

A Primer of Roman Law. By W. H. HASTINGS KELKE, M.A., of Lincoln's Inn, Barrister-at-law. Author of "An Epitome of Roman Law," etc. London: Sweet & Maxwell, Limited, 3 Chancery Lane. 1912.

It is unnecessary for us to enlarge on the proposition that no legal education can be complete without the study, more or less, of Roman law. This book does not pretend to be an epitome of Roman Law, but is confined to the simpler system of Justinian's Institutes, the learning of which is elucidated with full explanations and copious illustrations. This is also a student's book.

Obituary.

MR. JAMES HENDERSON, M.A., D.C.L.

The many friends of Mr. Henderson heard with deep regret that he died suddenly on the 28th ult., as the result of an operation.

This esteemed member of the profession was the son of Mr. James Henderson, formerly of Yorkville, adjoining this city. He continuously resided in Toronto since his birth in 1839. In 1858, Mr. Henderson took his first university degree at Trinity College, Toronto, and was made a D.C.L. in 1900. He was admitted to the Bar in 1859 and practised in that city until his death. He was at one time a partner of Sir Thomas Galt, subsequently Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, but for many years past, he was in partnership with Mr. John T. Small, K.C., their firm having a large practise in the city of Toronto. Mr. Henderson was perhaps better known in business circles, and as a trusted solicitor and business man, rather than as an advocate in the courts. He was on the boards of many financial institutions; and devoted much time and attention to the affairs of Trinity College, to which he was a large contributor. He took an active part in the negotiations which led to the federation of that college with the University of Toronto. Courteous, genial, generous, and of the highest honour, he was loved and respected by all who knew him.