

Part II. treats of the persons who are possessed of the status of British subjects, defining the general functions of agents of the British Crown in foreign countries. It treats also of the celebration of marriage by British agents in foreign states.

Part III. is devoted to the powers and jurisdiction of the Crown in eastern states, in protectorates, and in barbarous countries. As might be supposed, our eastern possessions, and the eastern states having more intimate connection with British rule, occupy a large portion of this part of the work. The last chapter of this part is devoted to jurisdiction on the high seas, to precedence in British vessels, fishery regulations, revenue, and quarantine jurisdiction, etc.

The great empire of which we form a part still continues its march of progress into the uncivilized portions of the globe. Africa, at present, especially feels the touch of her strong but helpful hand, and those interested in the progress of the Anglo-Saxon through the Dark Continent will read the book before us with much interest in connection with the recent Uganda debate in the House of Commons.

We would recommend those of our readers connected with Law Associations to have Mr. Hall's work added to their libraries, whilst those who can, in these hard times, afford it should have it at home for reading and reference. From a typographical standpoint, the volume is produced in the best style of the Oxford University Press.

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*Real Property Statutes of Ontario*, being a selection of the Acts of practical utility. By A. T. Hunter, Barrister-at-Law, author of "A Treatise on Power of Sale under Mortgages of Realty." The Carswell Co. (Ltd.), 1894.

*A Treatise on the Investigation of Title to Real Estate in Ontario*. Second edition. By E. D. Armour, Q.C., Toronto. The Carswell Co. (Ltd.), 1894.

These two books have been received, and will be noticed hereafter.