

Obstetrics for Nurses. JOSEPH B. DE LEE, M.D. Philadelphia, New York and London: W. B. Saunders & Co. 460 pages. \$2.50. Canadian agents, J. A. Carveth & Co.

The author of this interesting and complete work is professor of obstetrics in the North-Western University Medical School, Chicago, and has also had eight years' experience as lecturer on obstetrical nursing in five different training schools in that city. We have no hesitation in recommending the book to nurses as a satisfactory text-book on the subject, and many physicians beginning the practice of their profession, who feel that their obstetrical text-books are not sufficiently practical, will find this book of considerable importance. (We think, however, that a book on obstetrics should be very practical in character.) There are one or two places in the book where slight improvements will probably be made in later editions (*e.g.* page 202, "Used the measure on the human") and we do not altogether agree with the remarks of Dr. De Lee in regard to the washing of the infant's mouth, as found on page 147. But the general character of the book is excellent. Most of the illustrations are both new and good, and the explanations are always admirably clear.

We have received from Messrs. Saunders & Co., of Philadelphia, a list of new books and new editions which they have in active preparation for early publication.

Among the most important of these will be a new work, entitled "The Veriform Appendix and Its Diseases," by Howard A. Kelly, M.D., of Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore. We understand that this book will contain over 400 superb illustrations, in the preparation of which the well-known artists of the Johns Hopkins University have spent many years.

Among the other books promised are the following:

Nothnagel's Practice of Medicine.

Diseases of the Intestines and Peritoneum. By DR. HERMANN NOTHNAGEL, of Vienna. Edited, with additions, by HUMPHREY D. ROLLESTON, M.D., F.R.C.P., of St. George's Hospital, London. Octavo volume of 1032 pages, containing 20 insert plates. Cloth, \$5.00 net; half morocco, \$6.00 net.

Tuberculosis and Acute General Miliary Tuberculosis. By DR. G. CORNET, of Berlin. Edited, with additions, by WALTER B. JAMES, M.D., of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York. Handsome octavo of 806 pages. Cloth, \$5.00 net; half morocco, \$6.00 net.

Epilepsy and Its Treatment. By WM. P. SPRATLING, M.D., Medical Superintendent of the Craig Colony for Epileptics at Sonoma, N.Y. Octavo volume of 528 pages, illustrated.

A Text-book of Pathology. By JOSEPH MCFARLAND, M.D., of the Medico-Chirurgical College, Philadelphia. Octavo volume of about 800 pages, beautifully illustrated, including a number in colors.

Clinical Diagnosis. By L. NAPOLEON BOSTON, M.D., Medico-Chirurgical College, Philadelphia. Octavo volume of 525 pages, containing 200 illustrations, including 25 colored plates.