

Whether this book will be found helpful and so command an extensive sale by reason of the novelty of the scheme we do not pretend to prophecy, but the author seems to have done his part of the work well.

Hayes and Jarman's concise forms of will with practical notes.
13th edition. By J. H. MATTHEWS, Barrister-at-law. London: Sweet & Maxwell, Limited.

There is not much that need be said about a book which has arrived at the mature age of a 13th edition, and which as a standard work has enjoyed the confidence of the profession since 1835. It is as well known to them as it is to the reviewer. In the present edition references have been added to the Revised Reports and references have also been made in the notes of cases reported down to the end of the year 1909.

Flotsam and Jetsam.

A certain Philadelphia judge, who, disgusted with a jury that seemed unable to reach an agreement in a perfectly evident case, rose and said, "I discharge this jury."

One sensitive talesman, indignant at what he considered a rebuke, obstinately faced the judge.

"You can't discharge me," he said, in tones of one standing upon his rights.

"And why not?" asked the surprised judge.

"Because," answered the juror, pointing to the lawyer for the defence, "I'm being hired by that man there."