

*British Columbia. Report on Oriental Activities Within the Province.* (Victoria: The Legislative Assembly, 1927. Pp. 24.)

Statistical information is here assembled by different agencies of government. The most significant paragraph among the conclusions is the following:

"The fact is pointed out, particularly in Vancouver and Victoria, that whereas until recent years Chinese stores were only to be found in those quarters of the two cities which have for many years been occupied by people of this race, stores and laundries conducted by Chinese are now to be found spread over all parts of the cities, in addition to the still existing Chinese quarters. Municipal officials state that in numerous instances these stores, selling confectionery, soft drinks, fruits, cigarettes, vegetables, canned goods, or small groceries, have replaced or driven out white storekeepers who formerly made a livelihood, or supplemented the earnings of other members of the family, in this manner. Chinese residence in other quarters than their own has followed this business penetration."

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*Archeological Observations North of the Rio Colorado.* By NEIL M. JUDD. (Washington: Bureau of American Ethnology, 1926. Pp. 171.)

*Burials of the Algonquian, Siouan and Caddoan Tribes West of the Mississippi.* By DAVID I. BUSHNELL, JR. (Washington: Bureau of American Ethnology, 1927. Pp. 103.)

These two books comprise Bulletins 82 and 83 of the Bureau of American Ethnology. They are of the same type of excellence as to paper, binding and illustrations as are the other works issued under the auspices of the Smithsonian Institution. The titles give a sufficient index of the contents.

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*British Columbia. Report of the Provincial Museum of Natural History for the year 1926.* (Victoria: Legislative Assembly, 1927. Pp. 41.)

The year's success in activities and collections are set forth with the usual excellence of type and illustrations. The printing is credited to "Charles F. Banfield, Printer to the King's Most Excellent Majesty."

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*The Sanctity of Law. Wherein Does it Consist.* By JOHN W. BURGESS. (Boston: Ginn and Company, 1927. Pp. 335. \$3.00.)

Hosts will hope that *The Sanctity of Law* is not the fare-