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#### INTRODUCTORY

The operations of the Federal Trade Commission have become a study of great importance to business men of the United States. The Commission is charged with the administration of the Federal Trade Commission act and with provisions of the Clayton act, and from time to time with investigatory functions and duties that reach into every commercial activity of industry.

No attempt has heretofore been made to compile and analyze the complaints of the Commission for the purpose of obtaining through them the Commission's own viewpoint of the meaning and application of the important statutory duties with which it is charged. The present study is intended to provide the manufacturer with a reference volume which will enable him to understand, through the Commission's acts, its own perception of its function.

This compilation and study is the work of Mr. H. L. B. Atkisson, of the Association's Legal Department, and represents the condensation of an extensive and painstaking investigation.

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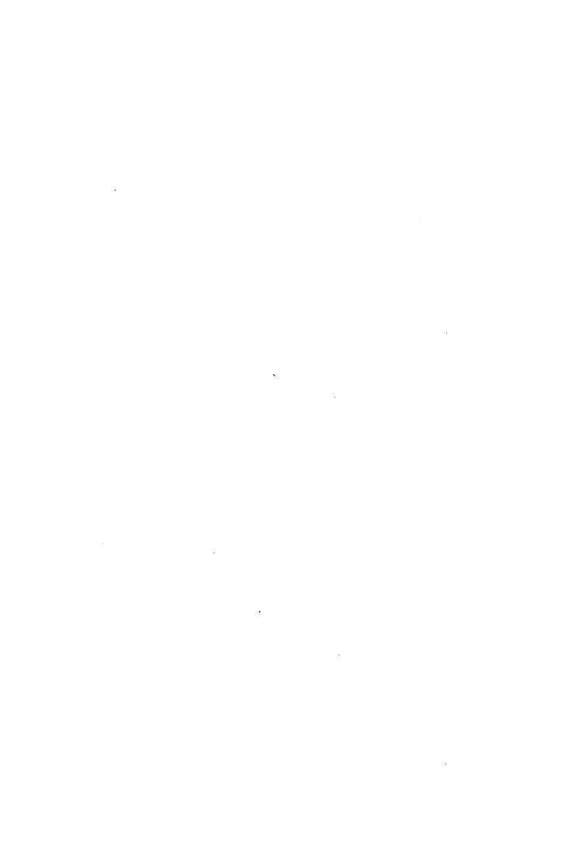
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