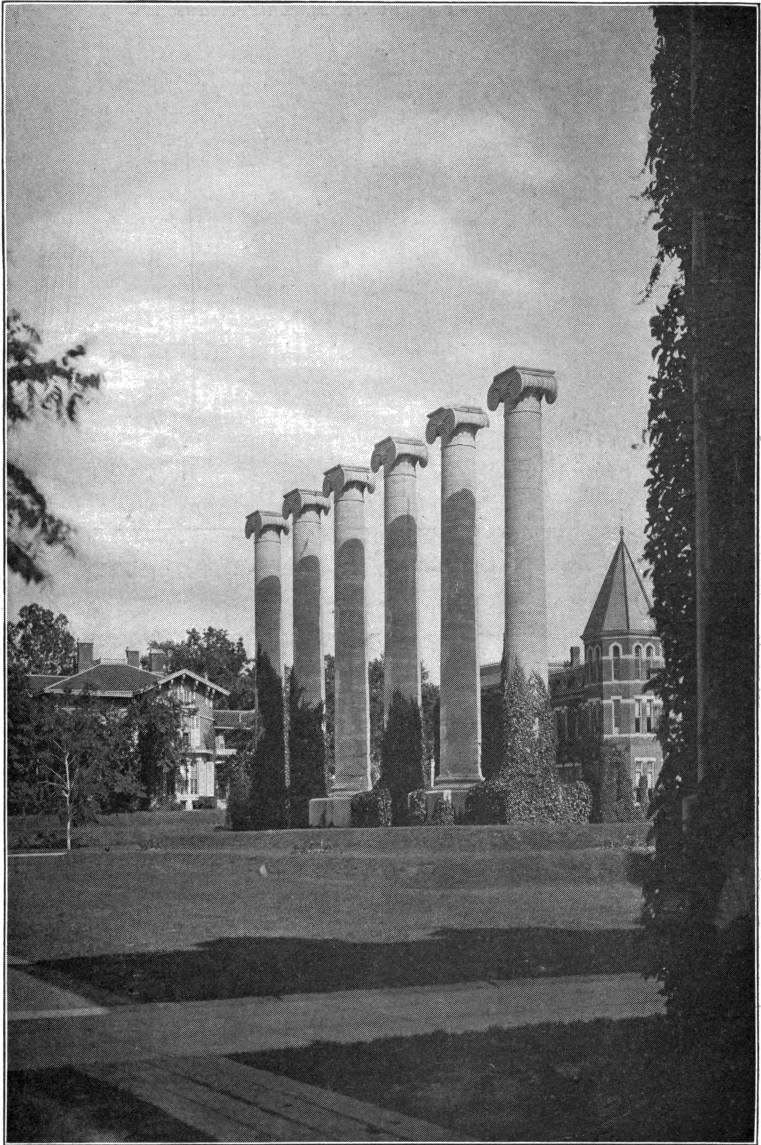


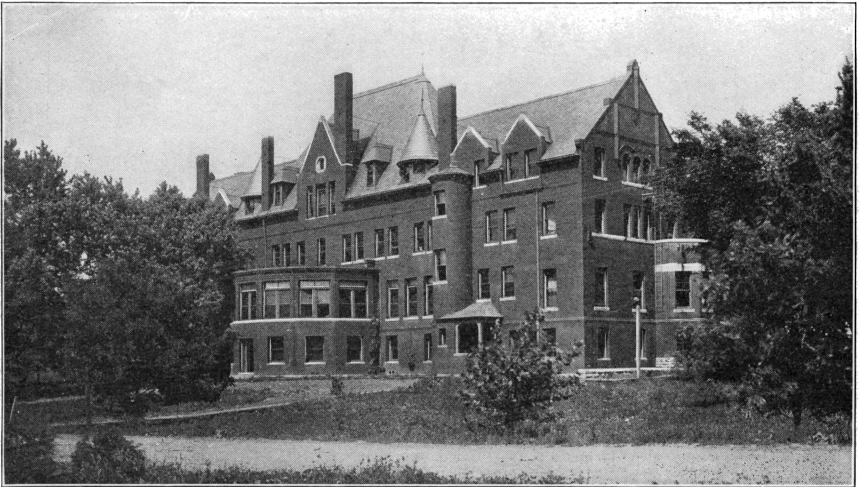
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Historical Statement.

The Legislative Act establishing the University of Missouri was approved February 11, 1839. The corner-stone of the Main Building was laid July 4, 1840. The Law Department was opened in 1872 and is consequently one of the oldest law schools in the Middle West. It has had a very large influence upon legal education and has won a deserved reputation for the excellence of its work.

Location.

The University, including the Law Department, is located at Columbia, a beautiful little city of some 7,000 inhabitants, located about midway between St. Louis and Kansas City, on the Wabash and M., K. & T. Railroads, easily accessible from all points.

Resources.

The present property of the University, not including the campus or grounds for Botany, Horticulture and Agriculture, is valued at over one and one-half million dollars; the annual income from all sources is about one-half million, of which the Law Department always receives its proper and necessary share. No expense is spared to maintain the excellence of the work.

Tuition**Free.**

Tuition is free in all Departments. There are no charges whatever save an annual library fee of \$10.00, the proceeds of which, together with other funds, is devoted exclusively to maintaining the Law Library.

Expenses.

The expenses for room, board, books and fees vary from \$140 to \$200 a year. For law students who board in our club houses these expenses need not exceed \$140. For those who get the best board in private families the expenses mentioned above need not exceed \$200 a year. The fees in some colleges and universities will bear all the expenses here.

Law**Building.**

Since 1893 the Law Department has had the exclusive occupancy of a large building erected for its needs. The Law Building is one of the group of University Buildings facing the campus, contains three library rooms, three lecture rooms, offices for resident professors, a Practice Court Room and several quiz rooms.

Law**Library.**

The library of the Law Department consists of some 10,000 volumes, and embraces a complete set of the Reports of every state in the Union, Reports of the Federal Courts, English, Scotch, Irish and Colonial Reports, special sets of Reports, Lawyers' Reports Annotated, National Reporter System, American Reports, American State Reports and American Decisions. It also contains an extensive collection of the best text books and treatises on special topics. Complete sets of all the meritorious American and English legal periodicals are kept on file. The library will be still further increased this year by several thousand volumes, making it the largest law library of any law school in the West, with one exception.

The library is open for consultation and study during the day and also in the evening, and students are afforded the greatest facility in using the books on its shelves, being also permitted to take to their rooms books not of a strictly reference character.

Requirements for Entrance.

A good high school education, or its full equivalent, is demanded for admission. Moreover, the applicant must submit evidence of good moral character.

Admission as Special Students.

Applicants who are twenty-one years of age may be admitted without entrance examinations as special students, not candidates for a degree; and they may elect such work as they desire in any of the three classes. Applicants under twenty-one are given the same privilege, provided they satisfy the requirements for entrance to the Department of Law.

Athletic Sports.

Our students have associations for foot ball, base ball, basket ball, track athletics, and lawn tennis. There is a gymnasium for men and another for women. The Athletic field and the golf-links are excellent.

Debating Clubs.

Our students are interested in debating. Much success has attended our contestants in inter-collegiate and inter-university debates. Several debating and quiz clubs draw their membership exclusively from the Law School.

Opportunities in Missouri.

Missouri contains 69,416 square miles—nearly 3,000 more than New England. The population is 3,106,665. While the development of its resources has scarcely begun, Missouri is the fifth state in the Union in population, in wealth, and in agriculture, and the seventh in manufactures. For mining it is justly famous. It is a land of opportunity for enterprising young men. The best introduction to any state is through its University.

Courses of Study in Law.

The undergraduate course of study leading to the degree of Bachelor of Laws has been extended to three school years. The first year is devoted almost entirely to the subjects of contractual law and is designed to furnish a foundation for the subsequent and more detailed investigation of special topics. Special attention is paid to

tracing the historical development of the rules of modern substantive law and remedial procedure. Both text-book and case-systems are employed and throughout the course frequent lecture-courses on special subjects. The Junior and Senior years are devoted entirely to advanced work. Especial attention is paid to practice and procedure to which one resident professor devotes practically all his time. A Practice Court is maintained with all the equipment of an actual court and here cases in law and in equity are carried through all the various steps of a suit.

Members of the Senior class accomplishing the studies of the course receive the degree of LL. B. and this degree admits the recipient on motion, to practice before the Federal courts and the courts of the State of Missouri.

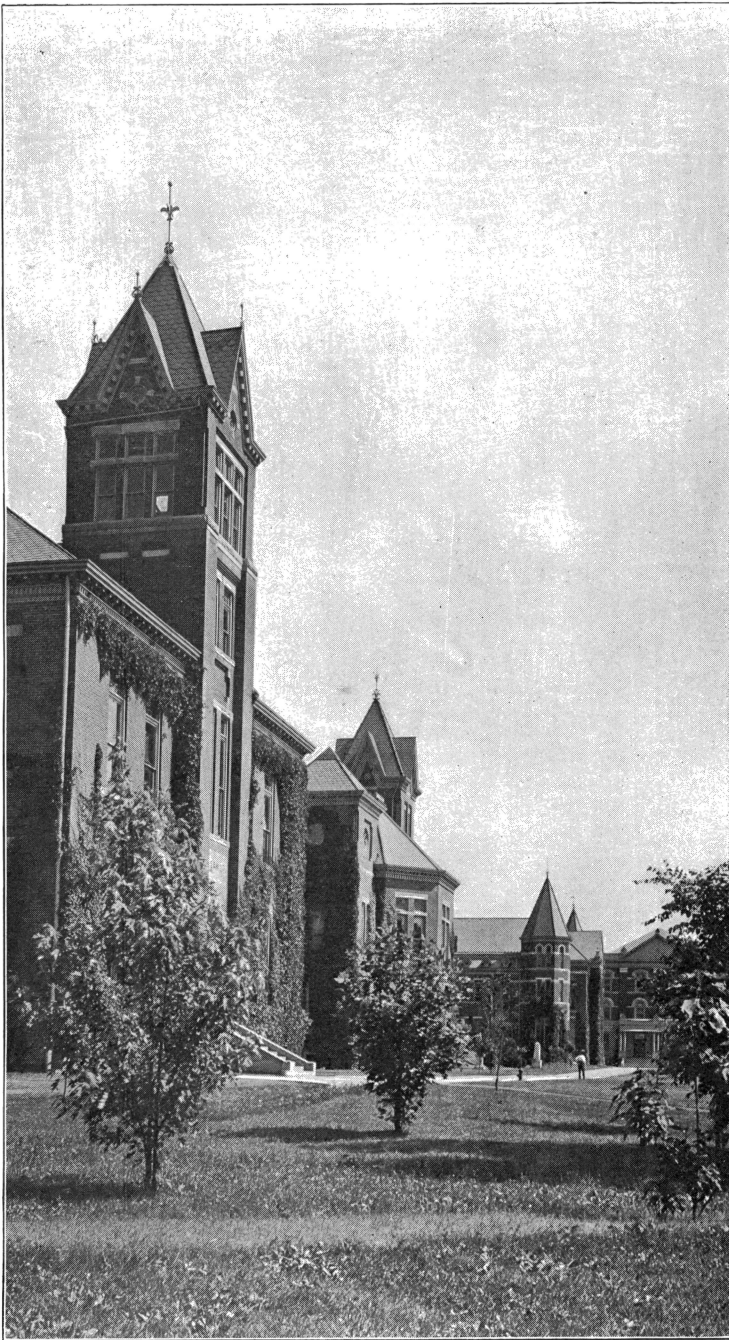
Graduate Course. A course of one year is maintained for graduates, who wish to continue their work for that period of time. All graduates accomplishing it receive the degree of Master of Laws.

Academic Facilities. The connection of the Law Department with the University enables the law student, without additional charge, to take instruction in other Departments. Some members of every class have found it convenient to pursue such studies as Latin, French, English, Logic, Political Economy, History, Stenography, Elocution, etc.

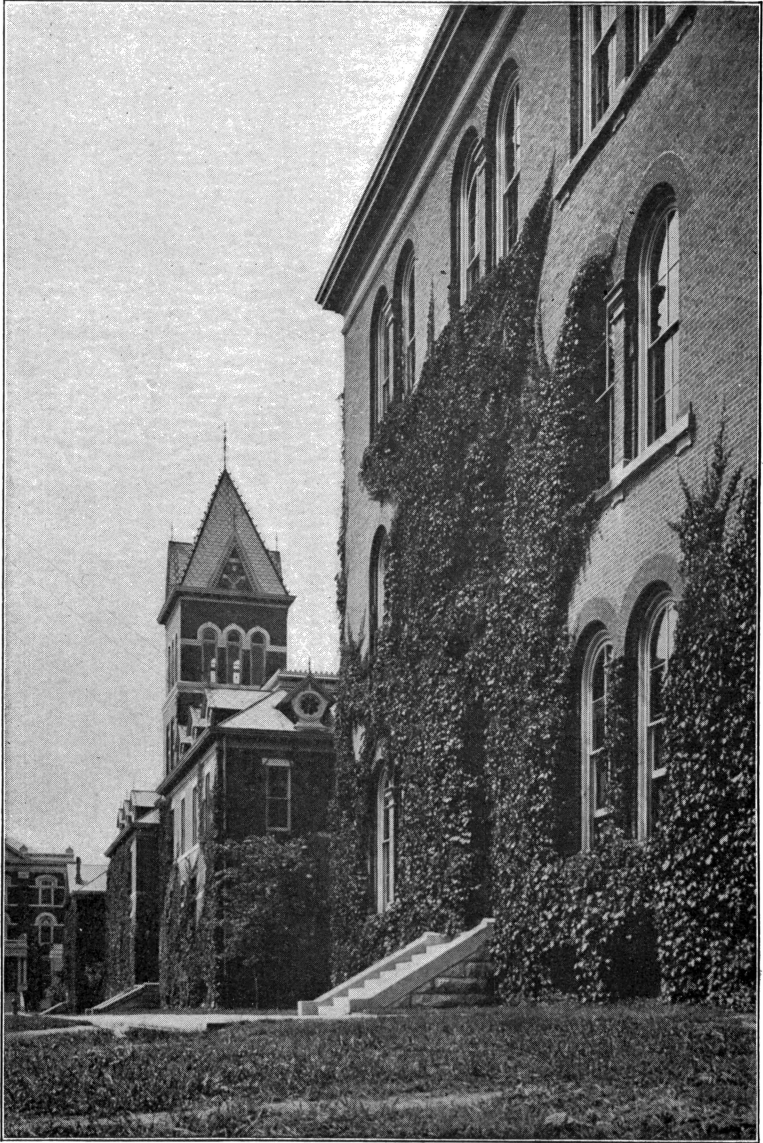
Instruction. The Faculty of the Law Department includes five resident professors and assistants, three of whom devote their whole time to teaching, research and writing. Some twelve non-resident lecturers, experts in various special subjects, give courses of lectures throughout the year.

Session. The session of the Law Department opens on the second Tuesday in September and closes on the first Wednesday in June. New students should present themselves for entrance a few days before the opening day.

Catalogue. If this circular interests you, write for a catalogue of the University or of any department. The special announcement of the Law Department which contains full information for those intending to enter a law school will be sent on application to Irvin Switzler, Registrar of the University of Missouri, or John D. Lawson, Dean of the Law Department, Columbia, Missouri.



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