

the care and painstaking labor bestowed on his work, and trust that he will continue to give to the profession annually a report of his labors in the autopsy room. Many of the post-mortem appearances have been carefully examined by the microscope, and a full report is given where the cases were of sufficient importance. The work is dedicated to Dr. Bovell, Emeritus Professor of Pathology in Trinity Medical School.

A COMPEND OF DIAGNOSIS IN PATHOLOGICAL ANATOMY, WITH DIRECTIONS FOR MAKING POST MORTEM EXAMINATIONS by Dr. J. Orth, Berlin. Boston: H. O. Houghton & Co. Toronto: Willing & Williamson.

The above work is one which was very greatly needed, for although much information may be obtained from the existing works on pathological anatomy, yet they are all too diffuse for general use. The author gives practical details and comprehensive directions for making *post mortem* examinations, and for recognizing pathological changes and establishing the diagnosis. In the directions for the performance of autopsies, the new Prussian regulations for forensic physicians have been closely adhered to. In the matter of diagnosis both the gross and microscopic appearances are described. The work represents to a large extent the teachings of Virchow, whose assistant the author was for several years. We can confidently recommend this work to those who require a guide in the performance of *post mortem* examinations.

THE PHYSICIAN'S DAY-BOOK AND LEDGER. Published by Hart & Rawlinson, Toronto.

This is a most convenient system of book-keeping for medical men. The day-book is ruled for convenient entry from day to day. The ledger is ruled for the entry of accounts for seven years, and is so arranged that one can see at a glance what the amount of indebtedness is, and the amounts paid from time to time. It is without doubt, the most convenient system of book-keeping we have yet seen.

REVELATIONS OF QUACKS AND QUACKERY. A series of letters by "Detector," published in the Medical Circular by F. B. Courtenay: Seventh edition, London: Balliere, Tindall & Co. Toronto: Clougher Bros.

PNEUMO-DYNAMICS. By G. M. Garland, M. D. Harvard University. Boston: H. O. Houghton and Company.

A SACHEL GUIDE FOR THE VACATION TOURIST IN EUROPE. A compact itinerary of the British Isles, Germany, Holland, The Rhine, Switzerland, France, Austria, and Italy, with maps. Seventh Edition. Boston: Houghton Osgood & Co.

This is a very neat and comprehensive little work, and an admirable tourist's guide. To those who intend visiting places of interest in Europe during the coming summer we heartily recommend this book. Price \$2.00.

ON HEMATURIA AS A SYMPTOM OF DISEASE OF THE GENITO-URINARY ORGANS. By O. Hoff, M.D., San Francisco. Philadelphia: Lindsay and Blakiston.

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THE RELATIONS EXISTING BETWEEN ECZEMA AND PSORIASIS. By Robert Campbell, M. D., Demilt Dispensary, New York. New York: G. P. Putman's Sons.

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PARACENTESIS, ASPIRATION, AND TRANSFUSION. By S. Hitch, A. M., M. D. Edin., Halifax N. S. From the Transactions of the International Medical Congress, Philadelphia, 1877.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

At Bryanston, on the 23rd of March, the wife of J. L. McDiarmid, of a son.

In Brantford on the 23rd ult., Levi Secord, M.D. of Bright, Ont., to Emily C., second daughter of Wesley Morrell, Esq., of Brantford.

In London, Ont., on the 27th March, G. H. Case, M.D., to Lella Edith, youngest daughter of John Blackburn, Esq.

At Hamilton, on the 29th of March, of pneumonia, John Bell, Esq. A.M., M.D., of Montreal, aged 33 years.