

and most uncertain method to remove adenoids the reviewer seriously questions.

Fig. 156, showing the lateral aspect of the skull, with markings denoting the various landmarks for operative purposes, is very clear and of great value to any one about to open the skull. Two coloured plates show very nicely the anatomy of the lateral sinus and jugular vein.

PRACTICAL APPLICATION OF RONTGEN RAYS IN THERAPEUTICS AND DIAGNOSIS.

By William Allen Pusey, A.M., M.D., Professor of Dermatology in the University of Illinois; and Eugene W. Caldwell, B.S., Director of Edward N. Gibbs Memorial X-Ray Laboratory of the University and Bellevue Medical College, New York. Second edition, thoroughly revised and enlarged. Handsome octavo volume of 690 pages, with 195 illustrations, including 4 colored plates. Philadelphia, New York, London: W. B. Saunders & Co., 1904. Cloth, \$5.00 net; Sheep or Half Morocco, \$6.00 net. Canadian Agents: J. A. Carveth & Co., 434 Yonge Street, Toronto, Ont.

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ESSENTIALS OF PELVIC DIAGNOSIS.

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