

The general plan of the work has remained the same, and all the articles have been thoroughly revised. Volume I contains the following articles: Blood, Lymph, Secretion, Digestion, Movements by the Alimentary Canal, Bladder and Ureter, by the Editor; Circulation, by John G. Curtis and W. T. Porter; Respiration and Animal Heat, by Edward T. Reichert; Chemistry of the Animal, by Graham Lusk. All these writers are so favorably known to the medical profession that their names alone are a sufficient guarantee for the contents of the work. On looking over the book we were pleased to note that a short section on Physical Chemistry had been added to this edition. This, no doubt, will prove of great value to medical students.

Annual and Analytical Cyclopedia of Practical Medicine. By CHARLES E. DE M. SAJOURS, M.D., and One Hundred Associate Editors, assisted by Corresponding Editors, Collaborators and Correspondents. Illustrated with chromo-lithographs engravings and maps. Vol. IV. Philadelphia, New York, Chicago: The F. A. Davis Company, Publishers. 1899.

The high standard of the previous volumes is maintained in this, the fourth one, and the book will, no doubt, be well received by the medical profession. The great majority of the articles are excellent. Some of the most important of them are as follows: Diarrheal Diseases of Infants, by Professor Blackadar, of Montreal; Malaria, by Professor J. C. Wilson and Dr. Thomas Ashton; Locomotor Ataxia, by Dr. W. B. Prichard; Intubation, by Professor Waxham, Chicago; Diseases of the Liver, by Professor McPhedron, Toronto; Meningitis, by Dr. Charles M. Hay, Philadelphia; Leprosy, by the Editor. We are very pleased to note that two of the most important subjects were assigned to Canadian writers, who, we have no doubt, have done their work with great satisfaction to Dr. Sajours.

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