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Essentials of Physiology. Prepared especially for students of medicine; and arranged with questions following each chapter. By SIDNEY P. BUNCERT, M.D., Professor of Physiology, Medical Department of Washington University, St. Louis. 16mo volume of 233 pages, finely illustrated with many full-page half-tones. Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders & Co., 1901. Cloth, \$1.00 net. Toronto: J. A. Carveth & Co., Canadian Agents.

This work aims to furnish material with which students may lay a broad foundation for later amplification, and to serve as an aid to an intelligent consultation of the more elaborate textbook. An important feature is the series of well-selected questions following each chapter, summarizing what has previously been read, and at the same time serving to fix the essential facts in the mind. Nearly all the illustrations are full-page half-tones, and have been selected with especial thought of the student's needs.

American Edition of Nothnagel's Encyclopedia. Variola (including Vaccination), by Dr. H. Immermann, of Basle. Varicella, by Dr. Th. von Jürgensen, of Tübingen. Cholera Asiatic and Cholera Nostras, by Dr. C. Liebermeister, of Tübingen. Erysipelas and Erysipeloid, by Dr. H. Lenhartz, of Hamburg. Whooping Cough and Hay Fever, by Dr. G. Sticker, of Giessen. Edited, with additions, by SIR J. W. MOORE, B.A., M.D., F.R.C.P.I., Professor of the Practice of Medicine, Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland. Handsome octavo volume of 682 pages, illustrated. Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders & Co., 1902. Cloth, \$5.00 net; half morocco, \$6.00 net. Toronto: J. A. Carveth & Co., Canadian Agents.

The articles included in this volume treat of a number of diseases second to none in importance, whether regarded from the standpoint of preventive medicine or as the cause of widespread sickness and death. Although the excellence of the German work and the detailed and comprehensive manner in which the respective authors had dealt with their several subjects left comparatively little to be added, the editor has not hesitated to amend the text whenever necessary, and has also embodied the results of his personal experiences, gained during a varied practice extending over thirty-three years.

One of the most timely articles included in the work is that on variola, including vaccination and variolation. Dr. Immermann's monographs on these subjects, now of vital interest, especially in the United States and Great Britain, have probably never been equalled for circumstance of detail and masterly argument.