

BOOKS RECEIVED

AFTER RUNNYMEDE: MAGNA CARTA IN THE MIDDLE AGES. By *Doris M. Stenton*. Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 1965. Pp. 54. \$.75 paperback. This booklet stresses the role of the English government in making sure that all Englishmen knew the terms of the Charter.

CONTRACT LAW IN AMERICA—A SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC CASE STUDY. By *Lawrence M. Friedman*. Madison: University of Wisconsin Press, 1965. Pp. x, 280. \$6.50. Use of Wisconsin contract cases, not as sources of legal doctrine, but as evidence of the effect upon litigation of social and economic change is made by the author, an associate professor of law at the University of Wisconsin.

THE COURTS, THE PUBLIC AND THE LAW EXPLOSION. Edited by *Harry W. Jones*. Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey: Prentice-Hall, 1965. Pp. viii, 177. \$1.95 paperback, \$3.95 clothbound. A book of essays about courts and their problems in contemporary American society prepared for The American Assembly of Columbia University.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE IN OUR TIME. Essays by *Yale Kamisar*, *Fred E. Inbau*, and *Thurman Arnold*. Charlottesville: University Press of Virginia, 1965. Pp. 161. \$1.75 paperback. Another in the series of Magna Carta essays edited by A. E. Dick Howard, these essays focus on the problems of twentieth century criminal justice and constitutional guarantees.

ESTATES AND TRUSTS—4TH EDITION. By *Gilbert Thomas Stephenson*. New York: Appleton-Century-Crofts, 1965. Pp. xii, 451. \$6.00. This updated text book is divided into four sections: disposition of property in estates and trusts; administration of property; planning disposition and administration of property and illustrative estate and trust instruments.

FAMILY PROPERTY SETTLEMENTS—FUTURE INTERESTS. By *Olin L. Browder, Jr.* and *Richard V. Wellman*. Indianapolis: Bobbs-Merrill Company, Inc., 1965. Pp. xviii, 598. This case book, one of the Contemporary Legal Education Series, places its main emphasis upon the tasks facing the draftsman of family property settlements and problems presented by future interest laws.

THE FRAMING OF THE FOURTEENTH AMENDMENT. By *Joseph B. James*. Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 1956. Pp. ix, 220. \$1.45 paperback. This is a paperback reprint of a consideration of the legislative history of the Fourteenth Amendment, as well as the conditions under which the amendment was drafted.

THE INDIAN YEAR BOOK OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS 1964—PARTS I AND II. Madras, India: The Indian Study Group of International Law and Affairs, University of Madras, 1965. These books are a compendium of articles, decisions and books received concerning private and public international law, international affairs and comparative law.

INTERNATIONAL LAW—4TH EDITION. By *Charles G. Fenwick*. New York: Appleton-Century-Crofts, 1965. Pp. lii, 849. \$7.50. This is a revision of a text book which considers the nature of international law, organization of the community of nations, substantive rules of international law and international procedure for the settlement of conflicts of claims, and also contains a bibliography and an appendix of international law documents.

LAW IN SOVIET SOCIETY. Edited by *Wayne R. LaFave*. Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 1965. Pp. 297. \$1.95 paperback, \$4.75 clothbound. Legal scholars, political scientists, economists and others will find information and new frames of reference in these seven essays which were originally prepared for a symposium on the role of law in Soviet socio-political development and international law.

LEGAL ASPECTS OF ARMS CONTROL VERIFICATION IN THE UNITED STATES. By *Dennis S. Aronowitz*. Dobbs Ferry, New York: Oceana Press, 1965. Pp. 222. \$6.50. The report of a year-long study conducted by the Legislative Drafting Research Fund of Columbia University is presented by the executive director of the project.

MR. JUSTICE MURPHY AND THE BILL OF RIGHTS. By *Harold Norris*. Dobbs Ferry, New York: Oceana Publications, 1965. Pp. xxiii, 568. \$7.50. The author, a professor at the Detroit College of Law, accords to Mr. Justice Murphy a high degree of recognition for his contribution to our understanding of the personal responsibility every citizen must have to protect civil liberties in the United States.

MAGNA CARTA AND PROPERTY. By *Gottfried Dietze*. Charlottesville: University Press of Virginia, 1965. Pp. 83. \$.75 paperback. As one of a series of essays commemorating the seven hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the sealing the Magna Carta, this book observes the document as a charter of property.

"STATE ACTION" AND THE FOURTEENTH AMENDMENT. Richmond: The Virginia Commission on Constitutional Government, 1966. Pp. 18. Apply. The subtitle, "A Study in Judicial Misinterpretation," indicates the thesis of this pamphlet.

THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES—A REVIEW OF THE 1964 TERM. Richmond: The Virginia Commission on Constitutional Government. Pp. 59. Apply. This review finds a proclivity on the part of the Court to decide cases by a liberal ideology rather than by constitutional law.

VIGNETTES OF LEGAL HISTORY. By *Julius J. Marke*. South Hackensack, New Jersey: Fred B. Rothman & Co., 1965. Pp. xv, 337. \$6.50. A reportorial presentation of historic trials, men and books through anecdotal and biographical material gleaned from contemporary newspaper reports, memoirs and diaries is made by the author, a professor and law librarian of New York University.



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