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We have heard it said that there are too many law reviews being published today, that the field has become overcrowded. The assertion may be true in a sense; and yet we feel there is ample justification for the establishment of an official legal publication in the law college of Ohio State University.

Such an undertaking would be confined largely to Ohio
law, so far as student contributions are concerned, which should make it of some benefit to the bar as well as to students within the state and those outside who may have a particular interest in finding where Ohio stands.

It would afford ambitious students an invaluable training in research, organization of material, and expression of thought.

It would afford something tangible and constructive to represent the accomplishments of one of the country’s finest law schools.

And without apology, it would be an effective means of advertising.

More advantages might be assembled, but the ones we have mentioned seem sufficient to support our supplication that every effort be made to establish an official Ohio State Law Journal next year. The Student Bar Association has taken the initiative and has carried the burden of a publication for a full year. The present book is the product. But if the publication is to continue to improve and be assured of a permanent place in the law college activities, additional faculty support and financial aid are imperative. The solution rests in the establishment of an official Law Journal.

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Where Credit Is Due

The Student Bar Association has successfully completed its first full year of activity. It has become firmly established in the student life of the law college, with every indication of becoming a permanent fixture. This publication, the legal aid clinic, the book store, the moot court, and the student clinic are some of the more tangible results for which the bar association is almost entirely responsible. Add to these the more ethereal, but nevertheless real, benefits of increased faculty and student association and a deeper student interest in the law college itself.

Key men in the accomplishment of these results were William Thomas, president of the association, Robert Leach, editor