Okayama University).

(5) Recent Trends and the Current Situations on Partition of Estate Cases at Osaka Family Court, by Motoko Simokata (Judge, Osaka District Court).

Conclusion, by Takeo Ukon.

Discussion, chaired by Yoshihiko Sato (Professor, Doshisha University) and Takeo Ukon.

Prof. TAEKO MIKI KYOKO GOTO

# 4. Law of Civil Procedure and Bankruptcy

The Japanese Association of the Law of Civil Procedure held its 60th General Meeting at Kagawa University on May 13, 1990. The titles of individual reports and the symposium were as follows:

## [Reports]

- (1) The Requirement of "Concessions" in the Judicial Settlement, by Masako Teruya (Associate Professor, Osaka University of Economics and Law).
- (2) The Study on the Practice of the Principle of Party Disposition in Domestic Affairs Proceedings for Dividing Inherited Property, by Ikuo Ikejiri (Associate Professor, Ehime University).
- (3) The Complication of Contentious Cases and Adjustment Cases, by Ikuo Inoue (Judge, Takamatsu High Court).
- (4) The Fields and Limits of Modern Insolvency Law, by Tetsuo Sato (Associate Professor, Hokkaido University).
- (5) The Protection of Trade Secrets in Litigation, by Makoto Tanabe (Associate Professor, Hiroshima University).
  - (6) The Domestic Effect of Foreign Judgments for the Cause

of Interpleader of Any Co-signer by Defendant, by Satoshi Watanabe (Associate Professor, Osaka University).

### [Mini-Symposium]

Conference for Pleading and Settlement.

Reporters:

Kenji Nishi (Judge, Supreme Court),

Minoru Koyama (Attorney),

Toshio Uehara (Associate Professor, Hitotsubashi University).

Prof. TETSUO KATO TAKASHI KONDO KEN YAMAMOTO

#### 5. Criminal Law and Procedure

The Criminal Law Society of Japan held its 68th General Meeting at Shizuoka Sogo Shakai Fukushi Kaikan on June 2 and 3, 1990.

The contents of the meeting are outlined as follows:

#### 1. Reports of Individual Studies:

- (1) An Analysis of Some Problems and Proposal for the Reform of Summary Procedure, by Itaru Fukushima (Associate Professor, Hirosaki University).
- (2) On Subjective Impossibility, by Jun Shiomi (Associate Professor, Kyoto University).
- (3) The Meaning of Breach of Trust On Its Essence and Subject, by Kazutaka Ueshima (Associate Professor, Kanazawa University).