

A student in all branches of the law, his speciality was that of Real Property. He occupied, in his day and generation, the same unique position which in former days was held by Alexander Leith, whose books on real property are still among the classics of our profession. Happily for us Mr. Armour's ability and learning were equalled by his industry, as a list of his works amply testifies. Among those most familiar to our readers are his works on the law of Titles, of Real Property, and of the Devolution of Estates. He was also that author of Law Lyrics, being verses on legal subjects. In the Canadian edition of Theobald on Wills, Mr. Armour added the Canadian cases. His writings have greatly enriched the law libraries of Canada, and they are not unknown in other parts of the Empire.

Of Mr. Armour it can be well said that a versatile lawyer, a learned counsel and a distinguished citizen has passed beyond.

OSGOODE HALL LIBRARIAN.

It is a source of great satisfaction to the profession at large and especially of Toronto, that the Law Society of Upper Canada has seen fit to appoint Mr. J. J. Daley to the position of Chief Librarian at Osgoode Hall.

Mr. Daley was appointed to the position of Assistant Librarian in 1885, and since that time by his thoughtful and courteous attention to his duties has won a host of friends not only among the members of the profession but with all with whom he has come in contact.

It is the general feeling among the profession that Mr. Daley's long connection with the Library and his intimate knowledge of its vast contents eminently qualify him for this position; that the Law Society was well advised in making the appointment, and, that under his able guidance the usefulness and advantages of the Library will be developed to the fullest extent.

Flotsam and Jetsam.

The commercial atmosphere of the 20th century is also affecting honorary titles in England, for we are told that knight-hoods and baronetcies have been on sale there cheap for cash "to the right kind of politicians". This is perhaps a harmless phase of trade and commerce, provocative only of the con-