

own feeling is that fellowships are one of the most acute needs. In the competition for the best brains, legal education is at a severe disadvantage because of the almost complete lack of fellowship aid as compared with other academic disciplines.

Mr. BRADEMAs. My last question has to do with the purpose of the networks for knowledge title of this bill. To what extent do law schools in the United States now have cooperative arrangements for sharing their library resources?

Mr. MALONEY. I would like to pass this to Mr. Cardozo, if I may, sir.

Mr. CARDOZO. Of course, they are all on the interlibrary loan system and cooperate but I would say except for the few books that are exchanged that way very little, because it is the nature of legal education that the students must have immediate access to their own libraries.

So, almost every school, I would say every school, has a library, in order to be accredited it must be an adequate library of a certain size.

The better the library, the better the legal education. I think that what we had in mind under this title would be a sharing of the mechanical facilities rather than the books themselves, the cataloging and that sort of thing.

Mr. MALONEY. The use of computers in this area is coming into legal education. Our own librarian is working hard on this. We are storing information on the computer. This would be of assistance to other law schools in our area.

Mr. BRADEMAs. As I recall, at the University of Pennsylvania Law School, or is it Penn State Law School, there is to be found a computer operation in which they have all of the State statutes on the computers and in retrievable form?

Mr. CARDOZO. If it is any, it would be the University of Pennsylvania. I don't think that is being done at the university. There are several operations going on through various agencies that are putting the statutes and some cases on computer tape.

It is still in an experimental stage. But, of course, once it is then to the extent that they can be connected up it will be of great help to all of them. As a matter of fact, I think the Army or the Air Force has one of the large projects.

Mr. MALONEY. The Air Force has been doing this.

Another possibility here certainly is long-range xerography where you can Xerox a page of a book that is in another library.

Mr. CAREY. Mr. Chairman, I beg to be excused. I must go introduce a witness to another committee. I want to state that as far as the statutes being put on computer tapes and so forth I only suggest to the committee that I went to law school 20 years too soon.

Mr. BRADEMAs. Mr. Reid.

Mr. REID. Thank you, Mr. Chairman.

I want to welcome you and thank you for a very thoughtful statement and comment. I would like to ask you one question on the impact of the new draft guidelines on the University of Florida Law School, including what your estimates are of the impact on enrollment, and also, if you would like, I would appreciate a comment on whether you think it would be desirable for a student to be able to complete an academic year in the law school if he is called in the middle of a year.