



## American Statute Law: An Analytical and Compared Digest of the Constitutions and Civil Public Statutes of All the States and Territories Relating to Persons and Property in Force January 1, 1886 (Classic Reprint)

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Forgotten Books, 2017. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*. Excerpt from American Statute Law: An Analytical and Compared Digest of the Constitutions and Civil Public Statutes of All the States and Territories Relating to Persons and Property in Force January 1, 1886 Upon examination, however, the author found that the bulk of these voluminous laws was, after all, identical in the several states. He found that one main stream of legislation could be traced, occasionally comprehending all the Northern, Eastern, and North-western states, more often divided into two main bodies, the one following in its legislation the general model of the State of New York, the other that of the New England states. He found, besides this, another important group, containing the South Western states, under the general lead of Maryland and Virginia and still a third and smaller group, comprising the gulf states. Besides these three main groups, there was one state with laws wholly anomalous (Louisiana), and others (like California, Dakota, New Mexico, and Georgia) with laws peculiar to a greater or less extent. Here at once it became evident that, by a process of citing the respective...

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