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FIFTH ANNUAL TIDEWATER TAX CONFERENCE

Arrangements have been completed for the Tax Conference to be held in the Phi Beta Kappa Hall on the campus at Williamsburg on Saturday, December 12, 1959. Information concerning the program content is attached. Printed copies of the program with registration cards are now being mailed.

FACULTY ACTIVITIES

President Chandler has appointed a Law Library Committee consisting of Professors Atkeson, Cormack and Phelps as Chairman. This Committee is establishing improved methods of obtaining additional acquisitions of basic materials and other items.

Professor Thomas C. Atkeson addressed the Peninsula Chapter of the Virginia Society of Certified Public Accountants in Newport News on October 21, 1959, with reference to the aims and objectives of the Fifth Annual Tidewater Tax Conference.

Professor Arthur W. Phelps attended a meeting of the Committee on Continuing Legal Education in Charlottesville, Virginia, on October 24, 1959.

Professor Phelps' book, "Handbook of Virginia Rules of Procedure in Actions at Law" is now available and is being used by the students in the course in Virginia Procedure.

Professor James P. Whyte, along with law professors from New York University, University of Colorado, Harvard, Rutgers, the University of Kansas, Wayne State, and George Washington University, has been named to the Committee on Continuing Legal Education of the Association of American Law Schools.

Professor Whyte addressed the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Williamsburg at its October dinner meeting on the topic of ORGANIZATIONAL PROBLEMS OF LABOR. He traced the rise of labor unions on the basis of national legislation, and discussed problems likely to be encountered by employers as the South becomes more industrialized.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Lockers for law students have been installed in the area adjacent to the Library.

A legal film program has been initiated by the Student Bar Association. Movies will be shown each Monday and Wednesday for the remainder of the semester. Many aspects of the law are covered. Funds will be available to continue the program into the spring semester if interest justifies it.

The News Letter regrets the inadvertent omission of the name of Charles R. Cloud from the list of B.C.L. graduates this past June. Mr. Cloud is now associated with Mr. Gordon Campbell, National Bank of Commerce Building, Norfolk.

FIFTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

PROCEEDINGS- The speakers will point up the issues involved in the following subjects and comment upon how they should be resolved. A request for questions to be submitted in advance of the Conference to guide the speakers in covering points of greatest interest has been included in the registration card.

REGISTRATION - 9:00 to 9:30 A.M.

MORNING SESSION - 9:30 A.M. to 12:15 P.M.

Chairman - Norman A. Sugarman
Baker, Hostetler and Patterson
Cleveland, Ohio

SHORT TERM TRUSTS

What are they taxwise; how can they be used for tax savings; what pitfalls to be avoided; how gift taxes are involved; and what is the effect of the throw-back rule?

J. W. Hornsby, Jr.
Saunders, Carleton and Hornsby
Newport News, Virginia

MULTI-CORPORATE VERSUS SUBCHAPTER S CORPORATION

In connection with residential subdivisions

Robert L. Freeman
Daniels, Turnbull and Freeman
Newport News, Virginia

TAX EFFECTS OF DIVORCE, MARITAL SEPARATION AND SUPPORT AGREEMENTS

Lester I. Bowman
Petersburg, Virginia

LUNCHEON SESSION - 12:30 P.M. to 2:00 P.M.

In the Colony Room of Trinkle Hall

Presiding- Honorable James M. Robertson
Rector, College of William and Mary

Remarks- Dr. Alvin Duke Chandler
President, College of William and Mary

AFTERNOON SESSION - 2:15 P.M. to 4:30 P.M.

Chairman - Charles L. Kaufman
Norfolk, Virginia

FEDERAL TAX LIENS

William T. Plumb
Hogan and Hartson
Washington, D. C.

CURRENT CASES AND RULINGS

David Boyd Chase
J. K. Lasser and Company
New York, N. Y.