

There is an introduction dealing with the general aspects of diagnosis. This is followed by a classification of symptoms. This is a very interesting chapter, indeed. There the author takes up pain. Much new light is thrown upon this subject which is well worth close study. The whole subjects of the reflexes are there taken up. This very difficult subject is made as easy as possible and always interesting. The organs of the body are then gone over one by one. The symptoms of disease on them and how the organs correlated to each other are handled in a manner that is well calculated to elucidate many difficulties in diagnosis. We are very much impressed with the value of this work.

POCKET THERAPEUTICS AND DOSE-BOOK.

Pocket Therapeutics and Dose-Book. By Morse Stewart, Jr. B.A., M.D. Fourth Edition, rewritten. Small 32mo of 263 pages. Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders Company, 1910. Cloth, \$1.00 net. Canadian Agents, The J. F. Hartz Co., Limited, Toronto.

This is quite a useful little book. It is of such a size as will go into the coat pocket, and is made of thin paper, thus making it light. It deals with prescription writing, abbreviations, doses, metric system, etc., etc. There is a useful classification of medicines. Much attention is paid to hypodermic medication. Formulae are given for inhalations, nasal douches, eye-washes. The solubility of drugs are stated. Instructions are laid down for the treatment of poisons. There is an index of disease, the doses suitable for them. We can speak very highly of this little book. It is an exceedingly reliable ready reference manual.

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The memory of a great work lives for a long time. There are many in active practice to-day who look back with fond recollections to the pleasure and profit they derived from the study of Reynold's system of medicine and Holmes' system of surgery. These were