

States and the Establishment of International Government," "Domestic Policies After the World War," "United States Foreign Policies After the World War," "Politics and Political Theories." Appendix A gives the text of the covenant of the League of Nations, and Appendix B gives the text of the statute of the Permanent Court of International Justice.

The portion most interesting to readers of this publication will be found in Chapter XXVIII, pages 364-385, entitled "Political Policies: The Pacific." Here he treats of general Pacific-Area Policies, of United States Possessions, Alaska, Hawaii, The Philippine Islands, China, and Japan. It is a distinct service to prepare this reasoned discussion of the most recent negotiations and practices pertaining to the Pacific area, fraught with so much importance in the present growth and future destiny of the United States.

While intended as a college textbook, Professor Malin's *The United States After the World War* is sure to find a welcome among general readers who desire a compact record of the field covered.

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*Diary of Francis Dickens.* By VERNON LACHANCE. (Kingston, Ontario, Queen's University, 1930. Pp. 23.)

This is Bulletin 59 in the series published by Queen's University's Departments of History and Political and Economic Science. It relates to Canada's Northwest but an additional interest develops in the personality of the diarist. In Mr. LaChance's introduction is this paragraph:

"Inspector Francis Jeffrey Dickens had had wide and varied experience in his present line of work. It was a long stretch from the literary circle of his illustrious father, Charles Dickens, at Gad's Hill to the office of District Superintendent of the Bengal Police in India; then, after a sorrowful return to England, occasioned by his father's death, a still longer move to the prairies and forests of the new world. The problems, however, were not dissimilar. The tension of the decade or so following the Indian Mutiny and the necessity for tact and understanding in dealing with the natives had almost their replicas in the present situation in Canada."

Inspector Dickens of the North West Mounted Police began his work at Winnipeg in November, 1874, and his duties among Indians and fur hunters took him to Fort Walsh, Fort MacLeod and back again. The diary here reproduced covers eventful experiences in the spring of 1885.