

an excellent manner, with the main theories of the means of resistance of the human body, the theories of immunity and nature of agglutinating substances, etc. Part two, as in the former edition, deals with the special pathogenic bacteria separately, and in this section is given not only a full and concise account of the bacteria from literature, but also from personal work, rendering it of much interest. Part three has been much enlarged, and consists of much other than malarial parasitology, in that it deals with the protozoon, using Dofflin's classification, and taking up the general characteristics with the main forms to be met with in man and animal.

It is an excellent work, and to quote from the preface: "The presentation of the subject is that for the student and physician rather than for the laboratory worker."

---

**The Principles and Practice of Medicine.** Designed for the use of practitioners and students of medicine. By WILLIAM OSLER, M.D., Fellow of the Royal Society; Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians, London; Regius Professor of Medicine, Oxford University; Honorary Professor of Medicine, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore; Formerly Professor of the Institutes of Medicine, McGill University, Montreal; and Professor of Clinical Medicine in the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia. Sixth edition, thoroughly revised from new plates. New York and London: D. Appleton & Co. 1905.

So many sections have been rewritten, and so many alterations made, that in many respects this is a new book. The publishers have furnished a larger page and new type, so that with a considerable increase in the amount of reading matter there has been no enlargement of the volume. "I have tried to make the work a reflex of current knowledge of the symptomatology and treatment of disease, based upon the literature and upon our experience at the medical clinic of the Johns Hopkins Hospital," so writes the author in the preface to the sixth edition. Since the death of the erudite Nothnagel, Osler seems to occupy the premier place in the medical world as clinical teacher, and the excellence of his work is known wherever modern medicine is taught.

---

**A Manual of Diseases of the Nose and Throat.** By CORNELIUS GODFREY COAKLEY, A.M., M.D., Professor of Laryngology in the University and Bellevue Hospital Medical College; Fellow of the American Laryngological, Rhinological and Otological Society, etc., etc. Third edition.

As its name implies, this work is intended for the guidance of the student and general practitioner; the various chapters having been carefully revised and enlarged to more successfully meet that end.

While appreciating the general character of the book and endorsing the exposition of the science of Laryngology and