

(ii) "Handling of Law Enforcement File in FOIA in the United States," by Prof. Masanari Sakamoto of Hiroshima University.

(iii) "Freedom of Information and Law of Criminal Procedure," by Prof. Hideo Niwayama of Chukyo University.

(iv) "Protection of Privacy by Criminal Law, — Problem on Harmony of Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy," by Prof. Munenobu Hirakawa of Nagoya University.

[Lecture]

On "New Criminal Law in China," by Prof. Atsushi Asai of Aichi University.

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5. Commercial Law

The 45th General Meeting of *the Japan Association of Private Law* was held at Kobe Gakuin University on Oct. 10 and 11, 1981. The main theme of a symposium held jointly by the Commercial Law Department and the Civil Law Department at the general meeting was "Contracts of Adhesion."

Since contracts of adhesion have so much to do with our everyday life, discussions on such a theme are very important. Because of the large nature of the theme, however, it was difficult to cover the entire range in a single symposium. The joint symposium was significant as an attempt to probe into the important problem of modern society.

(For details, see Activities of Academic Societies, Law of Property and obligations.)

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