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cedure, laying considerable emphasis upon second mortgages.

There are reproductions of more than fifty forms commonly used in such transactions.

Principles of Business Law. By Essel R. Dillavou and Charles G. Howard. New York: Prentice-Hall, Inc., 1928.

The authors have had two distinct objectives in view in preparing this book; first, a text in which the student and teacher may find a brief statement of the fundamental principles involved; and, second, a selection of cases that will demonstrate how these principles apply in actual practice. A book of this kind, to be valuable, must accomplish two purposes: first, it should acquaint the student with the general principles which are followed in business; and, second, it should train him in the application of these principles to typical business situations.

The authors have, in general, chosen cases which show how the courts have applied principles of business law under peculiar circumstances. In abstracting the cases the facts have been restated, and matter relating merely to procedure has been to a large extent eliminated.

Cases on Domestic Relations. By Joseph Warren Madden. St. Paul: West Publishing Company, 1928.

This book undertakes to present problems of the law of Domestic Relations with only enough historical background to make the current decisions understandable. It is unfortunate that the time available for this course is not in most cases sufficient to permit a comprehensive treatment of the entire subject. In the attempt to compress the material available one is led to wonder whether a wise choice has been made of the cases available.

While there is considerable matter contained in the footnotes, we must again call attention to the absence of anything like a series of hypothetical questions adapted to the use of students and de-

signed to give them an opportunity to test their grasp of the subject and show whether they have mastered the cases in question. Such a series of hypothetical questions may be said to be an indispensable part of every well prepared case book.

Sales Contracts and Forms. New York: Prentice-Hall, Inc., 1928.

This book contains actual reproductions of forms designed for practically all sales purposes. They have been carefully selected from a great number contributed by sales managers throughout the country. They include sales agreements, sales contracts of various kinds, including salary and commission agreements, salary and bonus, forfeiture clauses, and provisions for the termination of the contract. In addition there are forms of salesmen's applications, reports, personal records, and individual correspondence forms. Further, there are forms of agreements relative to territorial rights, trade acceptances, bulk commodity sales, and leases of business property. This should prove a valuable book for the collection lawyer.

Dr. Lesch of U. of C. Addresses Round Table

At the December meeting of the Round Table, Lynden H. Lesch, LL.B., Ph.D., professor of the Law of Trusts and Trust Investments at the University of Chicago, and an alumnus of Chicago-Kent College of Law (Feb. '23), gave us a short introductory talk and then showed six reels of movies of a very interesting trip to the Hawaiian Island group.

Dr. Lesch is a very expert amateur photographer, and took all the views himself. He showed the volcano craters, the mountains and tropical forests, banana and pineapple plantations, views of Honolulu and the old time coronation ceremonies, which were very interesting. We took rides on the speedy surf boards and in the outrigger canoes, which attain a speed of 25 miles an hour coming in through the surf.