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April 29 - May 1

Invitation for Sec. Gen. to attend the Special Convocation
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THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO LAW SCHOOL

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THE NEW LAW BUILDINGS

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Rockefeller Memorial Chapel, 59th Street and Woodlawn Avenue

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Dedicatory Convocation
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"We have set out to surround our students with the whole life of the law."

*Edward H. Levi,
University of Chicago Law School*



The University of Chicago Law School. The six-story, glass-walled library looks out on a pool. To the left, the round building houses the auditorium and the courtroom. The long connecting link contains classrooms and seminar rooms. Staff offices are in the low buildings to the right.

"It seemed appropriate from the significance of the library to the task of educating in the law that the written word be given a position of prominence."

Eero Saarinen, Architect



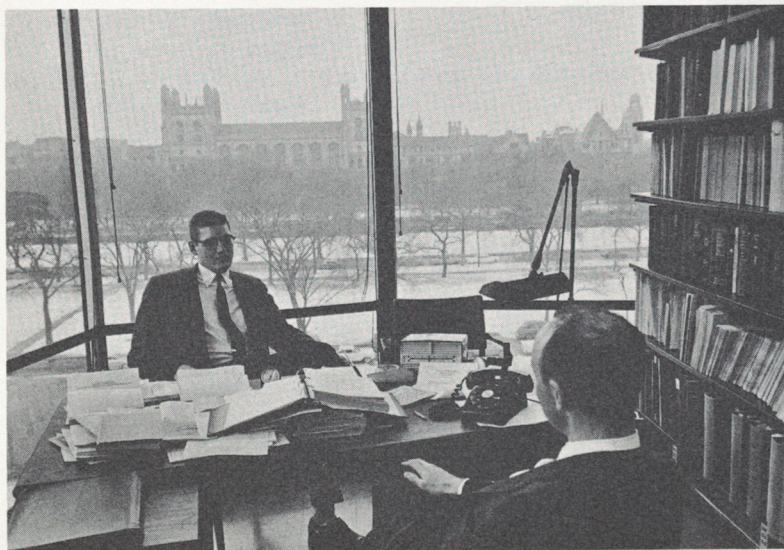
The John P. Wilson Reading Room is surrounded on four sides by stacks and study areas, the Law Review office and other special rooms, all of which have floor-to-ceiling windows for outside walls. The six-story building is air-conditioned.



Auditorium, class and seminar rooms all lead out to the James Parker Hall Concourse, where conversations can be freely carried on or started up. The architect planned it this way, because "so much of a lawyer's life is talk with other lawyers."



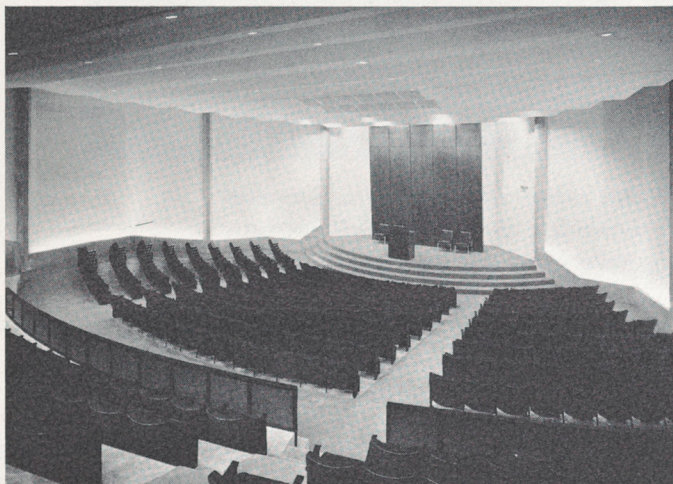
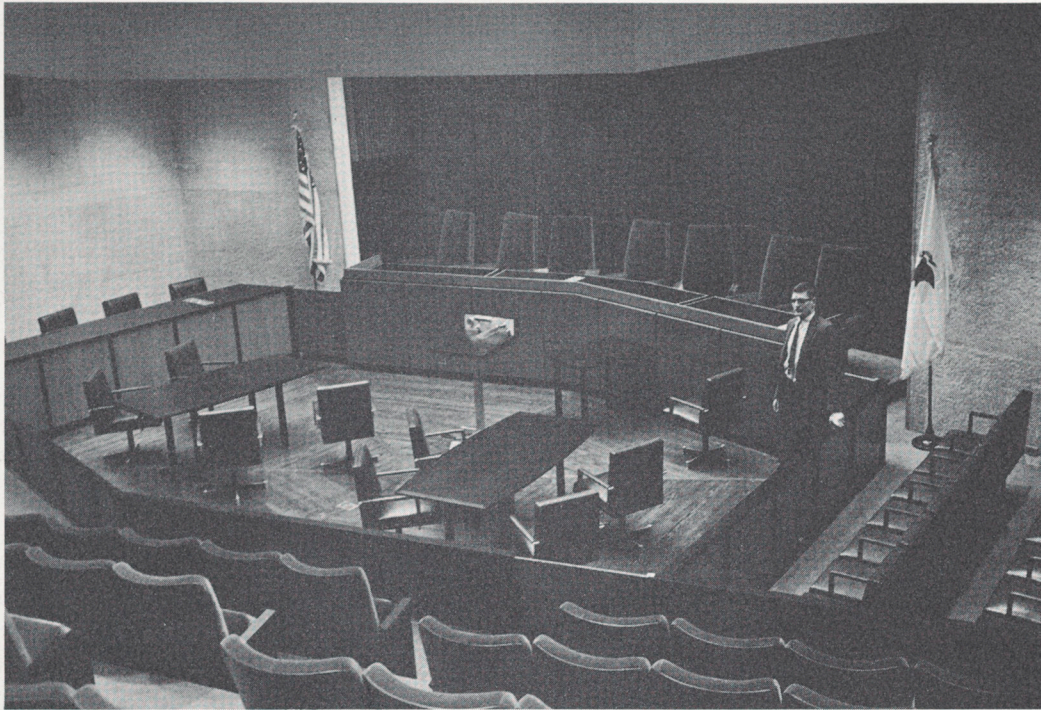
In the classroom-seminar building, there are four large classrooms (above, left), and five seminar-conference rooms, (above, right). These rooms dramatically symbolize the traditional emphasis of law schools on the large class taught by the Socratic case method and the newer emphasis, in which the University of Chicago has pioneered, on the tutorial and seminar methods.



The old and the new are seen in this view from a faculty office, on sixth floor of library building. Across the Midway can be seen towers of Harper Library. Faculty offices and study areas line outside walls of top three floors of the library, each of which has a central core of book shelves.

"He should have learned to think like a lawyer . . ."

*Viscount Kilmuir
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The Weymouth Kirkland courtroom has been equipped for various courts to hold actual sessions, as well as for student moot court competitions. The Supreme Court of Illinois, in its first sitting outside of Springfield, will inaugurate the courtroom when it hears regular pending cases there on April 29. The courtroom seats 170. One section of the central bench folds up, to become a witness box. Below is shown the auditorium, which seats 475, actually located above the courtroom.



In the Edwin F. Mandel Legal Aid Clinic, located in the classroom-seminar building, clients may be seen in private conference rooms. Students get a first hand knowledge of the working law here.

UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO LAW SCHOOL

PROGRAM for Celebration and Dedicatory Convocation April 29 - May 1, 1960

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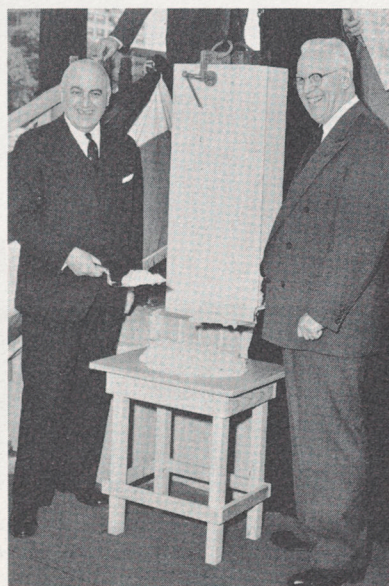
Law Day 1960 is a fitting occasion to culminate the dedicatory year events of the new Law Center of the University of Chicago.

The \$4,100,000 center opened October 5, 1959, providing a contemporary architectural setting to a distinctive tradition of legal education and service to the nation.

From the time of its inception in 1902, the University of Chicago Law School has had as its purpose the training of skillful practitioners who can relate their daily work to the basic political, economic and social trends of the changing American scene.

The four new buildings on the "cultural mile" along the Midway Plaisance on the campus were designed by Eero Saarinen to give physical expression to that philosophy. The new Law Center at 1121 East 60th Street occupies a square block between the American Bar Center and Burton-Judson Residence Halls.

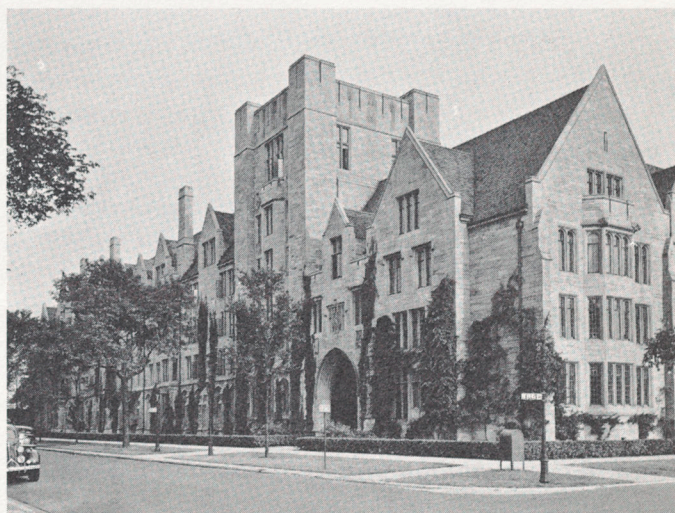
The cornerstone for the new buildings was laid May 28, 1958 by the Honorable Earl Warren, Chief Justice of the United States, and Viscount Kilmuir, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain.



Viscount Kilmuir and Chief Justice Warren at cornerstone ceremony.



The American Bar Center, home of the American Bar Association and affiliated organizations, one block east of the new Law Center.



Burton-Judson Residence Halls for men graduate students, directly west of the Law Center, is linked to it physically for convenient access.

THE DEDICATORY YEAR

During the dedicatory year 1959-60 international members of both bench and bar have participated in various events.

Vice President Richard Nixon, the highest ranking lawyer in the executive branch of the federal government, gave the first dedicatory address October 5, 1959.

Three dedicatory conferences were held. The first, on "The Public Servant," held on October 8, included Sir Percival Waterfield, K.B.E., former First Civil Service Commissioner of the United Kingdom, and retired Justice Stanley Reed of the U. S. Supreme Court.

Robert M. Hutchins, former Chancellor of the University of Chicago, now president of the Fund for the Republic, opened the second dedicatory conference, on "Power and Responsibility," on November 18.

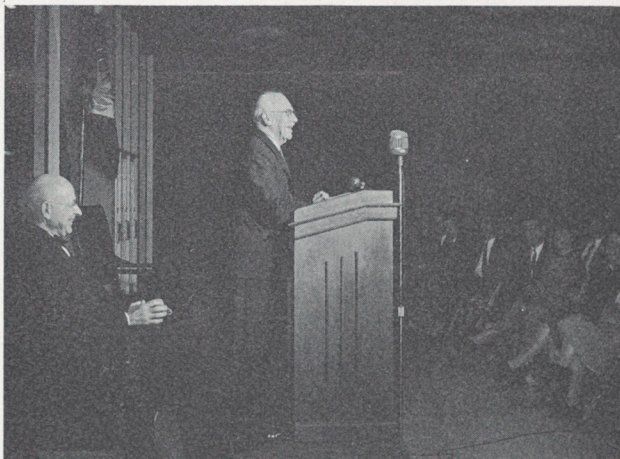
"Criminal Justice" was the topic of the third dedicatory conference, held January 7. Among the speakers was The Honorable Sir Patrick Devlin, Lord Justice of the Court of Appeal.

At other dedicatory events during the year, Lloyd Garrison, former dean of the University of Wisconsin Law School, now a partner in Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton and Garrison, New York law firm, spoke to the freshman class, on October 6; Jacob Viner, Professor of Economics at Princeton University, gave the Henry Simons Lecture on November 18; and The Right Honorable Lord Denning, of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council and the House of Lords, gave the Ernst Freund Lecture, on March 1.

Laird Bell, Honorary Trustee and former Chairman of the Board of Trustees, introduces retired Justice Stanley Reed of the U. S. Supreme Court at dedicatory conference.



Chancellor Lawrence A. Kimpton of the University of Chicago greets Vice President Richard M. Nixon before dedicatory speech.





Lights in the Library Building reflect in the pool as Vice President Nixon addresses an audience of 500 in the lounge on October 5, 1959, at the dedication of the building. The lounge was designed by architect Saarinen to be "the cross-roads of Law School life."

"The new University of Chicago Law School buildings are a great asset to both Chicago and the entire legal profession. They represent a major forward step in the establishment of an outstanding legal center on Chicago's Midway. The magnificent facilities will further strengthen the University of Chicago Law School's eminent position as one of the leading institutions of legal education in the nation.

"More than that, we of the American Bar Association believe the location of the new building, immediately adjacent to the American Bar Center, will facilitate the close working relationship that exists between the Law School and the national organizations of the bar which are housed in the Bar Center. These mutual efforts embrace, in addition to legal education itself, such activities as legal research, legal aid, continuing legal education for practicing lawyers and improvement of judicial administration and professional standards. We look forward to a mutually beneficial liason with the Law School in all these fields."

*John D. Randall, President
American Bar Association*