

A Clinical Manual of Mental Diseases. By FRANCIS X. DERECUM, M.D., Ph.D., Professor of Nervous and Mental Diseases, Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia. Octavo of 425 pages. Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders Company, 1913. Canadian Agents: The J. F. Hartz Co., Ltd., Toronto. Cloth, \$3.00 net.

This book is based on the course of lectures delivered annually by Dr. Derecum to medical students at Jefferson Medical College. The subject is presented from the clinical point of view and will appeal to medical students and general practitioners alike. Particular stress is laid upon the clinical pictures, prognosis and treatment.

A Code System for the Hospital Pathological Laboratory. Part I. Autopsy Work. Being a students' guide to the description of autopsy organs. By O. C. GRUNER, M.D. (Lond.), Pathologist to the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal. Price, 65c. Montreal: Miss Poole's Bookroom, McGill College Avenue.

This code has been in use in the Royal Victoria Hospital for about two years. The second part of the system was published in 1912. It is a student's guide to the description and investigation of organs at autopsy and is so arranged that the instructor's remarks may be added in the margins.

Obstetrics for Nurses. By JOSEPH B. DELEE, M.D., Professor of Obstetrics in the Northwestern University Medical School, Chicago. New (4th) Edition. 12 mo. of 508 pages, fully illustrated. Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders Company, 1913. Canadian Agents: The J. F. Hartz Co., Ltd., Toronto. Cloth, \$2.50 net.

It is essential that the obstetric nurse should be well-trained as it not infrequently happens she is called upon to do more at the bedside than mere routine. This book succinctly conveys the theoretical education. This edition is brought up-to-date and some new illustrations added. There is much in its pages which will well repay medical students to read, mark and inwardly digest.