

bers. Progress is noted in regard to new hospitals and additional teaching facilities. A Medical Literary Association was established about a year ago, with now a membership of 108, and a productive endowment of \$6000.00 and over 2,000 volumes. The founding of this journal is another step in the evolution to an advanced position of the medical profession in Cleveland; it is to be entirely independent, and aims at the purest medical journalism. It will publish but few extracts, aiming to contain only original matter. This the first number is an exceedingly creditable one in every respect, the scientific tone of the contents auguring well for its recognition as a high class Medical journal.

PEDIATRICS.

This is the title of a new semi-monthly illustrated journal, devoted to the prevention and study of the diseases of children; owner, Dillon Brown, M.D., New York; and edited by Geo. A. Carpenter, M.D., London. Published by the Van Publishing Co., 1432 Broadway, cor. 40th street, New York, and 85-89 Great Litchfield street West, London. \$2.00 a year.

The appearance and character of the two first numbers of this special journal give promise of its being classed among those qualified by scientific and practical aims. The editorial staff contains the names of men eminent in this specialty in England, the United States and Germany. There are eleven departments, each in charge of one or two collaborators, who are leaders in the department they represent, and who each contribute original articles, editorials and retrospects. A prominent and valuable feature is the illustrating by photogravures of many of the articles. It will also contain full reports of the meeting of the British Orthopædic Society, the American Pediatric Society, the Pediatric Section of the New York Academy of Medicine, the Ohio State Pediatric Society, the American Orthopædic Association, and all of the English and Continental societies devoted to diseases of children. It is very neatly printed and gotten up generally, the cover being in heavy black combination of oak-tree branches and leaves, and owls, on white, which, although somewhat funereal, is up to date in the cover line.

We wish the new comer every success.