

more for their intelligence and business capacity than for any special knowledge of the subtleties of law, has been kept in view, and the use of legal phraseology avoided as much as possible. It is hoped that this course will enable the reader to understand more perfectly than otherwise a Statute which is unusually complex and difficult.

A number of forms, in addition to those provided for in the Statute, have been added, including forms of proceedings on *certiorari*, objections to the granting of licenses, notices under the clauses respecting the sale of liquor to minors, inebriates and others, all of which it is thought will be useful and which may prevent the failure of many an action on the ground of defective preliminary proceedings.

The law respecting the rights and liabilities of inn-keepers and lodging-house keepers will also be found embodied in the book, as also the cases under The Temperance Act, 1864, and The Canada Temperance Act, 1878.

The index has been carefully prepared, and in addition to its other uses, will be found to contain an alphabetical table of the words and phrases, the judicial meaning of which is given throughout the book, so that it forms a tolerably complete legal lexicon.

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