

ments, decrees and orders. These parts are divided into appropriate subheadings.

The doctrine of estoppel requires careful study, and the profession evidently appreciates the effort of Mr. Caspersz to throw additional light thereupon, and as he truly says "without estoppel the courts of law could not do their work." This remark is perhaps more applicable in a new country like India and our own than to the mother land.

The work is that of a trained scholar and a thorough lawyer and his style is luminous and interesting. The book, though of general usefulness and applicable to English law has also reference to the law of our Indian Empire. Its subject matter is possibly, for certain reasons not necessary to discuss, of more importance there than some other parts of Greater Britain; and consequently the prevalence of the subject there results in discussions which are valuable to us here.

There are several standard works on the law of Estoppel, but none of them evince more careful research, logical argument and masterly treatment than does the book before us.

It is scarcely necessary when a law book has reached its fourth edition to go into any critical analysis of its contents; all we need to do is to remind our readers that a fourth edition has been issued, and where to find it.

Bench and Bar

JUDICIAL APPOINTMENTS IN CANADA.

Hon. Mr. Justice McKeown to be Chief Justice of the King's Bench Division of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick.

Mr. Justice Oswald Crocket, of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, to be Judge of the Provincial Divorce Court in place of Mr. Justice McKeown, appointed Chief Justice.

W. B. Chandler, K.C., of Moncton, in the Province of New Brunswick, to be a Judge of the King's Bench Division of the Supreme Court of that province, *visa* Mr. Justice McKeown, appointed Chief Justice.

John Joseph Coughlin, of the City of Stratford, in the Province of Ontario, barrister at law, to be Junior Judge of the County Court of the County of Kent in said Province vice John Lawrence Dowlin.