

able exponent of electrical treatment. We quote with pleasure from the review of this book as it appeared in the *Journal of Ophthalmology and Oto-Laryngology*:

"In this book the author discusses the elementary physics of electricity, describes electro-therapeutic apparatus and goes into the subject of phototherapy, the X-ray, ozone, the different electrical currents and electrical illumination for diagnosis purposes.

"It is a work which every eye, ear, nose and throat specialist who is interested in electricity will find of great value and the book will no doubt help to stimulate those who have not been interested in electricity to perfect themselves in the electro-therapeutic phase of the specialty.

"The author reports the cure and improvement of many conditions which have been considered hopeless by other means of treatment. Of 23 cases of optic atrophy, 17 were improved by electrical treatment, some as much as 500 per cent."

MEDICAL TREATMENT.

A Synopsis of Medical Treatment by George Cheever Shattuck, M.D., Assistant Physician to the Massachusetts General Hospital. Second edition, revised and enlarged. Boston: W. M. Leonard, publisher, 1914.

This little epitome gives a succinct account of cardiac insufficiency, nephritis, acute infectious diseases, gastric and duodenal ulcer, and synopsis of some drugs in frequent use. The leaf is printed on one side only and the other left blank for notes. There are many useful hints in the book on the subjects covered by it.

TRENT WATERWAYS SURVEY.

Commission of Conservation, Canada, Committee on Forests, Trent Watershed Survey. By C. D. Howe, Ph.D.; J. H. White, B.A., B.Sc.F. With introduction by B. E. Fernow, LL.D. Printed by the Bryant Press, Toronto, 1913.

This volume contains much information on the forests and water supply and the loss by fires in the Counties of Hastings, Peterborough, Lanark, Haliburton and Victoria. There are many illustrations. The volumes issued by the Commission of Conservation should receive careful study, as they reveal the conditions concerning the natural resources of the country.

SEX HYGIENE.

Teaching Sex Hygiene in the Public Schools. By E. B. Lowry, M.D., Author of "Herself," "Himself," etc. Chicago: Forbes and Company, 1914. Price, 50 cents.

This subject is being discussed a good deal just now. There are many wild views advanced, many of which if put into practice would be