

Reviews

Amoebiasis and the Dysenteries. By LLEWELLYN POWELL PHILLIPS, M.A., M.D., B.C. (Cantab.), F.R.C.P. (Lond.), F.R.C.S. (Eng.). Professor of Medicine in the Egyptian Government School of Medicine, Cairo, etc., etc. Price, 6s. 6d. net. London: H. K. Lewis.

Anyone who had to gain a good knowledge of this subject had, heretofore, to consult much scattered literature. The author has, therefore, rendered distinct service to scientific medicine in publishing a book of this character. In certain sections it is a subject of growing importance. The scientific reader will here find as complete description as it is possible to give of the whole subject of amoebic infection. A complete bibliography is incorporated.

Materia Medica and Pharmacy. For Medical Students, with an Appendix on Incompatibility. By REGINALD R. BENNETT, B.Sc. (Lond.), F.I.C., Pharmaceutical Chemist. Third edition. London: H. K. Lewis.

In this well-arranged book the medical student will find a concise account of drugs, chemicals and compound preparations of the B.P. They are arranged according to their physiological action, such as Delirifacients, Cathartics, Ecboolics, Antacids. There are Dose Tables, chapters on Chemical and Physical Incompatibility, and Latin Words and Phrases used as directions in prescriptions.

Catechism Series. Botany. Part II. Second edition. Revised and enlarged. Price, one shilling net. Edinburgh: E. & S. Livingstone.

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