

1. A storekeeper who advertises to sell a drug preparation under the registered trade mark name by which it is commonly known with the intention of passing off, to persons calling for the advertised goods, his own similar preparation which he had labelled so as not to infringe the trade mark, may be convicted of an attempt to obtain money by false pretences on proof that he took the advertised price and delivered his own preparation in carrying out the fraudulent intent, although a conviction for obtaining money by false pretences could not be had as the purchasers in the particular case being conversant with the drug trade knew they were not getting the trade mark goods and were not deceived.

2. Where the purchase is made and the money parted with from a desire to secure the conviction of the seller there is no obtaining by false pretences, but the seller may yet be liable for the attempt.

3. *Semble*, it is not necessary for the prosecution to shew that the commodity passed off is inferior in quality to the trade mark article, or that it is less in quantity; and the accused may be convicted, although it appears that the ingredients are nearly identical.

Book Reviews.

The law of meetings. A concise statement of the law relating to the conduct and control of meetings in general. 5th edition. By C. P. BLACKWELL, B.A. London: Butterworth & Co., Bell Yard, Temple Bar, Law Publishers. 1910

An excellent and handy compendium. The general propositions will be just as useful here as in England; but most of it refers to meetings under statutory provisions not in force here.

Students' Cases, illustrative of all branches of the law. By PHILLIP PETRIDES, Barrister-at-law. London: Stevens & Sons, Chancery Lane, Law Publishers. 1910.

Of the making of books there is no end, and students in these happy days have manuals without number. The author makes a new departure by giving some leading cases selected for students, appending thereto dissertations on various matters, which appear to be germane to the principle of the leading case itself.