

Book Notes

Foreign Legal Systems

DENG, F., *TRADITION AND MODERNIZATION: A CHALLENGE FOR LAW AMONG THE DINKA OF THE SUDAN*; Yale University Press, 92A Yale Station, New Haven, CT 06520 (1971); ISBN 0-300-01407-4; \$22.50; xlv, 401 p.; glossary, index. Foreword by H.D. Lasswell.

This ambitious study examines the legal and social systems and processes of the Dinka, a culturally uniform people of the Republic of the Sudan, as they struggle to modernize their nation. The conflicts between tradition and modernity, and between different tribal and social groups, emphasize and uncover the culture-shaping role of law and the concomitant role of culture in forging a modern legal system and harmonious nation. Dr. Deng is himself a Dinka, and an officer with the United Nations Division of Human Rights.

DIX, R. H., *COLOMBIA: THE POLITICAL DIMENSIONS OF CHANGE*; Yale University Press, *supra* (1967); \$4.95 (paper); ISBN 0-300-00426-5 (cloth), 0-300-01169-5 (paper), LC 67-24495; xiv, 452 p.; footnotes, tables, maps, bibliography, index. Yale Studies in Political Science, No. 20.

In this analysis of the response of traditional Colombian political institutions to the forces of modernization, the author poses an analytical framework for examining political change and details the Colombian experience within that structure.

HAZARD, J. & WAGNER, W. (editors), *LAW IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IN SOCIAL AND TECHNOLOGICAL REVOLUTION*; American Association for the Comparative Study of Law, Inc. (1974); available from Etablissements Emile Bruylant, S.A., Rue de la Regence, 67, 1000 Brussels, Belgium; \$52.00; LC 74-11811; 697 p.; footnotes.

The papers in this volume were presented at the 9th International Congress of Comparative Law in 1974, and examine some of the significant questions in the application of law to modern phenomena and needs. The encyclopedic scope and comparative analysis touch many of the important legal developments of our time.

HO, P. & TSOU, T. (editors), *CHINA IN CRISIS*, Volume I, Books One and Two; The University of Chicago Press, 5801 Ellis Avenue, Chicago, IL 60637 (1968, 1970 paperback); \$7.40 per set; ISBN (Book One) 0-226-34518-1 (clothbound), 0-226-34521-1 (paperback), (Book Two) 226-34520-3 (clothbound), 226-34523-8 (paperback); LC 68-20981; footnotes, index, list of tables and of figures, table of contributors. Foreword by C.U. Daly.

This book contains papers presented at the inaugural conference of the Center for Policy Study at The University of Chicago. It is a

comprehensive effort to relate China's heritage to its modern political system and examine the nature and extent of change in modern China. It should be of particular interest to scholars interested in the interplay of history and tradition in the development of the Chinese political system.

LAW AND POPULATION PROGRAMME, LAW AND POPULATION IN THE PHILIPPINES; The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University, Medford, MA 02155; LC 74-31866; v, 151 p.; footnotes, tables, documents. Book Series No. 9. Preface by Luke T. Lee.

This is a set of five articles on the interrelationship of law, human rights and population problems. Although the primary emphasis is on the Philippines, the materials readily lend themselves to a more global setting, as overpopulation is truly a world wide problem. Among the topics discussed are birth control, family planning, economic influences on family size, and the effect of laws on fertility.

Foreign Policy

CONNELL-SMITH, G., THE UNITED STATES AND LATIN AMERICA; Halsted Press, 605 Third Ave., New York, NY 10016 (1974); \$16.75; ISBN 0-470-16856-0; xviii, 302 p.; footnotes, index.

In this historical review of inter-American relations from the formulation of the Monroe Doctrine through the post-Cuban Revolution era, the author has divided the time span from 1823 until the late 1960's into seven separate periods. His analysis is in depth, and has been researched fully. The footnotes lend a heavy emphasis to other works in the area.

As an historical analysis and "source locator" on the topics reviewed, the value is high. However, there is very little actual emphasis on the international legal aspects of the 140-year relationship analysed.

JONES, P. (editor), THE INTERNATIONAL YEARBOOK OF FOREIGN POLICY ANALYSIS, VOLUME 1; A Halsted Press Book, John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 605 Third Ave., New York, NY 10016 (1974); \$17.95; ISBN 0-470-44792-3, LC 74-10599; 213 p.; endnotes, index.

This volume is the first of a planned annual survey of the foreign policies of the major actors in the international system. The United States, the Soviet Union, the People's Republic of China, and the European Communities will be dealt with on a regular basis, while other states and regions will be covered periodically. In this first volume, South America, India, Australia, and race relations in Africa are featured. Among the contributors to this volume are Hannes Adomeit, Michael Yahuda, Peter Calvert, James Mayall, and the late Wayne Wilcox.

MAYNE, R. (editor), *THE NEW ATLANTIC CHALLENGE*; Halsted Press, John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 605 Third Ave., New York, NY 10016 (British Atlantic Committee 1975); \$17.95; ISBN 0-470-58035-6, LC 74-20105; 376 p.; list of contributors, list of abbreviations, index. Papers and comments presented at the Europe/America Conference held in Amsterdam on 26-28 March, 1973.

In an effort to reassess the relationship between America and Europe, forty-five international figures from both sides of the Atlantic document a symposium of conflicting views and emphases based on the Amsterdam conference. "The new Atlantic challenge is to rethink our more facile assumptions, to see what links us and where we differ, to test again the validity of Kennedy-era slogans, to rebuild more complicated models of what we can reasonably want." Contributions are grouped into four sections: an introduction to the problems, economic issues in an interdependent world, processes of change in the field of security, and new perspectives in foreign policy.

HAHN, L., *WHITE FLAGS OF SURRENDER*; Robert B. Luce, Inc., distributed by David McKay Co., Inc., 750 Third Ave., New York, NY 10017 (1974); \$9.95; ISBN 0-88331-062-7, LC 73-9055; 354p.

This is the story of the life of an "average" person during the rise to power of the Nazi government in Germany. Based on the diary kept by Ms. Hahn throughout the war years, *WHITE FLAGS* describes the Nazi government's gradual rise to a position of complete control and the ensuing transformation of the citizens' lives.

MOSKOWITZ, M., *INTERNATIONAL CONCERN WITH HUMAN RIGHTS*; A.W. Sijthoff International Publishing, Leiden, Holland; or Oceana Publications Inc., Dobbs Ferry, NY (1974); ISBN 0-379-0086-5 (Oceana); ISBN 90-286-0314 X (Sijthoff); ix, 239 p.; chapter end-notes, index.

Moskowitz provides a systematic and in-depth treatment of an argument for the development of an international concern with human rights as a means for the regulation and disciplining of the international society. Platitudes on the global protection of human rights as a means to a world government give way, in this book, to a plea for the recognition of the rights of every individual as a means for common survival.

SERENY, G., *INTO THAT DARKNESS: FROM MERCY KILLING TO MASS MURDER*; McGraw-Hill Book Co., 1221 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10020 (1974); \$9.95; ISBN 0-07-056290-3, LC 74-2317; 380 p.; footnotes, bibliography, maps, photographs, index.

The author provides an additional tool to aid our understanding of the Holocaust through her documentation of seventy hours of conversation with Franz Stangl, former Kommandant of the Nazi exter-

mination camp at Treblinka. Although she does, at times, succumb to the temptation to "go easy" on Stangl for his part in the slaughter, new facts are uncovered, such as the Vatican's pre-knowledge of euthenasia, and their active help with the "Vatican Escape Route," which enabled Stangl and other war criminals to elude justice for many years.

TROBOFF, P. (editor), *LAW AND RESPONSIBILITY IN WARFARE, THE VIETNAM EXPERIENCE*; The University of North Carolina Press, Chapel Hill, NC 27514 (1975); \$13.95; ISBN 0-8078-1239-0; LC 74-22431; xiv, 280 p.; tables, index of persons, endnotes, index. Foreword by A. Goldberg.

Papers and discussions from a special meeting of the American Society of International Law in Oct., 1971 are divided into three parts: methods and means of warfare; weapons of warfare; and individual responsibility in warfare. Various articles examine both the legal and policy aspects of the weaponry and tactics used by the United States in the Vietnam war.

International Business and Taxation

BUSINESS ATLAS OF WESTERN EUROPE; a Gower Press publication (1974); distributed in United States by UNIPUB, Box 433, Murray Station, New York, NY 10016; \$20.00; 144 p.; list of official and private sources of information.

Rapid growth of international trade, the formation of many multinational concerns, and the emergence of Europe as one major market through expansion of the European Economic Community (EEC) call for economic information on the whole of Europe. This attractive, clearly designed Atlas provides essential comparative information in easy-to-follow color maps, graphs, and charts. The four sections of this publication cover: basic market information; major industries of Europe; the European consumer; and the national economies of the EEC countries.

EMPLOYEE BENEFITS IN EUROPE: AN INTERNATIONAL SURVEY OF STATE AND PRIVATE SCHEMES IN 16 COUNTRIES; a Gower Press publication (1975); distributed in United States by UNIPUB, *supra*; \$47.00; 260 p.

This wide-ranging survey provides direct access to complex employee benefit information, country by country, summarizing clearly and factually the availability and cost of each benefit. Part One provides a profile of the international benefit scene; Part Two analyzes social security systems and the supplementary private plans that are available in the European Economic Community.

EUROPEAN CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES, 1974-75; a Gower Press publication (1974); distributed in United States by UNIPUB, *supra*; \$60.00; 488 p.; illustrations, maps, charts, tables.

Up-to-date market and business information on the chemical industries of Western Europe are presented in this book in three sections: a review of the international scene; country-by-country surveys; and a detailed analysis of the top 100 European chemical companies.

FEINSCHREIBER, R., *TAX INCENTIVES FOR U.S. EXPORTS*; Oceana Publications, Inc., Dobbs Ferry, NY (1975); \$22.50; ISBN 0-379-00235-3; 385 p.; appendices, index.

This book explores the two substantial tax benefits provided by the United States government for exports, the Western Hemisphere Trade Corporation (WHTC) and the Domestic International Sales Corporation (DISC). This publication is not a technical treatise and, therefore, is an invaluable aid for independent exporters or for business people who are performing marketing or financial functions for their companies. In addition, the bibliography lists publications for further, more technical research; the appendices provide relevant legislative rulings and applicable portions of the Internal Revenue Code and Federal Tax Regulations.

FELLNER, W., CLARKSON, K., & MOORE, J., *CORRECTING TAXES FOR INFLATION*; American Enterprise Institute for Public Policy Research, Washington, DC (1975); \$2.50; ISBN 0-8447-3174-9, LC 75-18713; 47 p.; footnotes, tables. Domestic Affairs Study No. 34.

The Tax Reduction Act of 1975 was partially motivated by efforts to correct for inflation-caused overtaxation. However, as the authors seek to demonstrate, the resultant structure may be more confusing and entangled than prior law. Furthermore, the legislation may not have successfully met inflationary distortions. Without suggesting specific reform measures, the study does identify the relationships between inflation and taxation, perhaps permitting more cogent legislation to be formulated in the future.

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN EUROPE; a Gower Press publication (1974); distributed in United States by UNIPUB, Box 433, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10016; \$22.50; 327p.; illustrations, maps, graphs, tables.

The regions of Europe present a patchwork of incentives and deterrents to new industrial development, e.g., financial incentives versus political instability, available manpower versus lack of market proximity. This detailed analytical survey reviews these numerous "new location factors," country by country, region by region.

THE JAPAN-U.S. ASSEMBLY; PROCEEDINGS OF A CONFERENCE ON JAPAN-U.S. ECONOMIC POLICY; American Enterprise Institute for Public Policy Research, 1150 17th Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20036 (1975); \$4.00; 154 p.; footnotes, tables, graphs. Introductions by Paul W. McCracken and Miyohai Shinohara.

Focusing on the world oil problem, the international monetary system, and the recent inflationary phenomena common to the developed nations of the world, this collection of essays, stemming from the proceedings of an April, 1974, conference on Japanese-American economic relations, examines the transnational influences and the character of the economic relationships between America and Japan. The essays embrace a multitude of topics ranging from energy problems, the current state of and prospects for the American and Japanese economies, the new inflation, and the possibility of greater cooperation between the United States and Japan in their international economic relations. It is emphasized throughout this collection that the resolution of problems facing the world economy will be strongly influenced by whether economic relationships between Japan and the United States remain on a firm and orderly basis.

JAPANESE MARKETS REVIEW, 1974-75; A Gower Press publication (1974); distributed in United States by UNIPUB, Box 433, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10016; \$60.00; 401 p.; illustrations, key company directory, maps, charts, tables.

Japanese economic development affects the economics—internal and external—of every trading nation in the world. This 1974-75 REVIEW charts the growth of the industrial sectors and companies that have achieved this economic development and examines opportunities for corporations and overseas investors to penetrate this major marketplace. Labor, trade, energy, transportation, the balance of payments and many other topics are covered on both national and international levels.

KITNER, E., & JOELSON, M., AN INTERNATIONAL ANTITRUST PRIMER; Macmillan Publishing Co., 866 Third Ave., New York, NY 10022 (1974); \$12.95; ISBN 0-02-364380-3, LC 74-84; xiv, 391 p.; bibliography, index, appendices. Fifth volume in a series by Kitner on antitrust and trade regulation.

Described as "A Businessman's Guide to the International Aspects of United States Antitrust Law and to Key Foreign Antitrust Laws," this volume should serve the businessman and attorney as a useful tool, alerting them to problems which arise in international transactions. While dealing mainly with American law, the book does examine certain aspects of foreign law, especially that of Japan, West Germany and the EEC. The appendices include copies of U.S. regulations and some relevant sections of the Treaty of Rome. The selected bibliography should assist in solving problems not answered by the book.

QUIGLEY, J., THE SOVIET FOREIGN TRADE MONOPOLY; Ohio State University Press, 2070 Neil Ave., Columbus OH 43210 (1974); \$15.00;

ISBN 0-8142-0198-9; ix, 256p.; footnotes, bibliography, appendices, index.

A single government agency—The Ministry of Foreign Trade of the U.S.S.R.—and its evolution are analysed in this work. The first three chapters deal in depth with the development of the idea and the system. Building on this base of the theory behind the Soviet trade system, the author continues with an analysis of the functioning of the agency and a conclusion regarding its workings and effectiveness. For those who are interested in the functions of the Soviet ministry or who anticipate dealings with it, this volume provides a valuable starting point.

SHRAND, D. & KEETON, A., COMPANY LAW AND COMPANY TAXATION IN SOUTH AFRICA; Legal & Financial Publishing Company, P.O. Box 3461, Cape Town, South Africa (1974); R.21,00 (includes postage to U.S.); annual updating service, R.1,75 per annum; ISBN 0-86994-017-1; xiii, 525 p.; appendices, index.

This one volume general reference provides comprehensive coverage of both taxation and company law of the Republic of South Africa, with special emphasis on the procedural aspects and practical application of the provisions of the Companies Act of 1973. A summary of the recent case law concerning company and tax law is also provided.

SUMMARY: AN EVALUATION OF THE OPTIONS OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT IN ITS RELATIONSHIP TO U.S. FIRMS IN INTERNATIONAL PETROLEUM AFFAIRS; Federal Energy Administration (1975); Available through the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402; GPO 886-201, USGPO 1975-620-354/1804; 122 p.; Summary of the 850 p. report AN EVALUATION OF THE OPTIONS OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT IN ITS RELATIONSHIP TO U.S. FIRMS IN INTERNATIONAL PETROLEUM AFFAIRS.

This summary condenses the report prepared for the Federal Energy Administration by Mossaman, Waters, Krueger, Marsh and Riordan of Los Angeles (the Krueger report). It examines the historical antecedents of the present international petroleum system, the current United States energy policy, and the objectives of that policy. The summary also outlines and discusses five purely unilateral options and four bilateral/multilateral options suggested for the United States government to follow in this field; it concludes by stating that no single policy may be effective, and that a combination may be needed.

SWIDROWSKI, J., EXCHANGE AND TRADE CONTROLS: PRINCIPLES AND PROCEDURES OF INTERNATIONAL TRANSACTIONS AND SETTLEMENTS; a Gower Press publication (1975); distributed in United States by UNI-

PUB, Box 433, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10016; \$32.50; 342 p.; illustrations, index.

This book describes and analyzes the national exchange and trade controls used to regulate transactions and settlements between countries. Specific examples of regulations and practices in countries throughout the world result in a clear understanding of the way the controls work and of the policies that give rise to these controls. Dr. Swidrowski identifies three broad categories of control: the movements of currency for payments; imports and exports; and non-trade transactions such as investments, loans and services.

International Economic Relations

MIKESSELL, R. & FURTH, J., FOREIGN DOLLAR BALANCES AND THE INTERNATIONAL ROLE OF THE DOLLAR; National Bureau of Economic Research, New York (1974); available from Columbia University Press, 562 W. 113th St., New York, NY 10025; ISBN 0-87014-262-3; LC 73-8544; xiv, 125 p.; footnotes, glossary, appendix, tables, index. Studies in International Economic Relations, No. 8.

The role of the dollar in the international setting is explored by the authors through an analysis of statistics relative to foreign dollar holdings, the role of multinational banks, and the factors determining the demand for U.S. dollars, Eurodollars and other currencies. The problems of international monetary reform and the implications of the development of the Eurocurrency and Eurobond markets are analyzed in terms of the international role of the dollar and the U.S. balance of payments.

SOURCES OF EUROPEAN ECONOMIC INFORMATION; a Gower Press publication (1974); distributed in United States by UNIPUB, Box 433, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10016; \$30.00; 343 p.; bibliographical data, descriptive summaries, tables of publications and issuing bodies.

This easily used guide covers 1000 key sources of published economic information in sixteen Western European countries and enables the reader to pinpoint a requirement for specific economic information in a particular country and identify the publications available.

International Law

FULDA, C. & SCHWARTZ, W., REGULATION OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INVESTMENT: CASES AND MATERIALS; The Foundation Press, Inc., 170 Old Country Rd., Mineola, NY 11501 (1970); \$14.50; xlv, 796 p.; table of cases, table of abbreviations, table of authorities, index. University Casebook Series.

This textbook is designed for use in a three hour course. According to the authors, two dimensions are critical: the tension between

the free market economy versus the need for government intervention; and the design of transactional organizations. To meet these objectives, they divide the book into two main parts. The first deals with goods and commodities and the law that affects these transactions. The second focuses on direct investment which may create tension in host countries as a result of conflicts over jurisdiction, taxation and the reconciliation of national economic policy with international objectives.

KAHN, E. (editor), *SELECT SOUTH AFRICAN LEGAL PROBLEMS*; Juta & Co., Ltd., Capetown, South Africa (1974); R.7,50; ISBN 0-7021-0501-5; 147 p.; reprinted from *THE SOUTH AFRICAN LAW JOURNAL*.

This set of essays was published in honor of the memory of R.G. McKerron, the South African law professor who died in 1973. Some of the contributions include: *The Principle of Unanimous Consent* by R.C. Beuthin, *Legal Reasoning in Rome and Today* by A.M. Lonore, and *Latent Defects in Sales of Unascertained Goods* by D. Zeffertt.

LEECH, N., OLIVER, C. & SWEENEY, J., *THE INTERNATIONAL LEGAL SYSTEM: CASES AND MATERIALS, AND DOCUMENTARY SUPPLEMENT*; The Foundation Press, Inc., Mineola, NY 11501 (1973); Casebook, \$20.00, Supplement, \$2.50; LC 73-83968; Casebook, lxxxiii, 1327 p.; footnotes, bibliography, tables, index. Supplement: vii, 302 p.; footnotes, tables. University Casebook Series.

These cases and materials are designed primarily for use in a core course in international law. The authors cover both public and private aspects of international law, international systems, jurisdiction, the individual in international systems, and the use of force.

International Organizations

FALK, R., *A STUDY OF FUTURE WORLDS*; The Free Press, Macmillan Publishing Co., Inc., 866 Third Ave., New York, NY 10022 (1975); \$15.00 (hardbound), \$6.95 (paperback); ISBN 0-02-910060-7 (hardbound), 0-02-910080-1 (paperback), LC 74-10139; xxxiii, 506 p.; page reference marks, chapter endnotes, illustrations, tables, list of abbreviations, index. "Preferred Worlds for the 1990's" Series (a program of the World Order Models Project).

Princeton international affairs professor Richard A. Falk promulgates in this work the U.S. contribution to the World Order Models Project, a transnational research enterprise dedicated to serious thought on global reform. Grappling with fundamental issues affecting the future of world order, this study transcends the limitations of an analysis through independent nation-states to propose a reformed and integrated world polity. Falk's central guidance system would allow a wide dispersion of authority and power, in contrast to the structural framework of a "world government solution" which would necessitate a shift in authority to general-purpose global actors. Areas

of concern include: value preferences; current trends and patterns in world society; design of a new world order; feasible transitional strategies; selected aspects of the world economy; and America's stake in global reform.

KEESING'S REPORT, *THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES: ESTABLISHMENT AND GROWTH*; Charles Scribner's Sons, 597 Fifth Ave., New York, NY 10017 (1975); \$7.95 (clothbound), \$2.95 (paperback); ISBN 0-684-13926-6 (cloth), 0-684-13929-4 (paper); xiii, 208p.; appendices, index.

This research report is based on information contained in Keesing's Contemporary Archives. It traces the creation of Coal and Steel Community, The Common Market and European Atomic Energy Commission to its present structure and usefulness as a unifying force in Europe.

KOTHARI, R., *FOOTSTEPS INTO THE FUTURE: DIAGNOSIS OF THE PRESENT WORLD AND A DESIGN FOR AN ALTERNATIVE*; The Free Press, Macmillan Publishing Co., Inc., 866 Third Ave., New York, NY 10022, (1974); \$8.95 (hardbound), \$3.95 (paperback); ISBN 0-02-917570-4 (hardbound), 0-02-917580-1 (paperback); LC 74-31357, xxiii, 173 p.; footnotes, chapter references, appendix, index. "Preferred Worlds for the 1990's" Series.

India's version of a preferred future world order attacks the worldwide technological and organizational setting which promotes division, domination, injustice, and violence. The restructuring of world politics into twenty-five political units which would establish conditions of autonomy at the individual, national, and world level is seen by Kothari as a cure to the growing dualism between dominant and dependent states. Rejecting a concept of balance of power, the author stresses the need for recognition of equality for all nations and emphasizes the recognition of that need as a prerequisite to solution of problems of the "Third World."

MENDLOVITZ, S. (editor), *ON THE CREATION OF A JUST WORLD ORDER: PREFERRED WORLDS FOR THE 1990's*; The Free Press, *supra* (1975); \$9.95; ISBN 0-02-920900-5, LC 74-28937; xviii, 302 p.; tables, index. "Preferred Worlds for the 1990's" Series.

Eight international scholars, representing groups in the Institute for World Order, have capsulized within this collection of essays their distinct versions of a preferred future world order achievable within the next twenty years. A number of other works in the series offer more detailed attempts to realize the world order values of peace, economic well-being, social justice, ecological stability, and positive identity as a cure to alienation. The contributors have articulated creative thinking, valuable to the student of contemporary political and social systems, on the real possibilities of reform toward "what

ought to be" the structure of governance for our emerging global community.

SCOTT, G., *THE RISE AND FALL OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS*; Macmillan Publishing Company, Inc., 866 Third Ave., New York, NY 10022 (1974); \$9.95; LC 73-20179; 432 p.; index, appendix (Covenant of the League of Nations).

Mr. Scott's work is an examination of the political pressures and diplomatic struggles that brought about the demise of the League of Nations. Based on the theory that the very idealism that brought about the creation of the League made its end inevitable, the book explores in some detail the personalities involved and the role of these men in the failure of the League.

Because the book draws heavily on new research and personal interviews with many of the persons who played major roles in the life of the League, it makes a substantial contribution to historical analysis of diplomacy and international organizations.

International Politics and Government

GOODWIN, G. & LINKLATER, A. (editors), *NEW DIMENSIONS OF WORLD POLITICS*; A Halsted Press Book, John Wiley & Sons, 605 Third Ave., New York, NY 10016 (1975); \$11.00; ISBN 0-470-31510-5, LC 74-32333; 127 p.; endnotes.

This volume represents the fruit of a lecture series at the London School of Economics in 1974. All six lectures are thoughtful and thought-provoking. Especially well-done are the contributions of Inis Claude, *The Problem of Evaluating War*, and Richard Rosecrance, *International Interdependence*. The other distinguished contributors are Joseph Nye, George Modelski, Ernst Haas, and Bruce Russett.

HARKABI, Y., *PALESTINIANS AND ISRAEL*; Israel Universities Press, Keter Publishing House Jerusalem Ltd., P.O. Box 7145, Jerusalem, Israel (1974); distributed in the U.S. by Halsted Press, 605 Third Avenue, New York, NY 10016, \$9.95; ISBN 0-470-35211-6, LC 74-23800; x, 285 p.

This volume represents a collection of seventeen articles authored by Professor Harkabi between 1969 and 1974, dealing with the Middle East conflict. Some of the articles included are: *The Palestinians in the Arab-Israeli Conflict*, *The Meaning of "a Democratic Palestinian State," Resolutions of the Eighth Palestinian National Council*, *Obstacles in the Way of a Settlement*, and *Israel in the Face of the Present Arab Policy*.

LENCZOWSKI, G. (editor), *POLITICAL ELITES IN THE MIDDLE EAST*; American Enterprise Institute for Public Policy Research, 1150 17th Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20036 (1975); \$3.50 (paper), \$9.50

(cloth); ISBN 0-8447-3163-3 (paper), 0-8447-3164-1 (cloth); LC 75-10898; footnotes, index.

Nine experts on the Middle East examine the origins, history, composition, structure, and policies of the four leading Arab states, Israel, and the two major non-Arab states. Included are *Some Reflections on the Study of Elites* by G. Lenczowski, *Patterns of Elite Politics in Turkey* by F. Frey, *Aspects of the Political Elite in Syria* by G. Torrey, and *The Political Elite and National Leadership in Israel* by E. Guttman and J. Landau.

MEE, C.L. JR., *MEETING AT POTSDAM*; M. Evans & Co., 216 E. 49th St., New York, NY 10017 (1975); \$10.95; ISBN 0-87131-167-4, LC 74-23997; xiv, 370 p.; note on sources, bibliography, index, appendices (Potsdam Proclamation, Potsdam Declaration).

Mee has produced a highly readable history of the Potsdam Conference, long ignored by historians. The author's portraits of Truman, Churchill, and Stalin add considerably to the reconstruction of the sessions of the Conference itself. Mee contends that discord and division in Europe were the inevitable result of the Conference, as each of the Three Powers went into the Conference pursuing its perception of its own national interest, at the expense of both its victorious allies and its vanquished enemies—and, in the long-run, at the price of lasting peace in Europe.

NICOLAEVSKY, B.J., *POWER AND THE SOVIET ELITE: "THE LETTER OF AN OLD BOLSHEVIK" AND OTHER ESSAYS*; Ann Arbor Paperbacks, The University of Michigan Press, Ann Arbor, MI (1975); \$4.95; Stock #AA 196; ISBN 0-472-06196-8 (paperback), 0-472-06196-4 (cloth-bound); xxi, 275 p.; footnotes. Introduction by G.F. Kennan.

Often, collections of essays drown the reader in unconsolidated musing without a coherent structure. This well-edited series of Nicolaevsky's essays, however, sketches a clear picture of the Stalin era as viewed by a Menshevik revolutionary who survived it. Coupled with Kennan's introduction, the essays give new insights into a much analyzed political period in Soviet history and the man who guided it.

World Energy

JACOBY, N., *MULTINATIONAL OIL: A STUDY IN INDUSTRIAL DYNAMICS*; Macmillan Publishing Co., Inc., 866 Third Ave., New York, NY 10022 (1974); ISBN 0-02-915990-3 (hardcover), 0-02-915980-6 (paperback), LC 74-22381; xxvi, 325 p.; charts, graphs, tables, index.

Professor Jacoby presents an in-depth analysis and critique of the foreign oil industry—its history, economic structure and behavioral patterns; the role of various governments and corporations; and the dynamics of competition. He offers suggestions for coping with

the energy problems of the 1970's and makes predictions based on his careful studies. Example: OPEC "*will cut the price of oil because it is in its economic interest to do so.*"

MITCHELL, E. (editor), *DIALOGUE ON WORLD OIL: PROCEEDINGS OF A CONFERENCE ON WORLD OIL*; available in paper and cloth editions from American Enterprise Institute for Public Policy Research, 1150 Seventeenth St., N.W., Wash., DC (1974); ISBN 0-8447-2059-3 (paper), ISBN 0-8447-2060-7 (cloth), LC 74-29419; 105 p.; introduction, list of conference participants. Forward by Melvin R. Laird.

These proceedings of a world conference on oil drew renowned participants from many different fields. Although the book reaches no definite conclusions about the world energy crisis, it does provide the reader with different perspectives, giving him an idea of what the world oil crisis is all about.

NATIONAL BUREAU REPORT, and SUPPLEMENT; National Bureau of Economic Research, Inc., 261 Madison Ave., New York, NY 10016; 316 p.; distributed without charge to Bureau contributors, subscribers, and others interested in the field of economic research. Supplements are issued from time to time.

The February 1975 REPORT and SUPPLEMENT focus on the new realities of energy use and availability. Among the topics covered are the economic aspects and impacts of air and water pollution, resource use, and the tools being developed for attacking these problems. John R. Meyer's supplementary text, *Transportation Solutions to the Energy "Crisis,"* proposes several measures to decrease our consumption of petroleum products. Regular features of the REPORT include recent publications, reprints and working papers, and financial statements of the Bureau.

SHWADRAN, B., *THE MIDDLE EAST, OIL AND THE GREAT POWERS*; Israel Universities Press, Keter Publishing House Ltd., P.O. Box 7145, Jerusalem, Israel; IUP Cat. No. 25087; (3d ed. 1973); distributed in United States by Halsted Press, 605 Third Avenue, New York, NY 10016; \$20.00; ISBN 0-470-79000-8, LC 73-10181; xviii, 630 p.; footnotes, bibliography, tables, maps, index.

"Oil and the Middle East" was the subject of the first edition of this volume, published in 1955; this latest edition covers developments through 1973. Dr. Shwadran analyzes each of the major producing countries individually, tracing the history of their oil production from the first foreign concessions to their activities as part of OPEC. The roles of the non-producing countries and the great powers are also presented, along with a look to possible future developments.

World Peace

LISKE, C. AND RUNDQUIST, B., *THE POLITICS OF WEAPONS PROCUREMENT: THE ROLE OF CONGRESS*; University of Denver, Denver, CO 80210 (1974); available from the Managing Editor, Social Science Foundation, University of Denver, Denver, CO 80210; 100 p.; endnotes, tables. Volume 12, Number 1 of the Monograph Series in World Affairs of The Social Science Foundation and Graduate School of International Studies of the University of Denver.

Weapons procurement has always provided lively debate in Congress, as its members strive for allocations which will benefit home districts and some modicum of national defense. This short work traces the procurement process of two weapons systems through interviews with the Congressional actors and other sources. The conclusions attempt to place this process in the total context of domestic and foreign policy.

PRANGER, R. & TAHTINEN, D., *NUCLEAR THREAT IN THE MIDDLE EAST*; American Enterprise Institute for Public Policy Research, 1150 Seventeenth St., N.W., Wash., DC 20036 (1975); \$3.00; ISBN 0-8447-3172-2, LC 75-16306; 57 p.; footnotes. Foreign Affairs Study No. 23.

The position of the authors is that, in the absence of peace in the Middle East, the military preparedness of Israel and the Arab states will continue to move to ever higher levels of technical sophistication, eventually including nuclear arms. The authors confront a number of uncomfortable questions, including the possibility of nuclear war, the current existence of nuclear weapons, and the possible scenarios for the use of nuclear and chemical-biological weapons in the Middle East.

Miscellaneous

BECKER, G. & LANDES, W. (editors), *ESSAYS IN THE ECONOMICS OF CRIME AND PUNISHMENT*; National Bureau of Economic Research, Inc., 261 Madison Avenue, New York, NY 10016; distributed by Columbia University Press, 562 W. 113 St., New York, NY 10025; \$12.50 (paperback \$5.00); ISBN 0-87014-263-1 (clothbound), 0-87014-288-7 (paperback), LC 73-88507; xvii, 268 p.; footnotes, chapter references, index.

This systematic study of enforcement as an economic problem includes a number of essays reprinted from various journals: *Crime and Punishment: An Economic Approach*, Gary S. Becker; *The Optimum Enforcement of Laws*, George J. Stigler; *Participation in Illegitimate Activities: An Economic Analysis*, Issac Ehrlich; *The Bail System: An Economic Approach*, William M. Landes; *An Economic Analysis of the Courts*, William M. Landes; and *The Behavior of Administrative Agencies*, Richard A. Posner.

JUSTER, F. T., *EDUCATION, INCOME, AND HUMAN BEHAVIOR*; A Report Prepared for the Carnegie Commission on Higher Education and

the National Bureau of Economic Research; McGraw-Hill Book Company, New York, NY (1975); \$17.50; ISBN 0-07-010068-3; 438 p.; appendices. With chapters by A. Beaton, I. Ehrlich, G. Ghez, J. Hause, A. Leibowitz, R. Michael, J. Mincer, S. Rosen, L. Solmon, P. Taubman, T. Wales and P. Wachtel.

This volume of essays is a study of the way higher education influences marriage patterns, family size, consumption, savings, and social and political attitudes. By providing a close look at the assumption that higher education is both profitable and worthwhile for Americans, Juster fills the need for a study of qualitative and quantitative judgments about the nature and extent of higher education's influence on behavior.

MORGAN, W. R. (editor), 24 DRAMATIC CASES OF THE INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF TRIAL LAWYERS; Exposition Press, 900 South Oyster Bay Road, Hicksville, NY 11801 (1975); \$10.00; ISBN 0-682-48142-4 (clothbound), ISBN 0-682-48143-2 (paperback), LC 74-21445; 224 p.; footnotes, appendix.

First hand accounts of the most memorable cases of a number of members of the International Academy of Trial Lawyers are set down in this book, the first of a series covering their trial experiences, judgments and "shop talk."

MOSS, M. (editor), THE MEASUREMENT OF ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PERFORMANCE; National Bureau of Economic Research, New York, NY (1973); distributed in the United States by Columbia University Press, New York, NY; ISBN 0-87014-259-3, LC 72-97766; 605 p.; footnotes, graphs, tables, index. Volume 38 of Studies in Income and Wealth.

At present the system of national accounts measuring GNP is the standard device used throughout the world. The papers in this volume, presented at a conference at Princeton in November, 1971, propose alternatives which may give governments more accurate information and guidance concerning the social welfare of the population. Contributors include Wassily Leontif, Simon Kuznets and others.

SAFIRE, W., BEFORE THE FALL: AN INSIDE VIEW OF THE PRE-WATERGATE WHITE HOUSE; Doubleday and Company, Inc., Garden City, NY (1975); \$12.50; ISBN 0-385-08595-8, LC 74-17771; ix, 704 p.; plates, index.

This anecdotal history, by former President Nixon's senior speech writer, provides new insights into The Man, from his political "retirement" in 1963 through the pre-Watergate period of 1973. While not directly involved with international law or policy, this memoir helps lend a flavor to the atmosphere in which many important international decisions were made.

WOODRUFF, W., *AMERICA'S IMPACT ON THE WORLD*; Halsted Press, A division of John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 605 Third Avenue, New York, NY 10016 (1975); \$12.95; ISBN 0-470-95963-0; 296 p.; bibliography, tables, index.

This companion to Woodruff's *IMPACT OF WESTERN MAN*, which dealt with Europe's impact in the world, provides a synthesis of America's impact on the world during the past two hundred years. The primary focus of this well researched work is on the economic consequences of America's rise to world power status. As the author is not American, his comments are often critical and thought-provoking.

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