

REVIEWS—HORACE GREELEY—NEWSPAPER DIRECTORY.

These notes are much more full than in his last edition and the number of English cases referred to—but not merely strung together by an apparent similarity of subject, as is too often the case with less laborious and painstaking men than Mr. Taylor—shew that he has spared no labour to make the book as complete as is possible otherwise than by an elaborate treatise on chancery practice. All the cases in our own Courts touching on the matters treated of appear to be appropriately worked in.

In the appendix are given the Error and Appeal Acts, and the orders of that Court of the 13th July, 1850. Speaking of this calls to mind the necessity for a speedy remodeling of these rules. It is to be hoped the President of the Court will be able to direct his attention to this at an early day.

Then comes an appendix of forms over and above those given in the consolidated orders. There are some thirty-eight of these, which may be considered as of a semi-official nature, whether we look upon them as having been prepared by the Secretary, or as having been settled in the course of practice.

A table of the abrogated orders, shewing the consolidated orders into which they are now incorporated is prefixed to the edition. This table is interesting, besides its practical usefulness, in shewing the extent to which the orders of the Court have been from time to time altered, re-altered, amended, and re-amended. It would appear from this table that since 3rd June, 1853, there have been twenty-nine different sets of orders passed—small chance there was, therefore, to expect any settled practice in the Court of Chancery with such shifting sands to build upon. If things are let alone for a few years it may be hoped that upon the present foundation, a superstructure will arise which will be no discredit to the administration of Equity in this Province. The ever varying phases of business especially incident to a young country, and which operate so much more quickly upon procedure in Courts of Equity than at Common Law, will render changes in the mode of conducting the business of the Courts necessary from time to time, but there may be too much of a good thing, even of chancery orders.

Such a work as that before us, will very materially help to settle and give solidity to Courts, Arrest and imprisonment for debt, Solicitors, Religious institutions, Custody of infants, Foreign affidavits, Law stamps, Quietting titles, Property and trusts, &c. Points the practice, and carry out the object intended to be gained by the consolidation of the orders.

We wish Mr. Taylor every success with this his third and best edition, and hope it may be as remunerative as other law books and publications in this country, *ought* to be—but are not.

No Solicitor's office can afford to be without it, and we doubt not the sale will be large and rapid. The price is, we believe \$5.

APPOINTMENTS TO OFFICE.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNORS.

THE HON. WILLIAM PEARCE HOWLAND, C. B., to be Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario. (Gazetted July 18, 1868.)

THE HON. LEMUEL ALLEN WILMOT, to be Lieutenant Governor of the Province of New Brunswick. (Gazetted July 18, 1868.)

JUDGES.

THE HON. WILLIAM HENRY DRAPER, C. B., late Chief Justice of Upper Canada, to be the Presiding Judge of the Court of Error and Appeal for Upper Canada, now the Province of Ontario. (Gazetted October 31, 1868.)

THE HON. WILLIAM BUELL RICHARDS, late Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas for Upper Canada, to be Chief Justice of Upper Canada in the room of the Hon. William Henry Draper, C. B. (Gazetted Nov. 21, 1868.)

THE HON. JOHN HAWKINS HAGARTY, late a Puisne Judge of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench for Upper Canada, to be Justice of the Court of Common Pleas for Upper Canada, in the room of the Hon. William Buell Richards (Gazetted November 21, 1868.)

THE HON. ADAM WILSON, late a Puisne Judge of the Court of Common Pleas for Upper Canada, to be a Puisne Judge of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench for Upper Canada, in the room of the Hon. John Hawkins Hagarty. (Gazetted November 21, 1868.)

JOHN WELLINGTON GWYNNE, of Osgoode Hall and of the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, one of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law, to be a Puisne Judge of the Court of Common Pleas for Upper Canada, in the room of the Hon. Adam Wilson. (Gazetted Nov. 21, 1868.)

COUNTY JUDGES.

ROBERT DENNISTOUN, of Osgoode Hall and of the Town of Peterborough, in the Province of Ontario, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be Judge of the County Court of the County of Peterborough, in the said Province, in the place and stead of Robert M. Boucher, Esq., deceased. (Gazetted July 18, 1868.)

POLICE MAGISTRATES.

ABRAHAM DIAMOND, Esquire, of Osgoode Hall, Barrister-at-Law, to be Police Magistrate of the Town of Belleville, in the room and stead of Smith Bartlett, deceased. (Gazetted September 19, 1868.)

COUNTY CROWN ATTORNEYS AND CLERKS OF THE PEACE.

JOHN DEWAR, jun., of Osgoode Hall, Esquire, Barrister-at-Law, to be County Attorney and Clerk of the Peace for the County of Halton, in the room and stead of G. T. Bastedo, Esquire, deceased. (Gazetted August 22, 1866.)

ALEXANDER SUTTON KIRKPATRICK, of Osgoode Hall, Esquire; Barrister-at-Law, to be County Attorney and Clerk of the Peace in and for the County of Frontenac, in the room and stead of R. M. Wilkison, Esquire, deceased. (Gazetted August 22, 1868.)

REGISTRARS.

THOMAS HALL JOHNSON, of Pembroke, in the County of Renfrew, Esquire, to be Registrar for the unorganized District of Nipissing, in the room and stead of Richard O'Reilly, deceased. (Gazetted Sept. 12, 1868.)