

written on the "Treatment of the Trypanosomiasis." This book is the only complete work on this very fascinating and important subject, incorporating, as it does, all the latest information relating thereto. By the use of a larger page, and a closer type for a portion of the added matter, the book is not cumbersome, and it is a masterpiece of the publishers' art. W. H. P.

The American Pocket Medical Dictionary. Edited by W. A. NEWMAN DORLAND, M.D., editor "The American Illustrated Medical Dictionary." Fifth revised edition. 32mo of 574 pages. Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders Company. 1906.

This is an excessively useful book and contains a great deal that is of value. It has been worked up with a great deal of care, and should be on the table of every medical man. In the present day, when so many new names are appearing, no one can read an article in a medical journal without feeling that at any moment he may come across a word that does not convey perhaps its full meaning to his mind. With this book in reach, many men would find much more comfort both in reading and writing medical articles than they would if they had to depend upon their classical knowledge to suggest to their mind the meaning of some of the words in comparatively common use. A. J. J.

The Operating Room and the Patient. By RUSSELL S. FOWLER, M.D., Professor of Surgery, Brooklyn Postgraduate Medical School, Brooklyn, New York. Second Edition, Enlarged. Octavo volume of 284 pages, fully illustrated. Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders Company. 1907. Cloth, \$2.00 net. Canadian agents: J. A. Carveth & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

This book during the past six months has been in daily use in the operating suite of the Toronto General Hospital for reference by the nurses and internes, and has been found to contain many useful and practical hints. We find its arrangement quite complete in detail, touching in the main on all issues which may come up in the operating room. We would call attention particularly to the illustrations, both of operating rooms and of patients in positions, which give very concise ideas on those points, and to the chapters on instrument and supply room, which contain many points that are too frequently overlooked.

Third Annual Report of the Henry Phipps Institute for the Study, Treatment and Prevention of Tuberculosis. February 1, 1905, to February 1, 1906. An account of the work of the third year, a continuation of the report on the Maragliano Serum Treatment, a statistical study of the influence of the Henry Phipps