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After giving an introductory description of the attitudes and procedures of the clinical psychologist the author discusses the appraisal of motivation, capacity and control in approximately two-thirds of the book. He makes considerable use of interesting case histories in this connection and includes material on objective tests mental deficiency, projective methods and description and interpretation of abnormal behavior from anxiety states to the major psychoses.

A volume on clinical psychology no larger than this one must almost of necessity be written from a single viewpoint, and even so the selection of subject matter is no small problem.

Psychologists who are associated with state and other correctional systems are in a hard way because their "clients" are usually involuntary. With this circumstance in view it will be acknowledged that the author has produced a good book. Psychologists who are dealing with involuntary "clients" in correctional institutions should read it.

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