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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.

## BIOGRAPHY

THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF A CURMUDGEON. By *Harold L. Ickes*—Secretary of the Interior. New York: Reynal & Hitchcock. 1943. Pp. xi, 350. \$3.

JEFFERSON, THE ROAD TO GLORY, 1743 to 1776. By *Marie Kimball*. New York: Coward-McCann, Inc. 1943. Pp. ix, 358. \$4. ~ The early life of Thomas Jefferson.

THE MIND AND FAITH OF JUSTICE HOLMES: His Speeches, Essays, Letters and Judicial Opinions. Selected and Edited with Introduction and Commentary by *Max Lerner*. Boston, Mass.: Little, Brown & Co. 1943. Pp. 1, 474. \$4.

## BUSINESS, ECONOMICS AND FINANCE

See also *Government and Politics*.

BOOM COPPER; The Story of the First U. S. Mining Boom. By *Angus Murdoch*. New York: The Macmillan Co. 1943. Pp. 255. \$3.

BUSINESS RESERVES FOR POST-WAR SURVIVAL; Their Impact on Capital Adjustments. [Planning Pamphlet Series, Nos. 19 and 20.] By *Mark S. Massel*. Washington,

D. C.: National Planning Assn. 1943. Pp. 132. \$ .50.

FACT AND FANCY IN THE T. N. E. C. MONOGRAPHS; Reviews of the 43 Monographs issued by the Temporary National Economic Committee. Compiled by *John Scoville*—Chief Statistician, Chrysler Corporation; and *Noel Sargent*—Secretary, National Association of Manufacturers. New York: National Association of Manufacturers, 14 W. 49th St. 1942. Pp. xvi, 812. \$3. ~ The compilers, under the sponsorship of the N.A.M., submitted each monograph to one or more experts for review and criticism.

TAX-REVERTED PROPERTIES IN URBAN AREAS. By *A. M. Hillhouse*—Associate Professor of Public Administration, University of Cincinnati; and *Carl H. Chatters*—Executive Director, Municipal Finance Officers Association. Chicago: Public Administration Service, 1313 E. 60th St. 1942. Pp. viii, 183. \$2.50.

WARTIME PROBLEMS OF STATE AND LOCAL FINANCE; Symposium conducted by the Tax Institute, November 27-28, 1942,

New York City. By *A. E. Buck*, *Kenneth Dayton* and others. Philadelphia: Tax Institute, 135 S. 36th St. 1943. Pp. ix, 267. \$2.50.

#### COMPARATIVE LAW

See also *Labor Law*.

NOTES ON LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES. (Published semi-annually.) *Ralph L. Beals*, Editor. New Haven, Conn.: Joint Committee on Latin American Studies, 55 Hillhouse Ave. \$1 a year. ~ Vol. 1, No. 1, April 1943 consists chiefly of a survey of personnel and activities in Latin American aspects of the humanities and social sciences at twenty U. S. universities.

#### CONFLICT OF LAWS

PRINCIPLES OF PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL LAW. By *Arthur Nussbaum*—Visiting Research Professor of Public Law, Columbia University; author, "Money and the Law." (Published under the auspices of the Columbia Council for Research in the Social Sciences.) New York: Oxford University Press. 1943. Pp. xvi, 288. \$3.50. ~ American conflict of laws principles against a civil law background. The author was formerly professor of law at the University of Berlin.

#### CONSTITUTIONAL LAW

See *Government and Politics*.

#### CRIMINAL LAW AND CRIMINOLOGY

THE ART OF MURDER. By *William Roughead*—author, "Enjoyment of Murder," "Murder and More Murder," etc. New York: Sheridan House. 1943. Pp. 309. \$2.75.

LAW ENFORCEMENT IN MISSOURI: A Decade of Centralization and Central Control in Apprehension and Prosecution (1931-1941). (The University of Missouri Studies, Vol. XVII, No. 1.) By *J. G. Heineberg*—Professor of Political Science, and *A. C. Breckenridge*—Research Assistant. Columbia, Missouri: University of Missouri, 1942. Pp. 77. \$1.25.

#### GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

CODIFICATION OF MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES. [Report No. 95.] Prepared by *Charles S. Rhyne*, executive director. Washington, D. C.: National Institute of Municipal Law Officers, 730 Jackson Place. 1943. Pp. 43. \$2. ~ Procedure and problems.

CONSTITUTION-MAKING IN A DEMOCRACY: Theory and Practice in New York

State. (Johns Hopkins University Studies in Historical and Political Science, New Series, No. 29.) By *Vernon A. O'Rourke*—Assistant Professor of Political Science, Swarthmore College; and *Douglas W. Campbell*—Assistant Professor of Government, Union College. Baltimore, Md.: Johns Hopkins Press. 1943. Pp. xiii, 286. \$2.75.

IN DEFENSE OF THE WEST; A Political and Economic Study. By *Herbert von Beckerath*—Professor of Economics and Political Science, Duke University; author "Modern Industrial Organization" (1932). Durham, N. C.: Duke University Press. 1942. Pp. xiii, 297. \$3.50. ~ The incompatibilities between political institutions and economic systems and a plan for reconstruction.

POLITICS AND POLITICAL ORGANIZATIONS IN AMERICA. By *Theodore W. Couzens*—Associate Professor of Government and Law, Lafayette College. New York: The Macmillan Co. 1942. Pp. xi, 617. \$4.

#### INTERNATIONAL LAW AND AFFAIRS

ONE WORLD. By *Wendell L. Wilkie*. New York: Simon & Schuster. 1943. Pp. 86. Paper, \$1; cloth, \$2. ~ The story of Mr. Willkie's trip to Africa, the Middle East, Russia and China, and his conclusions.

THE ORIGINS AND BACKGROUND OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR. By *C. Grove Haines*—Professor of History, Syracuse University; and *Ross J. S. Hoffman*—Professor of History, Fordham University. New York: Oxford University Press. 1943. Pp. 659. \$4.25.

SUMMARY OF THE WORLD FEDERATION PLAN; An Outline of a Practical and Detailed Plan for World Settlement. By *Ely Culbertson*. New York: Garden City Publishing Co. 1943. Pp. 64. \$1, cloth; \$ .25, paper. ~ Sponsored by The World Federation, Inc., this summary is part of "Total Peace," to be published in June, 1943, by Doubleday, Doran & Co.

WE CANNOT ESCAPE HISTORY. By *John T. Whitaker*—foreign correspondent; author of "Americas to the South." New York: The Macmillan Co. 1943. Pp. 374. \$2.75. ~ Events leading to American participation in the war.

WORLD COURT REPORTS; A Collection of the Judgments, Orders and Opinions of the Permanent Court of International Justice. (Volume IV, 1936-1942.) Edited by *Mantley O. Hudson*. Washington, D. C.: Car-

negie Endowment for International Peace. Sales agent, Columbia University Press, International Documents Service, 2960 Broadway, N. Y. 1943. Pp. xvi, 513. \$2.50.

YEARS OF BLINDNESS. By *H. G. Quaritch Wales*. New York: Thomas Y. Crowell Co. 1943. Pp. 332. \$3. ~ Colonial policies and changes in the East and the future of Europeans in Asia; the author has spent many years in India, Siam, Malaya, Burma, French Indo-China and the Dutch East Indies.

### JURISPRUDENCE

See *Legal History*.

### LABOR LAW

THE GOVERNMENT OF LABOR RELATIONS IN SWEDEN. By *James J. Robbins*. Chapel Hill, N. C.: University of North Carolina Press. 1942. Pp. 379. \$3.50.

THE LABOR RELATIONS ACT IN THE COURTS; A Five-Year Survey and Analysis of Legal Decisions Affecting the Rights and Responsibilities of Employers and Employees. By *Herbert O. Eby*—labor relations consultant, Ordnance, War Department. New York: Harper & Bros. 1943. Pp. xvii, 250. \$3.50 ~ Prepared in digest form.

### LEGAL BIBLIOGRAPHY

LIST AND INDEX OF THE PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDERS, NUMBERED 1-8030, 1862-1938. (2 vols.) By *Historical Records Survey of New York City*, A Division of the Research and Records Programs of the Work Projects Administration, Federal Works Agency. New York: Hastings House. \$12.50 (publication pending). ~ Vol. 1 contains a topical index with each item indicating the year and number of the order; vol. 2 is a numerical list of the orders, each listing giving the number of the order, its date of issuance and a brief abstract of its subject matter.

### LEGAL HISTORY

THE AWAKENING OF WESTERN LEGAL THOUGHT. By *Max Hamburger*. Translated from the German by *Bernard Miall*. New York: Norton & Co. 1942. Pp. xxiii, 167. \$3.25.

### MEDICAL JURISPRUDENCE

BLOOD GROUPS AND TRANSFUSIONS. (3d ed.) By *Alexander S. Wiener*—Serologist, Office of Chief Medical Examiner, New York City. Springfield, Ill.: Charles C. Thomas. 1943. Pp. xix, 438. \$7.50. ~ Two new chapters and extensive revisions.

OCCUPATIONAL TUMORS AND ALLIED DISEASES. By *W. C. Hueper*—Assistant Director, Warner Institute for Therapeutic Research, New York City. Springfield, Ill.: Charles C. Thomas. 1942. Pp. xxviii, 896. \$8.

### MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

See *Government and Politics*.

### PROPERTY

CASES ON POSSESSORY ESTATES. (2d. ed.) (Property Series). By *Richard R. Powell*—Professor of Law, Columbia University. St. Paul, Minn.: West Publishing Co. 1943. Pp. xxxix, 552. \$5. ~ The first edition was published in 1933.

A HANDBOOK ON THE LAW OF REAL PROPERTY. (Hornbook Series). By *William E. Burby*—Professor of Law, University of Southern California. St. Paul, Minn.: West Publishing Co. Pp. xxvi, 658. \$5.

### TAXATION

See *Business, Economics and Finance*.

### WAR

MANPOWER FOR VICTORY; Total Mobilization for Total War. By *John J. Corson*—formerly director of the United States Employment Service. Foreword by *Paul V. McNutt*. New York: Farrar & Rinehart. 1943. Pp. xii, 299. \$3.

THE SOLDIER AND THE LAW. (2d ed.) By *John A. McComsey* and *Morris O. Edwards*. This edition was revised by *Colonel Charles E. Cheever*—Judge Advocate, X Corps. Harrisburg, Pa.: The Military Service Publishing Co. 1943. Pp. xiii, 466, supp. of 32 pp. \$1.50. ~ Law for the soldier and for the administrators of military justice; the first edition was published in 1941.