

too often hurries over this branch of medicine and surgery, the author has left out entirely all unnecessary matter, which did not tend to make the book thoroughly practical. We are not so sure, however, that we are in accord with the introduction of the metric system therein. We know perfectly well the high favor in which this system stands, but there are few of us who have any great love for it, and we still, at the risk of being thought antiquated, prefer the old-fashioned feet and inches, pounds and ounces. The cuts are all aptly executed, will prove helpful, and add greatly to the beauty of the entire work. There are many books on this specialty, but we are quite prepared to state that this one will be accorded something more than the usual patronage.

Injuries to the Eye in their Medico-Legal Aspect. By S. BAUDRY, M.D., Professor in the Faculty of Medicine, University of Lille, France, etc. Translated from the original by ALFRED JAMES OSTHEIMER, JR., M.D., of Philadelphia, Pa. Revised and edited by CHARLES A. OLIVER, A.M., M.D., Attending Surgeon to the Wills Eye Hospital; Ophthalmic Surgeon to the Philadelphia Hospital; Member of the American and French Ophthalmological Societies, etc. With an adaptation of the Medico-Legal Chapter to the Courts of the United States of America, by CHARLES SINKLER, ESQ., Member of the Philadelphia Bar. 5 5-8 x 7 7-8 inches. Pages, x-161. Extra cloth, \$1.00, net. Philadelphia, Pa.: The F. A. Davis Co., Publishers, 1914-16 Cherry Street.

Injuries of the eye are of such common occurrence, more especially in the industrial centres, often, too, followed by disastrous results to the patient and even sometimes in a different sense to the practitioner, that Prof. Baudry has conferred a distinct obligation upon the profession in his own country; and the editor here, and the translator as well, in giving us this English edition, adapted to the differences of American jurisprudence, has undoubtedly enhanced that obligation to the profession on this side of the Atlantic. What will prove especially acceptable is the attempt which has been well made by the author in this