

4. The scope of such examinations should be extended to include home as well as factory conditions.
 5. Industrial insurance based upon preventive measures should redound greatly to the benefit of society.
 - (a) by reducing the annual loss of time through illness;
 - (b) by establishing hygienic standards;
 - (c) by establishing minimum hygienic standards for industries.
 - (d) by favoring the enactment of uniform industrial legislation;
 - (e) by increasing the efficiency of local health authorities.
 6. The cost of carrying industrial insurance based on preventive principles should be less than that of present systems.
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The Examination of the Urine. By A. FERGUS HEWAT, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.P. (Edin.), Tutor in Clinical Medicine, University of Edinburgh. Fifth Edition. Edinburgh: E. & S. Livingstone.

In a simple and concise manner are herein set forth brief notes on the examination of the urine, the blood, the sputum, pus, gastric contents, the feces. It is a small, compact book, and quite a practical one. There are several illustrations. Students and general practitioners will find it useful.

Abdominal Surgery. Clinical Lectures for Students and Physicians. By THORKILD ROVSING, Professor of Clinical Surgery at the University of Copenhagen. Edited by Paul Munroe Pileher, A.M., M.D., Brooklyn, New York. Philadelphia, London: J. B. Lippincott Co.; Montreal Office, 201 Unity Building.

This book of 500 pages is splendidly arranged, and consists of series of clinical lectures on the most modern methods of investigating diseases of the stomach and duodenum from a surgical standpoint. He handles his subject in a masterly way, and it is evident that he thoroughly understands the subject, and, in addition, is a clear and able teacher. This book is well worth careful study, and should be in the hands of every physician and surgeon. Rovsing has a world-wide reputation as a surgeon and as a teacher. This work will add to his already splendid reputation.

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