

mains, by Hiroshi Kamata (Professor, Senshu University).

(5) On the Role of the Notable in Local Administrations during the Meiji Era, by Einosuke Yamanaka (Professor, Osaka University).

The Second Day:

(1) On the Appointment of Local Officials in Jiangnan, South of the Lower Reaches of the Changjiang River, under the Yuan Dynasty, by Tadashi Uematsu (Professor, Kagawa University).

(2) On H. Doneau's "A Theory of Private Law," by Takayoshi Nishimura (Lecturer, Teikyo University).

(3) Parental Authority about Agreements of Marriage, by Taichiro Tsuji (Associate Professor, Meiji Gakuin University).

(4) On the Council System in 18th Century North America, by Ryutaro Sasagawa (LL.M., Tohoku University).

(5) The Custom of Guilds in Bayern, by Mikio Kajiki (Professor, Hiroshima Shudo University).

## **b. Sociology of Law**

*The Japanese Association of Sociology of Law* held its 1987 General Meeting on May 9 and 10 at Waseda University. The first day was devoted to a symposium on "The Formation and the Development of Rights"; the second day was devoted to reports given at section meetings.

### ***[The First Day]***

Symposium: The Formation and the Development of Rights.

(1) Diverse Categories of "New Rights" and Their Interaction, by Yonosuke Inamoto (Professor, Tokyo University).

(2) On the Right to Live in Peace, by Yoshiaki Yoshida (Professor, Meiji University).

(3) Taxpayers' Fundamental Rights, by Hirohisa Kitano (Professor, Nihon University).

(4) On the Rights of Liver, by Hiroyuki Ikeshima (Professor, Waseda University).

(5) Towards a Model of Activities to Institutionalize New Le-

gal Rights as a Form of Social Movements, by Setsuo Miyazawa (Professor, Kobe University).

**[The Second Day]**

Section 1:

(1) Why Didn't the Jury System Work in Pre-War Japan?, by Takashi Maruta (Professor, Konan University).

(2) Rationality and Irrationality in the Law, by Takao Sasaki (Associate Professor, Aoyama Gakuin University).

(3) Grounds and Limitations of a Pluralistic Legal System, by Masashi Chiba (Professor, Tokai University).

Section 2:

(1) Legal Behavior and the Attitudes of Small Corporations, by Atsushi Bushimata (Lecturer, Fukuoka University).

(2) An Adolescent's Right of Self-Determination on Sexual Activity, by Tamie Kaino (Lecturer, Nihon Fukushi University).

(3) The Modern Problems of Commons in England and Wales, by Hiroshi Hiramatsu (Professor, Aoyama Gakuin University).

Section 3:

(1) The Sociology of Law and Commercial Law — Methodological Problems, by Seiji Takehisa (Professor, Ryukoku University).

(2) The Legal Structure of the Remedy of Stated Capital, by Tadakuni Nogimura (Associate Professor, Nihon University).

(3) The Survival of the Company Groups and One Man Company, by Hideo Aoki (Professor, Dokkyo University).

Special Lecture:

Towards a General Theory of Sociology of Law as a Foundation of Juristic Science — A Synopsis of My Works Since 1970, by Takeyoshi Kawashima (Emeritus Professor, Tokyo University).

**c. Legal Philosophy**

The 1987 General Meeting of *the Japan Association of Legal Philosophy* was held on November 27 and 28 at Ritsumeikan University under the topic "Utilitarianism and Legal Theory."