

to those in the habit of consulting this Annual. Prof. Rula, of the University of Perugia, Italy, contributes a valuable article on Tuberculosis. Dr. MacIntyre, of Glasgow, has an article on X-Ray work in Medicine and Surgery, and Dr. Edridge Green one on colour blindness. Mr. Turner, F.R.C.S., writes a valuable paper on Dental and Oral Surgery. Quite a number of illustrations give additional value to the work.

F. W. C.

Diseases of the Nose and Throat.—By Cornelius G. Coakley, A.M., M.D., Clinical Prof. of Laryngology, in the University and Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York City, etc. Second Edition, revised and enlarged. New York and Philadelphia; Lea Bros. & Co. Price \$2.75 cloth.

The author in the Preface to the second edition returns thanks to many friends who have testified to the practical value of his publication. He states that the new edition has been carefully revised and corrections, with such additions as were deemed advisable, have been made. A new chapter also on Throat diseases arising from infectious maladies has been added. The colored plates have been increased by two, while eleven additional illustrations have been inserted. These plates are quite equal to the excellence of those contained in the first edition, so that the good character of the volume is maintained. As a book, covering the essentials of disease in the Throat and Nose in a succinct and compact style, this volume is to be commended.

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A Text-Book of Gynecology.—Edited by Charles A. Reed, A.M., M.D., President of the American Medical Association 1900-1901; Gynecologist and Clinical Lecturer on Surgical Diseases of Women at the Cincinnati Hospital; Fellow of the American Association of Obstetricians and Gynecologists; Fellow of the British Gynecological Society, Corresponding Member of the National Academy of Medicine of Peru, etc. Illustrated by R. J. Hopkins, New York; D. Appleton & Company, 1901.

This work is a Text-Book intended to serve as a working manual for practitioners and students, embracing the best approved developments of gynecology, including those of later date than are or can be included in a work of similar magnitude by a single author. The various topics have been assigned to a considerable number of writers, but only to those who have acquired a reputation in connection with the subjects upon which they were asked to write. The result has been a careful preparation of copy in the shortest possible time and the issuance of a strictly up-to-date volume. Some of the chapters have been contributed by several writers; thus, a pathologist, a neurologist, a dermatologist and a bacteriologist have each treated their part of a single subject, but the Editor has made the whole consecutive, systematic and homogeneous. The illustrations are deserving of special mention, being very numerous, many of them quite new and all accompanied by a few lines or words from the text which at once explains them, so that one