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| Total number under treatment at same time—Males..... | 672 |
| Do. Females..... | 266 |
| | 914 |
| Discharged during the year—Males.... | 521 |
| Do. do. Females..... | 213 |
| | 734 |
| Died during the year—Males..... | 61 |
| Do. do. Females..... | 19 |
| | 80 |
| Remaining in Hospital on the 30th Sept. 1874—Males..... | 90 |
| Do. do. Females..... | 37 |
| | 127 |
| Externs who received medicine and advice gratuitously..... | 5613 |

P. S.—Patients (not incurables) are admitted on payment of 40 cents per diem, to the general wards; to private wards at \$1.00 per day. This applies to patients from any part of the country.

Book Notices.

MATERIA MEDICA FOR THE USE OF STUDENTS. By John B. BIDDLE, M.D., Jefferson College, Philadelphia. Sixth edition, revised and enlarged. Philadelphia: Lindsay & Blakiston. Toronto: Hart & Rawlinson.

It is only about a year since the 5th edition of this work was issued from the press. The present edition has been carefully revised; some parts rewritten, and much new matter added. The text has been illustrated wherever it appeared necessary or desirable to do so, representing some of the most important plants, apparatus for transfusion, aspiration and atomization. It contains in a condensed form all that is valuable in materia medica, and furnishes the medical student with a complete manual on this subject.

CLINICAL USES OF ELECTRICITY. By J. Russell REYNOLDS, M.D., F.R.S.; University College, London, Eng. Second edition. Philadelphia: Lindsay & Blakiston. Toronto: Hart & Rawlinson.

This work consists of a series of lectures, delivered by the author during the summer of 1870 in University College, London. They first appeared in the *Lancet*; and they have since undergone revision at the hands of the author. The book contains about 100 pages, and is chiefly devoted to ascertained facts relating to the clinical uses,

application and effects of electricity in the diagnosis and treatment of disease. It is thoroughly reliable as a guide, very concise, and will be found exceedingly useful to the general practitioner.

GALVANO-THERAPEUTICS.—A revised reprint of a Report made to the Illinois State Medical Society by Dr. Prince. Philadelphia: Lindsay & Blakiston. Toronto: Hart & Rawlinson.

This work is somewhat similar in size and substance to the preceding, except that it deals more with the mechanism of the battery, and the practical uses of electricity in the treatment of disease, electrolysis, &c., &c. It has been very favourably reviewed by the American medical press. It is an excellent résumé of the present state of the science and its application to disease.

WYTHES POCKET DOSE BOOK. Eleventh edition, revised and improved by Joseph H. WYTHES, A. M., M.D. Philadelphia: Lindsay & Blakiston. Toronto: Hart & Rawlinson.

LIGATION OF ARTERIES. By Dr. L. H. FARABEUF. Paris. Translated by John D. Jackson, M.D., Danville, Ky. Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott, & Co. Toronto: Willing & Williamson.

We cannot commend this little volume too highly. Everything seems complete about it. The descriptions of the various operations, and the minutest details necessary, are given in the most clear and concise manner. The woodcuts are well executed, and the whole work does credit alike to the author and publisher. Nothing is omitted that can be of any service to the surgeon. Torsion of arteries is also treated of, and a forceps for this especial purpose delineated. The author strongly recommends students to make themselves thoroughly familiar in searching for and tying arteries in the dead subject, if they ever expect to succeed well on the *living* body.

A PRACTICAL TREATISE ON THE DISEASES OF WOMEN. By T. GAILLARD THOMAS, M.D., College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York. Fourth edition. Thoroughly revised, with 191 illustrations on wood. Philadelphia: H. C. Lea. Toronto: Hart & Rawlinson.

This work is so well and favorably known to the profession that any lengthened notice is unnecessary. It has gone through four editions within a short space of time, and has been translated into French, German, and Italian. The present volume has been carefully revised, but only a small amount