should reflect the ideals of the University. From your nominations, which must be received by September 14, 1973, final selections will be made. The selections will be made by a committee comprised of administrators and faculty here at Suffolk, who are themselves alumni of the University and who because they are members of the selection committee, are ineligible for the award.

These awards, which are given to three Suffolk graduates annually, are important. It enables the University to honor and single out alumni who have made Suffolk the important educational institution it is today. These distinguished alumni will also become members of the Alumni Fellows Council — an advisory council to the University. Each will receive a certificate and will be called upon from time to time for their expertise in various matters. In this way the University is able to utilize the boundless resources which exist within the alumni body and at the same time demonstrate to others the pride which we have in our alumni.

Please fill in the enclosed form and return to Miss McNamara in the envelope by September 14, 1973. Do not hesitate to nominate yourself or any alumnus whom you feel worthy of being considered. Your participation is imperative in that we cannot possibly know the achievements of each alumnus.