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the state and attaching the property of his debtor, and, by pursuing it to execution there, prevent the assignees from obtaining it to distribute ratably among all the creditors. The court here held that the creditor, under such circumstances, was liable to be enjoined from so applying property out of the state exclusively upon his own debt. There is certainly a degree of moral justice in such a decision. We have not examined it with sufficient care to be able to determine how far it may be consistent with the ordinary powers of Courts of Equity.

I. F. R.

A COPYRIGHT MANUAL; Designed for Men of Business, Authors, Scholars, and Members of the Legal Profession. Prepared by WILLIAM W. ELLSWORTH, late Judge of the Supreme Court of Errors in Connecticut. Boston: Oliver Ellsworth. 1862.

We owe the author and publisher of this excellent manual an apology for not sooner having noticed it. It consists of about fifty pages in all, and contains everything which business men or lawyers would desire to have upon the subject for ordinary use, and is got up in a very natural, plain, and simple style. It is unambitious and unpretentious, like its excellent author, the worthy son of a worthy sire, whose names and fame are identified with the history of one of the oldest and best states in our Union, as well as with that of the Union itself. The fact that the days of such honest-hearted disinterestedness and truthful earnestness and ability as made, and will make, the name of Ellsworth a national and world-wide renown, in all time, past or future, have now measurably passed away; and that the best of men now labor more for pay than from patriotism, will make those venerable names, which graced the better days of the Republic, doubly dear to the patriot and the Christian, who feels that there is an aim above mere personal aggrandizement, and a reward which only the unselfish and the pure in heart can justly claim.

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REPORTS OF CASES ARGUED AND DETERMINED IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. By JOSEPH S. BOSWORTH, LL.D., Chief Justice of the Court. Vol. 7. Albany: W. C. Little, Bookseller. 1863.

The series of Reports of the decisions of this Court comprise two volumes by Hall, five by Sandford, six by Duer, and seven by Bosworth. These twenty volumes contain many able and well-reasoned cases, decided

by such men as Chief Justices Jones, Oakley, Duer, and Bosworth, Justices Sandford, Hoffman, Woodruff, and others, some of whom have a national reputation. Many of the most important commercial cases arising in the city of New York have come before this tribunal, and, after having received the most thorough and exhaustive discussion at the bar, have, by the satisfactory manner in which they were disposed of by the bench, become leading cases in the law.

Nearly all of these decisions have been reported by one of the Justices of the Court. We cannot bestow too much praise upon the manner in which this has been done by the present Chief Justice. We personally know that he has brought to his work the most conscientious and painstaking thoroughness. Time has in no case been spared wherever it was necessary to the most complete and comprehensive preparation of the work. The result is, that in these volumes there is always an accurate and clear statement of the facts in each case, a condensed but faithful sketch of the argument of counsel, and an elaborate and satisfactory analysis in the head-note of the points decided.

We cordially commend these volumes to the profession. T. W. D.

THE LAW OF TRUSTS AND TRUSTEES, AS ADMINISTERED IN ENGLAND AND AMERICA.

Embracing the Common Law, together with the Statute Law, of the several States of the Union, and the Decisions of the Courts thereon. By JOEL TIFANY and E. F. BULLARD, Counsellors at Law. Albany: W. C. Little. 1862.

This appears to be an excellent work. The arrangement of topics is simple and logical, and the discussion lucid and satisfactory. The second chapter upon Implied Trusts is very full and complete. Trusts for Charitable Purposes are extensively examined in the fourth chapter, and the recent authorities cited. The statute law of the various States of the Union, concerning the Appointment of Trustees, is digested into about 100 pages, and is a very valuable feature of the book. We know of no work that can take its place in this respect. In our judgment, it has only to be known to command general favor.

We would suggest to the authors, on the publication of a second edition, that they enrich its pages by more extensive citations from English judgments within the last three or four years, and especially from the luminous decisions of Vice-Chancellor Wood. No lawyer who has examined these can fail to be impressed with their excellence, and they have received the highest professional praise, both in England and America.

T. W. D.