

gonorrhoea. Stricture is very fully discussed. The author also takes up sterility, impotence, and some other topics. The directions on treatment throughout are first class. The book is most timely.

### PROGRESSIVE MEDICINE.

A Quarterly Digest of Advances, Discoveries and Improvements in the Medical and Surgical Sciences. Edited by Hobart Amory Hare, M.D., Professor of Therapeutics, Materia Medica and Diagnosis in the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia. Assisted by Leighton F. Appleman, M.D., Instructor in Therapeutics, Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia. September, 1918. Philadelphia and New York: Lea and Febiger. \$6.00 per annum.

The contents of this volume are Diseases of the Thorax by William Ewart, F.R.C.P.; Dermatology and Syphilis by W. S. Gottheil, M.D.; Obstetrics by E. P. Davis, M.D.; Diseases of the Nervous System by W. G. Spiller, M.D. This is one of the best numbers of a long series of superior issues. We can most cordially recommend Progressive Medicine. It should be in the hands of every practitioner.

### CLINICAL DIAGNOSIS.

Clinical Diagnosis. A Manual of Laboratory Methods. By James Campbell Todd, M.D., Professor of Pathology, University of Colorado. Fourth edition, revised and re-set. 12 mo. of 687 pages, with 232 text-illustrations and 12 colored plates. Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders Company, 1918. Cloth, 14s. net. The J. F. Hartz Company, Toronto, Canadian agents.

This edition covers the ground of former editions. The author takes up the microscope, the sputum, blood, urine, stomach, faeces, animal parasites, bacteriological methods, preparation and use of vaccines, serodiagnostic methods, and some miscellaneous examinations. The work is enriched by 232 illustrations, a number of useful tables, and the formulae for the many stains and reagents required. We congratulate the author and the publishers on the continued very high merits of this book. It is just the sort of book that every worker in this field should have. It has also a distinct value for the general practitioner.

### MILITARY MEDICAL ADMINISTRATION.

Details of Military Medical Administration. By Joseph H. Ford, B.S., A.M., M.D., Colonel, Medical Corps, U. S. Army. Second revised edition, with 30 illustrations. Published with the approval of the Surgeon-General of the U. S. Army. Philadelphia: P. Blakiston's Son and Company, 1012 Walnut Street. Price, \$5.00.

This highly attractive volume has the special endorsement of Surgeon-General Gorgas, who speaks of the author's personal experience regarding the subjects that are discussed in the book. These are in brief: Military Medical Administration, Medical Officers' Vocations, The Regimental Surgeon, Ambulance Work, Field Hospitals, Camp Hospi-