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BOOK NOTES

This department undertakes to list and, when possible, describe briefly current books on law and matters closely related thereto. Periodicals, court reports, and other publications that appear at frequent and regular intervals are not listed. The information given is derived from inspection of the books, publishers' literature, and the ordinary library sources.

BANKING, MONEY AND CREDIT

See *Business and Economics; Government and Politics*.

AN INTRODUCTION TO MONEY, BANKING, AND CORPORATIONS. By *Paul O'Leary*—Professor of Economics in Cornell University; and *John H. Patterson*—Visiting Lecturer in Economics, New York University. New York: The Macmillan Co. 1937. Pp. vii, 175. \$1.25. ~ Analyzes the functions of money and banking and of corporations in our economic system.

BIOGRAPHY

IT'S A FAR CRY. By *Robert Watson Winston*—author, "Andrew Johnson," "The Life of Jefferson Davis," "Robert E. Lee," etc. New York: Henry Holt Co. 1937. Pp. vi, 381. \$3. ~ An anecdotal autobiography of a distinguished North Carolina jurist.

THE TWO MR. GLADSTONES. By *G. T. Garratt*. New York: The Macmillan Co. 1936. Pp. xv, 311. \$3. ~ A political biography of the English statesman.

BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

See *Government and Politics; Social Science and Social Welfare*.

CONSUMERS' COOPERATIVE ADVENTURES. Case Studies. By *Harlan J. Randall*—Professor of Accounting and Cooperative Marketing; and *Clay J. Daggett*—Professor of Education, State Teachers College, Whitewater, Wis. Whitewater, Wis.: The Whitewater Press. 1936. Pp. 642. \$2. ~ A description of the activities, both in the United States and Great Britain, of consumers' cooperatives dealing in such widely varied commodities as life insurance, education, and foodstuffs.

CONSUMERS' COOPERATIVES. (Vol. 11, No. 2, The Reference Shelf.) Compiled by *Julia E. Johnsen*. General discussion by *J. V. Garland*—Director of Debate, Colgate University; and *Charles F. Phillips*—Assistant Professor of Economics, Colgate University. New York: H. W. Wilson Co. 1937. Pp. 297. Ninety cents. ~ A collection of discussions of the pros and cons of consumers' cooperatives.

THE ECONOMICS OF CONSUMPTION. By *Charles S. Wyand*—of the Pennsylvania State College. New York: The Macmillan Co. 1937. Pp. xiii, 565. \$3.50. ~ An examination of the character and function of the forces underlying and modifying economic demand.

AN ESSAY ON ECONOMY AND VALUE; Being an Inquiry into the Real Nature of Economy. By *Alec L. Macfie*—Lecturer in Political Economy, Glasgow University; author, "Theories of the Trade Cycle." N.Y.: The Macmillan Co. 1936. Pp. xi, 152. \$2.75. ~ A highly theoretical examination of the nature of the science of economics.

ESSAYS IN THE THEORY OF EMPLOYMENT. By *Joan Robinson*—author, "The Economics of Imperfect Competition." New York: The Macmillan Co. 1937. Pp. vii, 255. \$3.50 ~ An application of the principles of Keynes, "General Theory of Employment, Interest and Money" to a number of particular problems in relation to employment.

GETTING AND EARNING; A Study of Inequality. By *Raymond T. Bye* and *Ralph H. Blodgett*—Department of Economics, University of Pennsylvania. New York: F. S. Crofts & Co. 1937. Pp. vii, 274. \$2.25. ~ An analysis of the causes of undue inequalities of wealth and proposals for a fairer distribution of income on the basis of earning power.

INCOME IN AGRICULTURE, 1925-1935. By *Robert F. Martin*. New York: National Industrial Conference Board. 1936. 186. \$2.50. ~ An analysis and appraisal of all available statistics.

PRICES IN RECESSION AND RECOVERY; A Survey of Recent Changes. By *F. C. Mills*—author, "Recent Economic Tendencies," and "Behavior of Prices." New York: National Bureau of Economic Research, 1819 Broadway. 1936. Pp. 581. \$4.

WHERE ARE WE GOING? By *E. C. Harwood*. Cambridge, Mass.: American Institute for Economic Research, 1200 Mass. Ave. 1937. Pp. 92. \$1. ~ A forecast of economic and monetary developments.

CONSTITUTIONAL LAW

AMERICAN CONSTITUTIONAL LAW; Text and Leading Cases. By *Charles W. Gerstenberg*—Professor of Constitutional Law, Brooklyn Law School, St. Lawrence University. New York: Prentice-Hall. 1937. Pp. xii, 742. \$5. ~ A casebook: includes considerable text material.

CORPORATIONS

See *Banking, Money and Credit*.

CRIMINOLOGY

CRIME, CROOKS, AND COPS. By *August Vollmer*—Professor of Police Administration, University of California; and *Alfred E. Parker*. New York: Funk & Wagnalls Co. 1937. Pp. v, 260. \$2. ~ The stories of many of the leading criminal cases of our time, illustrating modern methods of crime detection.

YEARBOOK OF THE NATIONAL PROBATION ASSOCIATION; 1936. Edited by *Marjorie Bell*. New York: The National Probation Assn., 50 West Fiftieth St. 1936. Pp. viii, 432. \$1.25. ~ Papers on the treatment and prevention of delinquency and crime, presented at the thirtieth annual conference of the association.

EVIDENCE

TRIAL EVIDENCE. By *Charles F. Chamberlayne*. Second Edition by *Leslie J. Tompkins*—Professor of Law, New York University. Albany, N. Y.: Matthew Bender & Co. 1936. Pp. xxxiv, 1259. \$15. ~ A manual.

GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

See *Labor; Social Science and Social Welfare; Supreme Court of the United States*.

THE AMERICAN PROBLEM OF GOVERNMENT. Rev. ed. By *Chester C. Maxey*—Miles C. Moore Professor of Political Science, Whitman College. New York: F. S. Crofts & Co. 1936. Pp. ix, 701. \$3.75. ~ An analysis of government in the United States stressing the principles and problems rather than the forms and mechanisms of government.

FACING THE TAX PROBLEM; A Survey of Taxation in the United States and a Program for the Future. Prepared under the auspices of the Committee on Taxation of the Twentieth Century Fund, Inc. *Carl Shoup*—Research Director, Columbia University. New York: Twentieth Century Fund, 330 West 42d St. 1937. Pp. xxiii,

606. \$3. ~ Considers the social as well as the economic and fiscal aspects.

THE FASCIST; His State and His Mind. By *E. B. Ashton*. New York: William Morrow & Co. 1937. Pp. xv, 320. 2.50. ~ Discusses the political theories of Fascism, its operation in Italy and Germany and the possibility of its spread to other countries.

GOVERNMENT FINANCE. (Crowell's Social Science Series). By *Jens P. Jensen*—Professor of Economics, University of Kansas. New York: Thomas Y. Crowell Co. 1937. Pp. xxxi, 595. \$3.50.

A HISTORY OF AMERICAN POLITICAL THOUGHT; From the Civil War to the World War. By *Edward R. Lewis*—author, "America, Nation or Confusion." New York: The Macmillan Co. 1937. Pp. x, 561. \$5.

HISTORY OF POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY FROM PLATO TO BURKE. By *Thomas I. Cook*—Assistant Professor of Political Science, University of California at Los Angeles. New York: Prentice-Hall. 1936. Pp. xviii, 725. \$4. ~ A study of the leading thinkers and main currents in political thought from Plato to Burke.

MUNICIPAL BONDS; A Century of Experience. By *A. M. Hillhouse*—Director of Research, Municipal Finance Officers' Association. New York: Prentice-Hall. 1936. Pp. xiv, 579. \$3.75. ~ A study of defaults in municipal bond issues of the past one hundred years; embraces causes, amounts, geographical distribution, losses to creditors, effects of municipal credit and proposed remedies.

PRESSURE POLITICS IN NEW YORK; A Study of Group Representation Before the Legislature. By *Bell Zeller*—Assistant Professor of Government, Brooklyn College. New York: Prentice-Hall. 1937. Pp. xi, 310. \$3. ~ A study of pressure politics.

PRINCIPLES OF PUBLIC FINANCE. By *Antonio De Viti de Marco*. Translated from the Italian by *Edith Pavlo Marget*. New York: Harcourt, Brace & Co. 1936. Pp. 435. \$4. ~ An analysis of some of the commonly accepted assumptions upon which systems of public finance are based.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION IN THE UNITED STATES. By *Harvey Walker*—Professor of Political Science, Ohio State University; author, "Law Making in the United States," and "Federal Limitations upon the Municipal Ordinance Making Power." New York:

Farrar & Rinehart. 1937. Pp. x, 698. \$3.50. ~ A college text, discussing the administrative aspects of government on a functional basis.

RIGHTS OF AMERICANS; Under the Constitution of the Federal Republic. By *William H. ("Alfalfa Bill") Murray*—former Governor of the State of Oklahoma. Boston: Meador Pub. Co. 1937. Pp. 158. \$2. ~ An emotional defense of our present constitutional framework.

ROOSEVELT TO ROOSEVELT; The United States in the Twentieth Century. By *Dwight Lowell Dumond*—Associate Professor of History, University of Michigan. New York: Henry Holt & Co. 1937. Pp. ix, 585. \$2.60. ~ An interestingly written account of recent history.

THE SOCIAL CONTRACT; A Critical Study of Its Development. By *J. W. Gough*—Fellow and Tutor of Oriel College and University Lecturer in Modern History. New York: Oxford University Press. 1936. Pp. vi, 234. \$5. ~ A history of the origins and development of the theory of the social compact.

UNICAMERAL LEGISLATURES. (The Reference Shelf, Vol. II, No. 1.) Compiled by *Harrison Boyd Summers*—Professor of Public Speaking, Kansas State College. New York: H. W. Wilson Co. 1936. Pp. 245. Ninety cents. ~ A collection of articles discussing the question.

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

See *Government and Politics*.

ALTERNATIVE TO REARMAMENT. By *Jonathan Griffin*—author of "Britain's Air Policy"; formerly editor of *Essential News*. New York: The Macmillan Co. 1936. Pp. xii, 215. \$2.90. ~ A program for Great Britain: the author stresses the vulnerability of England in case of war and suggests the need for collective security and the limitation of rearmament to purely defensive improvements.

BEHIND THE MOSCOW TRIAL; The Great-est Frame-up in History. By *Max Shachtman*. New York: Pioneer Publishers, 100 Fifth Avenue. 1936. Pp. 142. Twenty-five cents. ~ An attack on the *bona fides* of the recent Russian trials and executions of prominent political figures on charges of treason.

DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES; Inter-American Affairs, 1831-1860. (Vol. VIII—Mexico, 1831-1848.) Selected and arranged by *William*

R. Manning—Division of Latin American Affairs, Department of State. Washington: Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. 1937. Pp. xliii, 1106. \$5. ~ A collection of documentary material.

DUCK OF EMPIRE; The Decline of Europe as Observed by a Foreign Correspondent in Twenty-five Years of Service. By *Wythe Williams*—foreign correspondent. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. 1937. Pp. 344. \$3. ~ The author believes that the power of Europe in world affairs is declining while that of the United States is increasing.

THE NEW SOVIET CONSTITUTION; A Study in Socialist Democracy. By *Anna Louise Strong*—author, "I Change Worlds." New York: Henry Holt & Co. 1937. Pp. vii, 169. \$1.50. ~ A description of the history, contents and significance of the new Soviet Constitution, of which a translation appears in an appendix.

UNHAPPY SPAIN. By *Pierre Crabites*—author, "Victoria's Guardian Angel—A Study of Baron Stockmar." Baton Rouge, La.: Louisiana State University Press. 1937. Pp. 244. \$2.50. ~ The author attempts to show that the present conflict cannot be interpreted simply in terms of the modern conflict between Communism and Fascism but is the result of a chain of circumstances beginning with the reign of Ferdinand VII.

LABOR

FROM BRYAN TO STALIN. By *William Z. Foster*—Communist Labor leader. New York: International Publishers. 1937. Pp. 352. \$2.50. ~ Partly autobiographical but mainly a history of trade-unionism in the United States, this book was written to show the need for the adoption of Communism.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

See *Government and Politics*.

PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE

See *Evidence*.

SOCIAL SCIENCE AND SOCIAL WELFARE

See *Government and Politics*.

A FOREIGNER LOOKS AT THE TVA. By *Odette Keur*—author, "My Adventures in Bolshevist Russia," "I Discover the English," "Darkness from the North: Nazi Germany," etc. New York: Longmans, Green & Co. 1937. Pp. vi, 89. \$1.25. ~ A French writer analyzes the social and economic aspects and implications of the TVA project.

*SUPREME COURT OF THE
UNITED STATES*

THE SUPREME COURT AND POLITICAL QUESTIONS. (The Johns Hopkins University Studies in Historical and Political Science.) By *Charles Gordon Post, Jr.*—Assistant Professor, Political Science, Vassar College. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins Press. 1936. Pp. xiii, 145. \$1.25, paper. \$1.75, cloth. ~ A study of the reasons for the Court's refusal to deal with "political question."

THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES; Its Foundation, Methods and Achievements, An Interpretation. By *Charles Evans Hughes*—Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court. Garden City, N. Y.: Garden City Pub. Co. 1936. Pp. vii, 269. \$1. ~ A collection of six lectures delivered in 1927.

TAXATION

See *Government and Politics*.

FEDERAL INCOME AND ESTATE TAX LAWS; Correlated, with Amendments to Date, Including Those Made by the Revenue Act of 1935. 7th ed. By *Walter E. Barton* and *Carroll W. Browning*—of the Washington, D.C. Bar. Chicago: Callaghan & Co. 1936. Pp. xxiii, 516. \$12. ~ Deals

with the relevant parts of the Revenue Acts from 1924 to 1936 inclusive.

TRADE REGULATION

CASES AND MATERIALS ON TRADE REGULATION. (University Casebook Series.) By *Milton Handler*—Associate Professor of Law, Columbia University. Chicago: The Foundation Press. 1937. Pp. 1320. \$7. ~ Depicts the rise and decline of competition as our major instrument of business control.

THE ROBINSON-PATMAN ACT; Its History and Probable Meaning. Washington, D. C.: The Washington Post. 1936. Pp. ix, 61. Fifty cents. ~ An analysis, prepared by counsel for the "Post," designed to be understandable by the business man.

TRADE AGREEMENTS AND THE ANTI-TRUST LAWS; Including Forms and An Analysis of the Robinson-Patman Act. By *Harry Aubrey Toulmin, Jr.*—of the Bar of the Supreme Court of the United States. Cincinnati, Ohio: W. H. Anderson Co. 1937. Pp. xviii, 540. \$7.50. ~ A practical manual, written for the business man and the lawyer, to aid in determining what constitutes a permissible trade agreement; covers both the Robinson-Patman Act and state anti-price discrimination legislation.