looks after the department in which he is recognized as one of the leading authorities, viz.: genito-urinary surgery. The last literary work that Parvin wrote is contained in the present Annual, though he did not live to read in this volume the pages which were his final contribution to medical literature. The illustrations are admirable, those showing the use of the Ræntgen rays in the surgery of the kidney, being particularly interesting. It is not necessary to elaborate on the value of this book, as every practitioner who regularly receives it knows that its pages are filled with up-to-date information. Any physician who does not subscribe to the Annual is only standing in his own light.

## BOOKS OF THE MONTH.

A MANUAL OF HYGIENE AND SANITATION.—By Seneca Egbert, A. M., M. D. 12 mo., pp. 360, 63 illustrations. Cloth, \$2.25 net. Published by Lea Brothers & Co., Philadelphia and New York.

ATLAS OF LEGAL MEDICINE, by Dr. E. VonHofmann. Authorized translation from the German. Edited by Frederick Peterson, M. D., assisted by Aloysius O. J. Kelly, M. D. 56 colored plates and 193 illustrations in black. Price \$3.50 net. Published by W. B. Saunders, Philadelphia.

ATLAS AND ABSTRACT OF THE DISEASES OF THE LARYNX, by Dr. L. Grunwald. Authorized translation from the German. Edited by Chas. P. Grayson, M. D. 107 colored figures on 44 plates. Price \$2.50 net. Published by W. B. Saunders, Philadelphia.

## PAMPHLETS RECEIVED.

A Preliminary Report on a Method of Overcoming High Resistance in Crooks' Tubes. By Wm. W. Graves, M. D. Reprint from American X-Ray Journal.

A Clinical Study of Kryofine. By Sidney V. Haas, M. D., and J. Bennett Morrison, M. D. Reprint from N. Y. Med. Journal.

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