

## BOOK REVIEW

*Treaties, Their Making and Enforcement.* Second Edition.

By Samuel B. Crandall, Ph.D., of the bar of New York and of the District of Columbia. Published by John Byrne & Company, Washington. 1916.

The second edition of Mr. Crandall's well known and practical work will be welcomed by all interested in the actual procedure of international intercourse. While the work before us is primarily concerned with the making and construction of treaties, it covers, in fact, a much wider field and should take a prominent place in works upon international law. Mr. Crandall's style is clear and his treatment always comprehensive and exact. These qualities are well illustrated in the section dealing with the Treaty of Peace made with Spain after the War of 1898: the constitutional principles subsequently announced by the Supreme Court in the numerous so-called insular cases are more clearly explained by Mr. Crandall than by any other author familiar to us. An appendix gives a comprehensive and valuable view of American decisions construing treaties; these are arranged under the names of the various countries concerned, a plan rendering the treatment unusually clear. The second appendix gives the forms involved in the process of treaty-making and it will be grateful to every student. We unhesitatingly commend the book to all interested in public affairs.

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