

York; Member of the N. Y. County Medical Society; Member of the New York Microscopical Society, etc. 12 mo., Limp Cloth, 25 cents. New York: Industrial Publication Co.

This Manual presents a plan for the systematic examination of urine, urinary deposits, and calculi. It is compiled with the intention of supplying a concise guide, which from its small compass and tabulated arrangement, readers it admirably adapted for use, both as a bed-side reference book and a work-table companion. The author has had for several years a very extended experience as a teacher of this important branch of physical diagnosis, and he has compiled a manual which will serve to lessen the difficulties in the way of the beginner, and save valuable time to the busy practitioner.

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This publication will be found instructive and entertaining to all classes, but will be best appreciated by the most intelligent.

Editor's Special Corner.

INTERNATIONAL PUBLIC HYGIENE.—The following resolutions were agreed upon by the International Sanitary Conference recently held at Washington. They have been submitted to the consideration of the Governments represented, of which Canada is one;—

1. Each Government shall have such organized internal service as will enable it to be regularly informed of the state of public health throughout the whole of its territory.

2. Each Government shall publish a weekly bulletin of statistics of the mortality in its principal cities and ports, and give such Bulletins the largest possible publicity.

The third resolution provides that the sanitary authorities of the countries represented may communicate directly with each other but must at the same time furnish certain information to the consuls in their respective jurisdictions.

The fourth resolution provides for the establishment in Vienna and Havana of a permanent international sanitary agency of notification.

Other resolutions provide for bills of health, commissioners, &c.

We trust the Government of Canada will not fail to be up with other Governments in this very important international sanitary work.

IT IS QUITE ASIDE from the province of this JOURNAL to give puffs on anything or any place, but we step aside with pleasure to notice that, before the close of the late session of Parliament at Ottawa the Senators and members of the House of Commons resident at the "Grand Union hotel" there, met in the ladies' waiting room and presented an address and a purse of money to Mr. Wells,