

Reviews

The Development of the Human Body. A Manual of Human Embryology. By J. PLAYFAIR McMURRICH, A.M., Ph.D., LL.D., Professor of Anatomy in the University of Toronto; Formerly Professor of Anatomy in the University of Michigan. Fifth Edition, revised and enlarged. With two hundred and eighty-seven illustrations, several of which are printed in colours. Philadelphia: P. Blakiston's Son & Co.

In the last few years there has been manifested increased interest in human and mammalian embryology. Thus, increased knowledge thereby has necessitated the issuing of a new edition of this excellent book for students. Without adding to the size of the book, the new knowledge has been incorporated and the old text completely revised. The book conveys an accurate account of the development of the human body.

Collected Papers from the Research Laboratory. Parke, Davis & Co., Detroit, Mich. Reprints. Volume 3. 1915.

The present volume is a collection of papers which have been published during 1914 in various American and foreign medical and pharmaceutical journals during the past year. There is also an index of the previous papers published. Our readers will find in these scientific papers much valuable up-to-date knowledge daily being accumulated by this laboratory.

The Clinics of John B. Murphy, M.D., at Mercy Hospital, Chicago. Volume IV, Number III, (June, 1915). Octavo of 195 pages, 73 illustrations. Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders Company. 1915. Published bi-monthly. Price per year, paper, \$8.00; cloth, \$12.00. Canadian Agents, J. F. Hartz Company, Toronto.

There is in this volume a comprehensive discussion on diagnosis of injuries of the carpus: an incisive advocacy of immediate operation in appendicitis. W. J. Mayo talks on unsuccessful gastro-enterostomy for ulcer. Amongst other subjects dealt with are conditions of testicle, spermatic cord, kidney, malar bone, mandible. The volume runs from page 383 to page 577 and is fully and well illustrated.