

Appendix I., there will also be found a number of General Forms relating to Patents and to Practice in the Exchequer Court of Canada, which will be useful to practitioners in the Courts and in the Patent Office, as well as to inventors.

A table giving the terms of patents in the principal countries of the world gives a large amount of valuable and interesting information in condensed form. The Index is very full, containing 50 pages out of a total of 590.

The author, so far as we have had an opportunity of examination, has done his work excellently well. His thorough knowledge of engineering, mathematics, and high scientific attainments, coupled with a subsequent legal education, has given him peculiar facilities for thoroughly grasping the law which is elucidated in the book before us.

Whilst this may safely be said, we may remark that we had noted several mistakes, notably on pp. 411 and 412, but we have just received a reprint of these pages correcting the errors. The *errata* are larger than they should be. We trust a second edition will be called for, when these matters will be set right, as well as a few other details in book-making which can be improved upon.

---

*A Treatise on the Investigation of Titles to Real Estate in Ontario ; with a precedent for an abstract. Second edition. By Edward Douglas Armour, Q.C. Toronto : The Carswell Co. (Ltd.), Law Publishers, 1894.*

When the first edition of this work appeared, it was reviewed with great care and fullness in the columns of this journal. (Vol. xxiv., N.S., pp. 14-19), in view of the great importance of its subject to the profession, and of the position which the author held, as we are glad to say he still does, as one of the lecturers of the Law Society. We then expressed the opinion that the work was likely to prove a valuable addition to our legal literature, notwithstanding some serious defects, as they appeared to us, which we expressed the hope that the author would remove when called upon for a second edition. The work has been found very useful by the profession, which would, no doubt, have welcomed the advent of a new edition long before now, for law books age terribly fast, especially in a Province which is vexed by "the incessant and irritating amendments and alterations of the law," so feelingly alluded to by Mr. Armour.