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**EDMUND BURKE AND THE NATURAL LAW.** Peter J. Stanlis. University of Michigan Press. Ann Arbor: 1958. Pp. 311. $5.75. A definitive study of a major political and literary figure. The author portrays Burke as "one of the most eloquent and profound defenders of Natural Law morality and politics in Western civilization."


FREE MAN VERSUS HIS GOVERNMENT. Arthur L. Harding. Southern Methodist University Press. Dallas: 1958. Pp. 117. $3.00. An examination of liberties long considered essential to a free society. There are four essays, each seeking to restate the basis of a freedom and a determination of how it is withstanding the assaults upon it.

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INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS. Tax Institute, Inc. Princeton: 1958. Pp. 258. $6.00. The subject of differentials in federal income tax law and administration as they affect various categories of taxpayers is the subject of intensive consideration in this symposium. Specific aspects of differentials in compensation and investment and the question of how best to reduce taxation are considered.


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**A TREATISE ON THE LAW OF CONTRACTS. Samuel Williston, 3d ed. Walter H. E. Jaeger. Baker, Voorhis & Co., Inc. Mt. Kisco: 1957. Vol. 1. Pp. xxii, 826. $20.00. A new edition bringing Williston’s treatise up to date. This first volume covers eight of the twelve chapters that were the subject of the first volume of the second edition with new material dealing with new subjects or with subjects which have increased in importance.
