

Reviews

The Clinics of John B. Murphy, M.D., at Mercy Hospital, Chicago. December, 1915. Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders & Co. Canadian Agents: J. F. Hartz Company, Toronto.

As is now well known, Murphy's Clinics is a record of cases in which the history of the cases is given, the operation described, and Doctor Murphy's comments on each case. It is particularly valuable for surgeons. The present volume keeps up the excellent standard originated in the early volumes.

Handbook of Medicine. By WILLIAM R. JACK, B.Sc., M.D., F.R.F.P.S.G., Physician to the Glasgow Royal Infirmary, etc. Edinburgh: E. & S. Livingstone. Price, 8s. net.

A close examination of this handbook of medicine, now in its fifth edition, and the reading of some of the articles, convinces us it is a good book for medical students, especially to gain a concise knowledge on short notice, and very helpful as a review manual just prior to examination time. It is not intended to fully cover the field, but only as an aid in acquiring a working knowledge of the subject.

Practical Cystoscopy and the Diagnosis of Surgical Diseases of the Kidneys and Urinary Bladder. By PAUL M. PILCHER, M.D., Consulting Surgeon to the Eastern Long Island Hospital. Second edition, thoroughly revised and enlarged. Octavo of 504 pages, with 299 illustrations, 29 in colors. Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders Company. 1915. Cloth, \$6.00 net; half morocco: \$7.50. Sole Canadian Agents: The J. F. Hartz Co., Ltd., Toronto.

This book is beautifully illustrated, and although the principles of cystoscopy have changed but little in the past four years, still a new edition, with additions, is satisfactory as assuring that the best is herein to be obtained upon the subject. An entire new section is devoted to pyelography. Other chapters have been entirely rewritten. The therapeutic uses of the cystoscope are abundantly set forth.