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AND  
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AND OF SOME  
OTHER ENACTMENTS HAVING REFERENCE TO THE  
SAME SUBJECT-MATTER:  
WITH  
PRACTICAL NOTES AND THE CASES TO THE PRESENT TIME.  
AND  
**An Appendix**  
CONTAINING THE ABOVE ACTS.

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## P R E F A C E.

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THE Trustee Acts of 1850 and 1852 are of considerable practical importance. The greater portion of property in this country is held upon trust, and, both from natural causes, and from the changes which take place in the relative positions of trustee and *cestui que trust*, the appointment of new trustees is a matter of constant occurrence. It also frequently happens that trustees and other persons who have no beneficial interest in property, though the legal estate is vested in them, cannot or will not perform those acts which are necessary to a transfer of that estate. The Trustee Acts, therefore, in giving facilities, as well for the appointment of new trustees, as for the conveyance of trust property irrespective of the will or capacity of the persons in whom the legal estate is vested, provide for cases which are every day arising.

The Acts are, however, deficient in systematic arrangement, and this in practice has been found

to give rise to some difficulties. Hitherto no attempt has been made to supply this deficiency, nor has any work appeared in which the decisions upon the acts and the statutory provisions touching upon their subject-matter have been collected within a small compass for practical use. In the belief that a work embracing the above objects will be found useful, the present volume is offered to the profession.

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