have ever seen. With but few exceptions all are entirely original, having been reproduced from photographs and water colors of actual clinical cases accumulated during the past fifteen years. We must heartily congratulate Dr. Hirst and his publishers upon the production of such a magnificent work.

DORLAND'S AMERICAN ILLUSTRATED MEDICAL DICTIONARY.

Third Edition, Thoroughly Revised.

The American Illustrated Medical Dictionary. For Practitioners and Students. A Complete Dictionary of the Terms used in Medicine, Surgery, Dentistry, Pharmacy, Chemistry, and the kindred branches, including much collateral information of an encyclopedic character, together with new and elaborate tables of Arteries, Muscles, Nerves, Veins, etc.; of Bacilli, Bacteria, Micrococci, Streptococci; Eponymic Tables of Diseases, Operations, Signs and Symptoms, Stains, Tests, Methods of Treatment, etc., etc. By W. A. Newman Dorland, A. M., M. D., editor of the "American Pocket Medical Dictionary." Handsome large octavo, nearly 800 pages, bound in full flexible leather. Philadelphia, New York, London: W. B. Saunders & Company, 1903. Price, \$4.50 net; with thumb index \$5.00 net.

The rapid exhaustion of two large editions cannot but be a gratifying proof to the editor and publishers that this excellent work meets the varied needs of physicians and students better than any other dictionary on the market.

In this the third edition several hundreds of new terms that have been added to the vocabulary of medical sciences have been incorporated and clearly defined. The entire work, moreover, has evidently been subjected to a careful revision, and many of the tables, notably those of Acids, Bacteria, Stains, Tests, Methods of Treatment, etc., have been amplified, and their practical value greatly increased. It is only by such constant and careful revision that a medical dictionary can hope to reflect the progress of medical science, and the usefulnes of this work by this present revision has been very largely extended.

DISEASES OF WOMEN.

A Text-book for the use of Students and Practitioners of Medicine. By Thomas A. Ashby, M. D., Professor of Diseases of Women, University of Maryland; Fellow of American Gynecological Society, etc. Price in cloth, \$4.50; half leather, \$5.00. Wilkins & Wilkins Company, Baltimore, Md., 1903.

This work is specially prepared for students and practitioners. In a concise way the main subjects of diseases of women are presented. There is a historical sketch of gynaecology, which forms a good introduction to what has been done in this branch of medical science. The anatomy and anomalies of the female generative organs are fully des-