

of "touting," and "hugging." Let not the far west be too far in advance of the old-fashioned customs.

After this warning, we will not scruple to give the advertiser's name.

Since writing the above, the following advertisement has appeared in the local column of an evening newspaper. It is too transparent to do the writer of it any service.

"BRANDON ASSIZES.

- "Mr. _____, barrister, left for Brandon this morning, "being retained to defend one _____, who is to be tried "there before the Chief Justice, for _____.
- "He is also engaged as counsel in an important suit against the "C. P. R., also entered for trial there. Mr. _____'s "successful defence in the late _____ case seems to be "bearing fruit."

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HOLMESTED'S RULES AND ORDERS. (a)

THIS is a capital book, and will be of much use to Manitoba practitioners. The first volume, just to hand, contains all the Ontario Chancery Orders unaffected by the Judicature Act, with copious annotations. The book presents very much the same appearance as Mr. Justice Taylor's work. The arrangement of the notes is an improvement upon anything that we have seen. By grouping the cases under appropriate headings, and by a plentiful use of black letter and italics, the eye is at once carried to the object of the search. The notes upon the orders relating to parties, proceedings in Master's office, &c., are extremely valuable.

(a) The General Rules and Orders of the Courts of Law and Equity of the Province of Ontario, passed prior to the Judicature Act and now remaining in force, with notes, by George Smith Holmested, Registrar of the Chancery Division. Vol. I. The Chancery Orders. Toronto: Rowse & Hutchinson.