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IN BRIEF

Israeli Supreme Court Justice Aharon Barak Is 1988 Walter Fellow

The Honorable Aharon Barak, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Israel and legal counsel to Prime Minister Begin during the negotiation of the historic Camp David Peace Treaty, spent two days this fall teaching and lecturing at New York Law School as the 1988 Otto L. Walter Distinguished International Fellow.

The centerpiece of Justice Barak's visit was his October 17th presentation to a capacity audience in the Froessel Reading Room on "Human Rights without a Constitution."

In his lecture, Justice Barak contended that a written constitution is not necessary for the high courts of nations to interpret "constitutional" law. Citing the United Kingdom, New Zealand and other nations who join Israel in this practice he said, "Though the two types of constitutional law travel a different road and use different vehicles, in many cases, they reach identical destinations."

Distinguished Audience

Joining New York Law School faculty and students at the lecture were high ranking representatives of several foreign consulates, delegates to the United Nations, distinguished members of the judiciary, as well as federal, state and local government officials.

During his visit, Justice Barak met formally and informally with New York Law School faculty and students. He taught two of the Law School's scheduled classes, lecturing to Professor Lung-chu Chen's class in international law and Professor Nadine Strossen's class in constitutional law, and fielded questions from students who gathered around him at the end of his talks.

Justice Barak met with the faculty at a luncheon in his honor and conducted a



Hon. Aharon Barak addresses a capacity audience on "Human Rights Without a Constitution" in the Froessel Reading Room during his visit as the Otto L. Walter Distinguished International Fellow.

seminar for faculty members on judicial discretion, the subject of his forthcoming book, to be published by the Yale University Press in December.

Supreme Court Contrasts Presented

During his talk to Professor Strossen's class, Justice Barak spoke about the differences between the Israeli and U.S. Supreme Courts. A significant difference, he said, is the time it takes for a case to reach the high court. In contrast to the United States Supreme Court, which may hear arguments many years after the events of the case take place, the Israeli Court has the flexibility to hear cases within days, many times with the principals in the case present and involved. Rulings, he added, are handed down within hours, rather than weeks. But the

greater difference, he stressed, is that the Justices of the Israeli Supreme Court are placed in the sometimes difficult position of having their decisions put to an immediate and public test.

Decision Put To Public Test

Justice Barak gave the example of a request by an Arab citizens group to organize a march protesting the murder of one of its members during another protest march. The route selected was the same one in which the previous violence occurred. Israeli police deemed it impossible to insure the safety of the citizens group and denied the request. In the United States, years might pass before First Amendment rights would be argued before the Supreme Court. In Israel, Jus-

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Distinguished Bench Hears Arguments In Moot Court Competition

The 1988 Charles W. Froessel Moot Court Competition drew a standing room-only audience to the Froessel Reading Room on September 28th as the four student finalists presented oral arguments before five highly distinguished members of the judiciary.

On the bench were The Hon. Vincent R. Ballella, Jr., Justice of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of New York, Second Department; The Honorable Roger J. Miner '56, Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit; The Hon. John E. Sprizzo, Judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York; The Hon. Vito J. Titone, Judge of the Court of Appeals of New York and The Hon. Ellsworth A. Van Graafeiland, Senior Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit.

The fact pattern, which was prepared by Neil Capobianco, a third year student, centered on a seizure of adult bookstores under a state Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations (RICO) statute. The competitors argued the First and Eleventh Amendment implications surrounding the suit.

Lynn Mourey, a second year student, was selected as the final round winner. Ms. Mourey joined Susan Quarles, M. Colburn Williams and Lisa Varriale as the four finalists in the competition. The Best Brief Award was presented to Denise Quarles and Susan Quarles who also received the Best Team Award. Mr. Williams was recognized as Best Oralist.



M. Colburn Williams presents his argument.



Moot court competition finalists were (front, l. to r.) Lynn Mourey, Susan Quarles, Lisa Varriale, and M. Colburn Williams. Representing the Moot Court Association were (rear, l. to r.) Jim Morgan, Patrick Bonner and Chairman Dennis Prah.

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Author Eliot Asinof Speaks at Seminar on Sport and the Law

Eliot Asinof, author of *Eight Men Out: The Black Sox and the 1919 World Series*, joined New York Law School Professor Allen Boyer and Daniel F. Tritter, a practicing sports and entertainment attorney, at an informative and entertaining seminar entitled, "Say It Ain't So, Old Sport: *The Great Gatsby*, *The Black Sox*, High Finance and American Law."

The seminar, held October 27th, was sponsored by the Law and Humanities Institute and the New York Law School Professional Sports Law Association. The capacity audience heard a spirited discussion of one of America's most fascinating and turbulent periods, centering on the scandal in which eight members of the Chicago White Sox threw the 1919 World Series.

Scandal Was Inevitable

Mr. Asinof, whose book was recently produced as the John Sayles film, "Eight Men Out," said that the scandal was almost inevitable, given the circumstances of the time. The unhealthy influence that big-time gamblers held over the sport and the players simmering resentment of White Sox owner Charles Comiskey's heavy-handed methods combined to create a climate ripe for scandal, he said. It was the players, Mr. Asinof emphasized, who initiated "the fix," not Arnold Rothstein, the notorious gambler who is most often credited with masterminding the scheme. Rothstein did nothing more than bankroll an already existing fraud, he said.

The "Black Sox" scandal is important because it is not an isolated incident confined to the sports pages, but "a seminal story" in American history, according to Mr. Asinof. The complex get-rich-quick scheme, he said, characterized "a nation discovering an absence of any sound value system," and was "a lead-in to the horrors of the 1920's: prohibition, speakeasies, bootlegging and Al Capone."

The nation's response to the tarnishing of its beloved game should not be underestimated, Professor Boyer suggested. The moral outrage generated by the scandal helped set the tone for Prohibition and the backlash of organized crime and disregard for the law that accompanied it.

From Gamblers To Gatsby

The repercussions of the scandal found their way into American literature as well, Professor Boyer said. F. Scott Fitzgerald, he told the audience, was an ardent sportsman whose many acquaintances included Arnold Rothstein. Fitzgerald was so fascinated with Rothstein's influence and power that the Meyer Wolfsheim character in *The Great Gatsby* was modeled after him, Professor Boyer said. In the novel Wolfsheim is proudly introduced as "the man who fixed the World Series."

Mr. Tritter spoke about the potential for similar scandals and the inability of regulatory institutions to prevent them. Giving examples of what has happened and what could easily happen again, he cited tennis star Bill Tilden and the City College basketball team of the 1950's as examples, as well as nearly a dozen more minor scandals. Tilden allegedly collected so much in illegal payments during his ama-

teur career, he "almost didn't turn pro because he couldn't afford the pay cut," Mr. Tritter said. In one of the most infamous scandals of the 1950's members of the City College and other college basketball teams were successfully prosecuted in a widespread point-shaving scandal involving collusion with gamblers. Recent events including Canadian sprinter Ben Johnson's disqualification from the Summer Olympics for steroid use are evidence of sport's continuing vulnerability to corrupt influences, according to Mr. Tritter.

Mr. Asinof noted that for nearly each offense Mr. Tritter spoke of, there existed an organized and deliberate cover-up which was sometimes more damaging to the sport than the initial infraction. The baseball establishment's attempted cover-up of the "Black Sox" scandal showed that "every time one of America's systems gets threatened, the system becomes self protected," he said.



Sporting appropriate headgear are panel members (l. to r.) attorney Daniel F. Tritter, author Eliot Asinof and Professor Allen Boyer of the Law School.

Alumni Association Luncheon Is Scheduled For January 20 at The Plaza

The New York Law School Alumni Association has gained a respected reputation for offering the Law School community high quality programs and activities. A traditional highlight of the Association's activities has been, and continues to be, its Annual Luncheon, scheduled to coincide with the Annual Meeting of the New York State Bar Association.

This year's luncheon will be held on Friday, January 20th from 12:00 noon to 2:30 p.m. in the Baroque Room of the Plaza Hotel on Central Park South and Fifth Avenue. Association President Justice Ernst H. Rosenberger '58 has appointed Telesforo Del Valle, Jr. '82 as this year's luncheon chairman.

Mr. Del Valle and Dean James F. Simon will be joined by alumni, guests, students and faculty as various members of the Law School community are honored for their achievements. Mr. Del Valle is confident that this year's event will fulfill its mission of demonstrating the Association's continuing commitment to New York Law School and has asked every alumnus to help make the event a success. "It is incumbent upon each graduate to support this event and to involve as many of our colleagues as possible. This luncheon should be a showcase for the Law School and its Alumni Association," he said.

Reservations and additional information may be obtained by calling Lisa Hartley, Director of Alumni Affairs, at (212) 431-2800. Reservations may also be made by returning the reservation form at right.

The New York Law School Alumni Association has announced plans to forego its own gala dinner this year in favor of an "in concert" dinner with the Law School to assist in the Second Century Campaign. "We know you will enjoy this combined affair in the same fashion as if it were our own," said Alumni Association Vice President Stanley P. Doyle '49. The purpose of the plan is "avoiding duplication of time and expense, and above all, promoting the best interests of our school," he said. Details will be announced soon.



Luncheon Chairman Telesforo Del Valle, Jr. '82 (c.) discusses plans for the event with Lucille Paolillo Danahey, Associate Dean for Public Affairs (r.), and Lisa M. Hartley, Director of Alumni Affairs (l.).

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Dr. Otto L. Walter '54

tice Barak and his associates were asked to rule upon the case before the date of the planned march.

Justice Barak emphasized that the pressure that he and his fellow justices faced in making their decision—which was to allow the march to proceed—stemmed from the fact that the decisions made by his court not only set precedents, but are routinely tested on the streets of Israel in ways that sometimes end in violence. Justice Barak concluded his remarks with a recollection of the day of the march; sitting alone in his chambers, listening to the news on the radio, praying that the march would proceed without incident and his ruling would not result in more bloodshed. It did not.

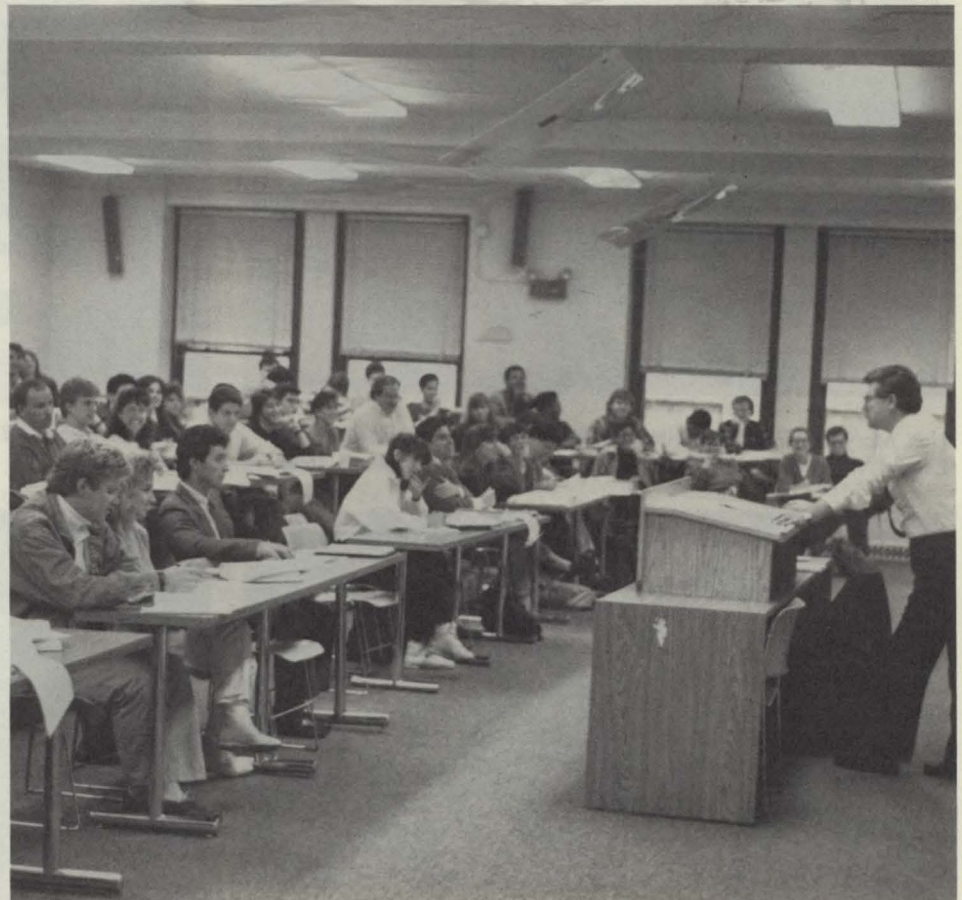
Diversified Career

Prior to his appointment to the Israeli Supreme Court in 1978, Justice Barak served as Dean of the Hebrew University Law School, a member of the Legal Division of the United Nations and Attorney General of the State of Israel. It was during his tenure as Attorney General that Justice Barak became involved in the drafting of the historic Camp David accord.

Justice Barak's visit was made possible through the support of the Otto L. Walter Distinguished International Fellow Program. The Program, founded in 1986, was established through the generosity of Dr. Otto L. Walter, a distinguished alumnus of the Class of 1954, an adjunct faculty member and prominent author in the field of international law.

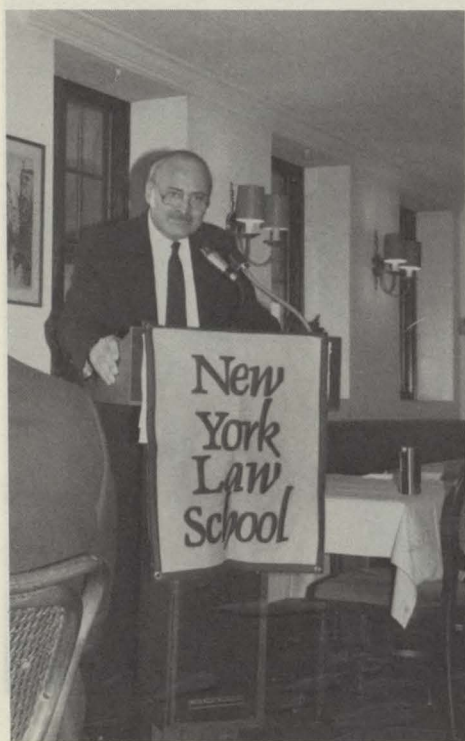


Justice Barak (l.) converses with (l. to r.) Law School Professors Zuhayr A. Moghrabi, Nadine Strossen and Ruti Teitel.



Justice Barak lectures to Professor Strossen's class on constitutional law.

New Jersey and Albany Alumni Gather at Fall Regional Luncheons



Hon. Roger J. Miner '56

Receptions for New York Law School alumni residing in the New Jersey and Albany regions received outstanding support as the Law School held their annual fall Alumni Luncheons.

The New Jersey luncheon was held September 29th at The Essex Club in Newark and hosted by Edward Fitzpatrick '67. The Hon. Maryanne Trump Barry, Judge of the U.S. District Court in N.J., was the guest speaker and Basil F. O'Connor '75, Treasurer of the Law School Alumni Association welcomed the assembled alumni on behalf of the Association.

On October 13th, at Albany's La Sarre restaurant, the Hon. Roger J. Miner '56, Judge of the U.S. Court of Appeals, Second Circuit, combined political humor and a sober account of the challenges of self regulation of the legal profession in a speech before the Law School's Albany alumni. The proceedings were introduced with a welcoming address by Richard M. Meyers '58, who also served as host of the luncheon.

Both receptions were highlighted by a brief "State of the Law School" address by Dean James F. Simon. Alumni were brought up to date on current admissions' data, specialized academic programs, and were introduced to the Second Century Campaign to support the Law School's most consequential addition, The Mendik Library.

Alumni luncheons serve an important role in enabling New York Law School Alumni to maintain close ties with classmates, colleagues and friends. The Spring Alumni Luncheon schedule is as follows:

March 7th
Washington, D.C.

April 6th
Brooklyn/Queens

April 12th
Connecticut



Hon. Maryanne Trump Barry speaks in New Jersey as Arthur W. Hyde '54, Edward N. Fitzpatrick '67, Patrick T. McGann '58 and Dean Simon listen.



Albany host Richard M. Meyers '58 (c.) with Dean Simon (r.) and alumni including son Robert L. Meyers '87.



Hon. Harold Lieberman '50 (l.) and Richard H. Thomas '50, who had not seen each other since graduation, were reunited at Albany.



New Jersey alumni enjoy the reception at the Essex Club in Newark.



Classes of '38 and '78 Celebrate Reunions

New York Law School graduates separated by 40 years, but united in support of the Law School gathered in impressive numbers at class reunions inaugurating the School's Second Century Campaign.

On September 26th, members of the Class of '38 assembled at the Merchants Club to celebrate their 50 year reunion. In recognition of their golden anniversary, the Class of '38 has set a goal of \$50,000 as a class gift to the Law School's Second Century Campaign. The class is already well on the way to meeting its goal, with over \$20,000 raised to date.

In celebration of their 10 year reunion, members of the Class of '78, have pledged more than \$4,000 to the Campaign thus far. A check representing the initial commitment of the Class' gift was presented to

Dean James F. Simon at its 10 Year Reunion Dinner on October 28th in the Faculty Dining Room of the Law School.

The class gifts are among the first contributions received in the Law School's \$15,000,000 Second Century Campaign to support the purchase and renovation of the newly established Mendik Library. The Library's dedication is scheduled to coincide with New York Law School's centennial anniversary celebration in 1991.

All alumni will soon receive invitations to participate in the Second Century Campaign through a Class Giving Program designed to help New York Law School strive towards its goal of becoming the premier urban law school in the country.

Clockwise from upper left: • Dean Simon (r.) examines the Class of '38 graduation photo with class members Jerome Katz, Frank K. Woodfin and Ethel Epstein. • Members of the Class of 1938: (front, l. to r.) Edward Phillips, Ethel Epstein, Jerome Katz, (rear, l. to r.) Murray T. Koven, Nathan Tanen and Frank K. Woodfin. • Nancy Kram, Judith Twena and Eleanor Fink check the guest list at the Class of '78 reunion. • Mrs. Simon and Dean Simon greet Frank Irizarry '78 and Nancy Kram '78.

NEW YORK LAW SCHOOL WINTER '88 - '89 CALENDAR

Thursday, December 1st	Communications Media Center Forum. "Fiber Optics, Cable and Other New Video Media: Can Broadcast Television Survive?," 5:30 p.m. Faculty Dining Room 47 Worth Street.
Wednesday, December 14th	New York Law School Alumni Association Annual Meeting.
Friday, January 20th	Alumni Association Annual Luncheon Plaza Hotel 12:00 Noon.-2:30 p.m.
Sunday, February 5th	Program for Mid-Year Graduates
Tuesday, March 7th	Washington, D.C. Alumni Luncheon University Club
Thursday, March 9th - Sunday, March 12th	Wagner Moot Court Competition
Wednesday, March 15th	Communications Media Center Forum. Judge Harold Green, speaker.

Alumni Directory Questionnaire Mailed

All New York Law School alumni with current addresses on file with the Office of Alumni Affairs will be receiving an important Alumni Directory Questionnaire in January. Its purpose is to provide every alumnus the opportunity to be accurately listed in the upcoming edition of the New York Law School Alumni Directory. Please be complete and return your directory questionnaire as soon as possible. If the questionnaire is not returned, there is a possibility you may be inadvertently omitted. If you have any questions concerning the Directory, please contact Lisa Hartley, Director of Alumni Affairs, at (212) 421-2809.



Colorization and the Law

The legal ramifications of "colorizing" black-and-white motion pictures were discussed at an October 27 seminar, "The Colorization Controversy," sponsored by the Law School's Communications Media Center. Participating on the panel were (l. to r.) Eric Schwartz, Policy Planning Adviser at the Library of Congress; Bruce D. Sokler, an attorney practicing entertainment law; Professor Edward B. Samuels, of the Law School, and Ralph S. Brown, Visiting Professor at the Law School and Simeon E. Baldwin Professor Emeritus of Law at Yale University.

Faculty News

Professor Michael Botein's article, "The Competitiveness of the U.S. Telecommunications Industry: A New York Case Study" has been published in 6 *Cardozo Arts & Ent. L.J.*

Georgia Law Review has accepted **Professor Allen Boyer's** review of *What's Wrong With Wall Street* by Louis Lowenstein, and *The Predator's Ball: The Junk-Bond Raiders and the Man Who Staked Them*, by Connie Bruck. On July 17 he published a *New York Times* book review *The Tempered Zeal: A Columbia Law Professor's Year on the Streets with the New York City Police*, by Richard Uviller.

Professor Robert Blecker's play "Vote NO!" has been performed at the Piccolo Spoleto Festival in Charleston, S.C.; the House of Representatives of South Carolina on Bicentennial Day; Clemson University, Fordham Law School, the University of Miami of Ohio, the University of North Dakota and the annual State Dinner of the Attorneys General of the United States.

Professor Ralph Brown has published "Adherence to the Berne Copyright Convention: The Moral Rights Issue," 35 *Journal of the Copyright Society* 196 (1988). In June he testified before the House Judiciary Subcommittee on the protection of industrial designs and in September he testified about trademark law revision.

Professor George Dent's article, "Religious Children, Secular Schools," has been published at 61 *Southern California Law Review* 863.

Professor B.J. George delivered a lecture on July 5th on "Trends in Correctional Philosophy and Practice in the United States", at UNAFEI, Fuchu, Tokyo, Japan. From August 29-Sept. 1, Professor George participated in U.S./Japan Bilateral Session, A New Era in Legal and Economic Relations, serving as co-chair of the panel "Criminal Enforcement Process" held in Tokyo. Professor George has also published "Discretionary Authority of Public Prosecutors in Japan," in *Law and Society in Contemporary Japan: American Perspectives* 263-88 (J. Haley ed., 1988).

Professor Charles F. Gibbs wrote "Wills, Estates & Surrogates Practice" in *The New York Law Journal* on June 10th.

Professor Larry Grosberg spoke at the AALS Civil Procedure Teacher Workshop on the use of the Buffalo Creek materials in the classroom. He also took part in a special meeting on "Sanctioning Frivolous Litigation in State and Federal Courts" sponsored by the State/Federal Judicial Council of New York.

Professor Randolph Jonakait participated this summer as an instructor in the Legal Aid Society's Trial Advocacy Program. Professor Jonakait also took part in the New York State Assembly Joint Public Forum to review DNA Fingerprinting and its potential uses in civil and criminal cases.

Professor Arthur Leonard spoke this summer on AIDS and employment discrimination at AIDS/ARC Update '88 in San Francisco and for a Practicing Law Institute Continuing Legal Education Satellite Network broadcast. His article, "The Legal Position of Lesbians and Gay Men in the United States" has been published in the *Second International Lesbian and Gay Association Pink Book*; (University of Utrecht, The Netherlands.) He has published an introduction to a lengthy symposium on AIDS entitled "Forward: The Legal Challenge of AIDS", 12 *Nova Law Review* 961 (Spring '88). An excerpt from his article "AIDS and Employment Law Revisited" has been included in the new casebook *Labor and Employment Law* (Rabin, Silverstein & Schatzki;) West Publishing Company. Professor Leonard has been appointed to the Advisory Committee for Volunteer Services for AIDS Clients of the Jewish Board of Family and Children's Services, Inc. The Board coordinates a variety of programs by Jewish social welfare agencies to deal with AIDS-related issues.

He has also been named President to The Bar Association for Human Rights of Greater New York.

Professor Jethro Lieberman's book, *The Enduring Constitution*, published by West Publishing was awarded the 1988 Silver Gavel Award in the 31st annual ABA Gavel Awards Competition. This is the second time Professor Lieberman has been honored with this award. Professor Lieberman took part in the 4th Annual Thomas P. O'Neill Symposium on American Politics at Boston College on October 21st.

Professor Bill Natbony's article, "The

Tax Incentives for Research and Development: An Analysis and a Proposal" was published in 76 *Georgetown Law Journal* 347 (1987).

Professor Michael Perlin will be honored with the American Academy of Psychiatry and Law's "Amicus" award for 1988. The award is presented to the non-psychiatrist who has done the most to further the relationship between law and forensic mental health professionals. He will be presenting Grand Rounds at Kirby Forensic Psychiatric Center in N.Y.C. in September, on the right of pretrial detainees to refuse the administration of psychotropic medication. Professor Perlin also presented to the annual conference of the State Mental Health Forensic Directors on significant legal developments in forensic mental health.

Professor W. Bernard Richland wrote "Reversing a Bad-Faith Dismissal" in *The New York Law Journal* on June 28th.

Professor Joyce Saltalamachia has been named to the standing committee of the ABA Gavel Awards.

Professor David Schoenbrod's article, "The Measure of an Injunction" was published in 72 *Minnesota L. Rev* 627 (1988).

Professor Richard Sherwin's article, "A Matter of Voice and Plot: Belief in Suspicion in Legal Storytelling" has been accepted by *Michigan Law Review* for December publication.

Professor Marjorie Silver's article, "Evening the Odds: The Case for Attorney's Fee Awards for Administrative Resolution of Title Vi and Title Vii Disputes," will be published in volume 67 of the *North Carolina Law Review*. She has also been appointed to the Civil Rights Committee of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York.

Professor Nadine Strossen's article, "The Fourth Amendment in the Balance: Accurately Setting the Scales through Least Intrusive Alternative Analysis" has recently been accepted by the *N.Y.U. Law Review*. She also gave keynote addresses to ACLU conferences in Wisconsin and Missouri. In addition, Professor Strossen has recently been appointed to the National Legal Committee of the American Jewish Committee.

Professor Ruti Teitel spoke about the legal responses to the Holocaust at an International Scholar's Conference at Oxford University, Keble College.

Class Action

1921

Frederick Katz was guest of honor at a testimonial dinner celebrating his 90th birthday at the Hebrew Hospital for Chronic Sick Foundation, Inc.

1951

Bernard M. Eiber, former President of the New York Law School Alumni Association and former President of the Queens County Bar Association, has been elected chairman of the New York State Bar Association's 4,000 member General Practice Section.

1953

John DeLeonardis has been appointed to the Town of Oyster Bay (NY) Board of Ethics.

1958

Frederick D. Williams was elected President of the Cumberland County (Maine) Bar Association at the Association's Annual Meeting in Portland.

1960

Barry Feinstein has been nominated by Governor Cuomo to serve on the Metropolitan Transportation Authority's Board of Directors. Mr. Feinstein is president of the Teamsters City Employees Union Local 237 and chairman of the Public Employee Conference.

Paula S. Seider has been appointed a member of the 10th Judicial District Grievance Committee for the Appellate Division, 2nd Department.

1965

Alan M. Grosman coordinated a seminar on "Sex Allegations in Custody Disputes" for the Essex, Hudson, Union and Morris County Bar Associations. Mr. Grosman also addressed the annual meeting of the American Bar Association in Toronto. His presentation was entitled, "Requiem for the Matrimonial Bomber—The New Image of the Matrimonial Litigator."

Mauro C. Romita has been appointed to The Bank of New York's Northern Division Regional Board. He is President, C.O.O. and a Director of Castle Coal and Oil and is a Director of Consolidated Boiler Service.

1968

William Catucci, Vice President of External Affairs for the eastern region of AT&T, has been elected to the Board of Directors of the Westchester County Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Lorraine S. Miller led a judicial mission of seven judges to the courts in Australia and New Zealand this past summer.

1970

Harold Kuplesky has been named Executive Vice President of Financial Services Inc., the economic development bank for New York City.

1971

Stephen J. Gassman has been appointed the 89th President of the Nassau County Bar Association.

Steven S. Greenberg and **Alan J. Schnurman** have been installed as President and First Vice President respectively of the Association of Trial Lawyers of the City of New York.

George H. Madison is seeking his 7th term as New York State Assembly member. Mr. Madison represents the 22nd Assembly District.

1973

Leonard A. Mancusi was recently honored with the rank of Cavaliere in the Order of Merit of the Republic of Italy.

1974

Eugene Natale was appointed to the Lynbrook Village Board as a Trustee.

1975

Paul Bennett Garland married Elizabeth Jane Gross, M.D. in April.

Joan E. Lisante is the author of *We Deliver*, a humorous book on pregnancy, delivery and putting oneself back together for the over-30, first-time, professional mother.

1976

Patrick F. X. Mulhearn, former Counsel to the Mayor of New York, has accepted a management position at New York Telephone. As Counsel to the Mayor, Mr. Mulhearn headed the Mayor's Task Force on Managerial Employees and helped shape anti-corruption reforms instituted by the Koch administration. Mr. Mulhearn was also instrumental in the

development of the Vietnam veterans memorial in lower Manhattan and helped organize the parade in their honor.

1978

Neal S. Greenfield has joined the law firm of Scully, Scott, Murphy & Presser in Garden City, New York, where he continues to specialize in the fields of trademark, copyright and unfair competition law.

1979

Jonah Triebwasser has been appointed an Administrative Law Judge (Unemployment Insurance Referee) with the New York State Department of Labor. He is a former Assistant Corporation Counsel for the City of New York.

Cary B. Cheifetz recently lectured on valuation aspects of divorce before the New Jersey Institute for Continuing Legal Education and New Jersey Society of Certified Public Accountants. Mr. Cheifetz practices family law with the firm of Skoloff & Wolfe, Esqs., of Livingston and Morristown, New Jersey.

1980

John F. Kuntz has been appointed Vice President and Counsel at the Howard Savings Bank.

1981

Lisa J. Savitt has joined the firm of Hughes, Hubbard & Reed in Washington, DC, as an aviation associate.

1982

Thomas E. Gass was married on June 26, 1988 to Sousan Azimi-Sanavi.

Mary Libassi and **Steven J. Hornstein** proudly announce the birth of their daughter, Alison Nicole.

1983

Stephen P. Cohen's second novel, *Island of Steel* has been published by William Morrow.

Karen Honeycutt has been made partner at Vladeck, Waldman, Elias & Engelhard.

Richard W. Littleton married Theresa Lucy on May 7, 1988.

John J. Ruskin has joined Cushman Realty Corporation in Los Angeles.

1984

E. Drew Britcher was recently awarded

the 1988 Professional Achievement Award from the New Jersey State Bar Association, Younger Lawyers Division.

Donald W. Dickson II has been appointed Executive Assistant to the President of Telco International, Inc., a telecommunications engineering, installation and consulting firm in Dallas, Texas.

Brian T. Foley was recently married to Laura Ann Miller.

Hilarie S. Rabin joined the Schulman Realty Group in White Plains, New York as a leasing representative.

Christopher Hadley Stevens and Cori Elizabeth Daggett were married July 23rd in Albany, New York.

Bruce Jay Turkle was married on May 28, 1988 to Marcia Judith Nackenson.

1985

John J. Brogan and **Amy Genthner Brogan** proudly announce the birth of their daughter, Katherine Ann on January 28, 1988.

Joseph J. Cardino was the Republican candidate for the Second Congressional District on Long Island.

Sherri F. Donovan and **Jenny Lim** have started a new law firm dealing in housing and entitlement, commercial rent arbitration, and immigration law.

1986

Laura L. Ellenberger was married to Brandon Rainoff in October.

1987

Dawn S. DeWeil is an Assistant Regional Counsel with the Office of the General Counsel, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. She represented the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services before Judges Cardamone, Pratt and Chief Judge Feinburg.

Eliot Engel was elected to Congress from New York's 19th District in the Bronx.

Robert Meyers was appointed as a Law Clerk for Judge Roger J. Miner.

Aphrodite Carolyn Pappas was recently married to Brian Paul Koscelansky.

Marvin Powell, Jr., former NFL All Pro for the New York Jets, started his new career as an attorney at the firm of Dewey, Ballantine, Bushby, Palmer & Wood.

1988

Peter M. Frankel was appointed to the staff of the Bronx District Attorney's office.

Carla B. Freedman was appointed prosecutor in the office of Manhattan District Attorney Robert M. Morgenthau.

Brian Graifman was appointed Law

Clerk for Judge Roger J. Miner.

Neil D. Honschjke was appointed to the staff of the Brooklyn Prosecuting Attorney's office.

Chris K. Iijima was appointed Law Clerk for Judge Charles E. Stewart.

Hugh G. Jasne was appointed to the staff of the Bronx District Attorney's office.

Howard J. Kaplan was appointed Law Clerk for Judge Edmund L. Palmieri.

Irwin Nack was appointed prosecutor in the office of Manhattan District Attorney Robert M. Morgenthau.

Ellen Rosner was the recipient of the Nathan Burkan Prize for her paper entitled "The Scholar and the Copyright Law: J.D. Salinger v. Random House." Her work secured special commendation from ASCAP.

David N. Sternlieb was appointed to the staff of the Brooklyn Prosecuting Attorney's office.

John C. Sullivan was appointed prosecutor to the office of Manhattan District Attorney Robert M. Morgenthau.

Thomas A. Swyers was married to Cheryl Ann Rauch on Aug 21, 1988.

Nelson S. Torre and **Lisa M. Viscardi** have been appointed to the staff of the Bronx District Attorney's office.

In Memoriam

David T. Wilentz '17 one of New York Law School's prominent graduates, died at the age of 93 on July 6th at his home in Long Branch, New Jersey. Mr. Wilentz attained national and international recognition as the New Jersey Attorney General who, in 1935, successfully prosecuted Bruno Richard Hauptmann in the Lindbergh kidnapping case.

His success in the Lindbergh trial in 1935, the first case he ever prosecuted, catapulted Mr. Wilentz to national prominence and political influence within New Jersey's Democratic Party. He had been a delegate to every Democratic National Convention since 1940 and was eventually appointed as a member of the Democratic National Committee.

Following his career as Attorney General, Mr. Wilentz founded one of the

state's largest law firms, Wilentz, Goldman and Spitzer based in Woodbridge where he worked until his death.

Mr. Wilentz was eulogized by New Jersey Governor Thomas Kean as "a figure and personality of near legendary proportions... a dynamic individual who channeled his abundant energies into serving his community and his state." U.S. Senator Bill Bradley said of Mr. Wilentz, "He was the consummate public spirited citizen... intelligent, involved and caring."

Louis S. Freeman '25 on June 14, 1988.

Joseph Slifkin '25 on September 12, 1988 in Montclair, New Jersey.

John F. Finn, Jr. '28, on October 17 in Sea Cliff, N.Y. He was a member of the Law School's Harlan Fellows and former senior partner at Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson.

Kenneth D. Shearer, Sr. '32 on February 22nd in Carrboro, North Carolina.

Mr. Shearer was a former Assistant Attorney General.

Edward Kramer '37 on June 8, 1988.

Walter H. Gladwin '41 on June 12, 1988 in Goshen, New York.

Theodore Dachenhausen, Jr. '49, a justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York on July 22, 1988 in New York City.

Norman Feit '49 on July 28, 1988 in Hollywood, Florida.

James G. Looby '60 on June 3, 1988. He was a Democratic Committeeman in Albany, New York.

Harvey Margulies '63 on June 16, 1988 in Elizabeth, New Jersey.

Raymond F. Reed '64 on September 6, 1988.

Frank A. Cugini '73 on August 11, 1988 in Ringwood, New Jersey. Mr. Cugini was senior vice president of First Fidelity Bank in Newark.

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First Year Students Welcomed to NYLS

Top right: Joan R. Fishman, Assistant Dean for Student Affairs, (l.) greets first-year students Marci Goldstein and Joshua Thier at a welcoming reception held in the Faculty Dining Room in October. Below: Professor Marjorie A. Silver (c.) talks with incoming students.

