

As the authors state, this work is intended for the use of students and general practitioners in medicine, and we think that it will form a very useful addition to their working library. G. R.

Plaster of Paris and How to Use It. By MARTIN W. WARE, M.D., New York, Adjunct Attending Surgeon, Mount Sinai Hospital; Surgeon to the Good Samaritan Dispensary; Instructor of Surgery in the New York Post-Graduate School. Second edition, revised and enlarged. Price, cloth, square form, \$1.25. De luxe leather, \$2.50. Surgery Publishing Co., New York.

The exhaustion of the first edition and the persistent demand for this helpful book were the incentives for this second edition, which has been completely rewritten and enlarged, and thus its scope of usefulness has been greatly extended. Complete new drawings and marginal side notes in red embellish the book, and ninety illustrations are used to more clearly put up to the eye of the reader the intent of its subject matter.

Such information as history, materials, manufacture of bandages, storage, bandages of commerce, calot plaster bandages, the immediate preparation of bandages, application and precaution, removal of bandages, etc., are all given under the contents of the Plaster of Paris Bandages. Then follow such chapters as Application of the Plaster of Paris Bandage to Individual Fracture, Fractures of the Upper Extremity, Fractures of the Lower Extremity, Moulded Plaster of Paris Splints, Plaster of Paris in Orthopedic Surgery, etc., and all presented in such a comprehensive manner as to make this book of particular service to every doctor. The mechanical features of the book are decidedly striking.

Accidental Injuries to Workmen. With reference to Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906. By H. NORMAN BARNETT, F.R.C.S. With article on Injuries to the Organs of Special Sense. By CECIL E. SHAW, M.A., M.Ch., M.D., and Legal Introduction by THOMAS J. CAMPBELL, M.A., LL.B. Price, \$2.50. New York: Rebman Company.

As there is no work on the market dealing with accidents and their results relative to the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, this book will be welcome to the medical profession. The legal introduction embraces the first fifty pages; the Act itself is analyzed, and what constitutes an accident is explained. There is an important chapter on making reports and giving evidence, and injuries are taken up under injuries to bones, joints, muscles, blood-vessels, nerves, internal organs, etc. Altogether this will be found a very important book for all medical men to possess.