

## Book Reviews.

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HEART STUDIES, CHIEFLY CLINICAL. No. 1. By Wm. Ewart, M.D. Cantab; F.R.C.P. Lond.; M.R.C.S. Eng.

The present number of the "Heart Studies" treats of the "Pulse Sensations." It appears to be quite exhaustive, embracing both theory and practice. The illustrations, chiefly diagrammatic, are very numerous, and the book is put out in good style. The publishers are Bailliere, Tindall & Cox, of London.

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A MONOGRAPH ON DISEASES OF THE BREAST: THEIR PATHOLOGY AND TREATMENT, ETC. By W. Roger Williams, F.R.C.S. London: John Bale & Sons.

This is a good book upon an important subject. It shows the results of careful work and of large opportunities for observation, which have been made much of. It is a work of a kind that too few of our general practitioners pay any attention to, specializing, as it does, in a field upon which every medical man must enter. The publishers' part has been fairly well done, though many of the illustrations are not such as should be found at the present day.

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A TEXT-BOOK OF HYGIENE. By George H. Rohé, M.D., Superintendent of the Maryland Hospital for the Insane; Professor of Therapeutics, Hygiene, and Mental Diseases in the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Baltimore, etc. Published by the F. A. Davis Co., Philadelphia.

This is a book of over 500 pages, royal octavo, in the same clear typography as the "Annual of the Medical Sciences," by the same publishers. It deals with the subjects taken up in other works on hygiene we have had occasion to notice. The chapters on "Food" and "Quarantine" are very full, the latter occupying over 100 pages. The various regulations, maritime and interstate, and the mode of carrying them out, are fully set forth.

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LOCAL ANÆSTHETICS AND COCAINE ANALGESIA: THEIR USES AND LIMITATIONS. By Thos. H. Manley, M.D. 180 pages. St. Louis: J. H. Chambers & Co., 1894.

For many years Dr. Manley has, when the opportunity offered, urged the substitution of cocaine for the systemic anæsthetics, in some of the major, as well as in many of the minor, operations, claiming that the difficulties and dangers attending these procedures would thereby be reduced.