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Once again the annual turnover in Journal staff has taken place. The new Board began with the usual mixed emotions-extreme fear and intense pride. However, the Board members have plunged into their new duties and with this issue now have their jobs well in hand. The present Board of Editors congratulates the outgoing Board for their fine job during the past year. Undoubtedly, the outgoing Board was unsurpassed in dedication and cohesiveness. The Board realizes the shoes that must be filled and accepts the challenge, not only to maintain their excellence, but to expand on this.

The proposition has been suggested and discussed around the Journal offices to change the name of the Journal to embody the name of the University. Proponents contend that the public has no conception of "where we are" or that Southern Methodist University, School of Law is involved. In fact, rumors have it that the Journal is "in Georgetown, Texas." The Board would appreciate your views on this.

The Board of Editors has reached a relatively large size for this time of year. Maridell Jantz and William Pat Weir have recently been elected to the Board to give us fourteen members.

The Journal is proud to announce the addition of seventeen Invitees. They are: James P. Brashear, James W. Brennan, Frank M. Burke, Michael T. Garrett, Wesley W. Hepworth, Arthur E. Hewett, Joseph M. Hill, Gerald R. Jenkins, Steve G. McDonald, Edgar D. Miller, Ronald L. Palmer, William N. Rees, Joseph R. Riley, Robert D. Scoggins, Charles M. Solomon, Don E. Stokes, and J. Rufus Wallingford. The addition of these Invitees brings the total number of student writers to thirty-one for the coming year.

The Southwestern Legal Foundation has announced the following Institutes: Institute on Marketing and Transportation in the Petroleum Industry, September 12-13, 1963; Fourth Annual Institute on Planning and Zoning, September 26-28, 1963; Fifth National Institute for Petroleum Landmen, October 3-5, 1963; Tenth Annual Institute on Labor Law, October 31 - November 2, 1963; Institute on Personal Injury Litigation, November 21-23, 1963; Institute on Narcotics and Burglary, November 4-6, 1963 (tentative); Third Annual Institute on Government Contracts, November 14-16, 1963; Fifteenth Institute on Oil and Gas Law and Taxation, February 12-14, 1964; Institute on Wills and Probate, March 5-6, 1964; Institute on Patent Law, March 12-13, 1964; Institute on Petroleum Economics, March 19-20, 1964; Institute on Eminent Domain, April 30-May 1, 1964.

The Board is looking forward to the coming year with the Journal. We hope to improve the publication in many ways. In this, we earnestly solicit your help by subscriptions, suggestions, and publishable material. With the addition of our Advisory Board, the Journal now needs active, participating alumni and readers.