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PASSING OF THE

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## P R E F A C E.

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THE Mortmain and Charitable Uses Act, 1891, effects a revolution in the law relating to charitable gifts. The present work is an attempt to elucidate its provisions. It is prefaced by an Introduction dealing with the history of the subject and the principles upon which the new Act proceeds. The Mortmain and Charitable Uses Act, 1888, is added as an Appendix.

The book, although independent of, supplements and completes, the "Law of Charities and Mortmain," referred in the following pages as "Tudor's Charit. Trusts." The two together cover the whole law of charities.

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