

The treatment of syphilis is very thorough. The excision of the chancre is advocated not as heartily as some of us may wish, but in a much freer manner than was done a few years ago.

That secondary symptoms should be manifest before systematic treatment is begun we believe is the correct stand to take. The systemic abortive treatment when adopted as soon as a sore is seen, is wrong in principle, because many a sore, apparently specific, proves to be innocent. This would never be known if treatment had been adopted before the diagnosis was complete.

A typographical error on page 526 in the McDade formulæ may cause confusion. "Kappæ minoris" should read "lappæ minoris." The work is, on the whole, one that should be on the shelves of the general practitioner, and the student should make time to read from its pages. The diseases described are amongst those most commonly met with, notwithstanding which students are, as a rule, poorly informed on their diagnosis and treatment.

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Books received :

**SENN'S GENITO-URINARY TUBERCULOSIS.** *Tuberculosis of the Genito-Urinary Apparatus, Male and Female.* By Nicholas Senn, M.D., Ph.D., LL.D., Professor of the Practice of Surgery and of Clinical Surgery, Rush Medical College, Chicago.

**ANDERS' THEORY AND PRACTICE OF MEDICINE.** *A Text-Book of the Theory and Practice of Medicine.* By James M. Anders, M.D., Ph.D., LL.D., Professor of the Theory and Practice of Medicine and of Clinical Medicine, Medico-Chirurgical College, Philadelphia.

**MALLORY AND WRIGHT'S PATHOLOGICAL TECHNIQUE.** *Pathological Technique.* By Frank B. Mallory, A.M., M.D., Assistant Professor of Pathology, Harvard Medical School; Assistant Pathologist to the Boston City Hospital; and James H. Wright, A.M., M.D., Instructor in Pathology, Harvard Medical School; Pathologist to the Massachusetts General Hospital.

**DISEASES OF WOMEN.** By Henry J. Garrigues, A.M., M.D., Professor of Gynæcology and Obstetrics in the New York School of Clinical Medicine; Gynæcologist to St. Mark's Hospital and to the German Dispensary, New York City. One octavo volume of 728 pages, illustrated by 335 wood-cuts and colored plates. Second edition, thoroughly revised and enlarged. Prices: Cloth, \$4 net; half Morocco, \$5 net. Philadelphia: W. B. Saunders. Toronto: J. A. Carveth & Co.

**A TEXT-BOOK ON PRACTICAL THERAPEUTICS,** with especial reference to the application of Remedial Measures to Disease and their Employment upon a Rational Basis. By Hobart Amory Hare, M.D., Professor of Therapeutics and Materia Medica in the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, etc. With special chapters by Drs. George E. de Schweinitz, Edward Martin and Barton C. Hirst. Sixth edition, thoroughly revised and largely rewritten. In one octavo volume of 756 pages. Cloth, \$3.75; leather, \$4.75. Lea Brothers & Co., Publishers, Philadelphia and New York, 1897.